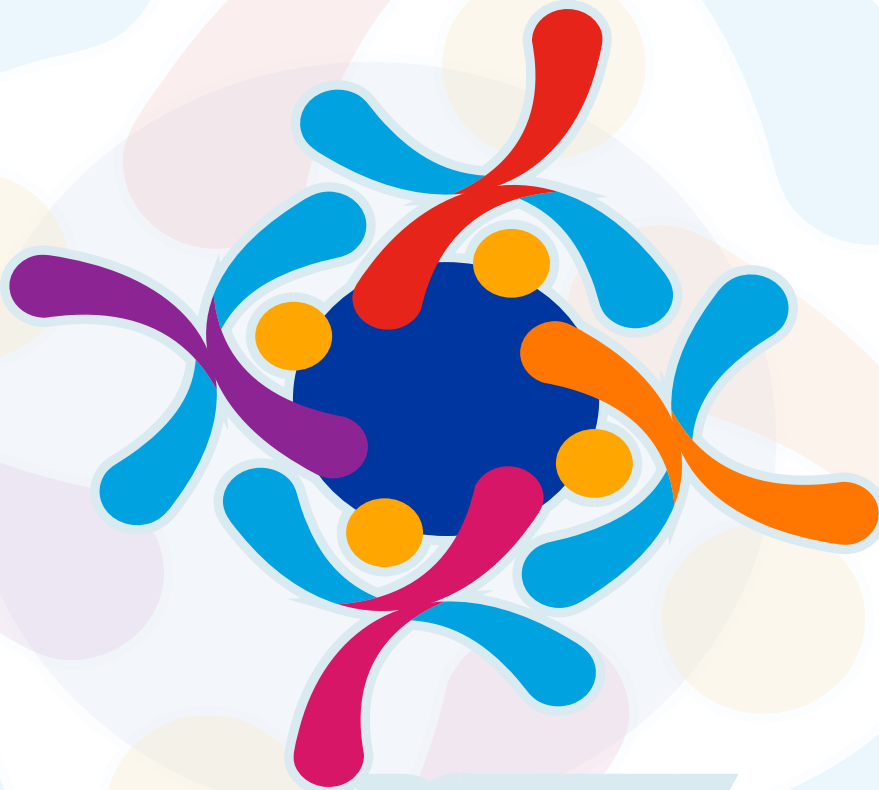


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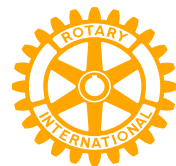
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Dear Rotarians of District 6360:

This year we have the privilege of honoring 29 Rotary Heroes chosen by their respective clubs for exemplary service in their club, their community and the world.

As you read the description of each of these Rotarians' activities you will discover the many ways to serve in Rotary. Some of this year's Heroes are the glue that binds the fellowship of club meetings while others are the master fundraiser, service project organizers or the person in their club that can always be counted on to come through when needed.

The Rotary Heroes program began by Past District Governor Kathleen Tosco in 2010 when we honored 32 Rotarians. As the years have passed it has become clear to me that we will always have new Heroes to recognize and thank.

These are the people that motivate all of us to stay strong in service to others.

Please thank them and congratulate them.

Sincerely in Service,

~ *Margie Haas*

District Governor

Rotary Year 2019-2020



"The greatest of all achievements... are the result of the combined effort of HEART and HEAD and HAND working in perfect coordination"

- ***Paul P. Harris, Founder of Rotary***



Rotary Club of Albion

John Kondelik – “Always Available”

The Rotary Club of Albion would like to nominate John Kondelik for our club Hero. John joined Rotary in 1996 and has been an active member ever since. He was Treasurer from 1998- 2002 and a board member from 2012-2022 and is now our Chairman of the Sergeants at Arm. John is retired from Albion College where he was the Librarian. We choose John because he is always happy to help no matter what the situation is.



Rotary Club of Benton Harbor Sunrise

David Bly – “Generous Dave”

David Bly is by nature a generous person he always shows a readiness to give more of something than is expected. He is the perfect Rotarian. Whenever the club has a need that giving trait shines through. He is detailed and caring. He exemplifies “Service Above Self” in everything that he does. After a key member of the club was unable to complete part of a major fundraising project for the Club, David came to the rescue without hesitation and saved the day.



Rotary Club of Berrien Springs

Jim Temple – “Always Reliable”

Jim has been the club treasurer for many years now. He submits detailed monthly financial statements to the board, collects the dues and fines, submits attendance reports to the district, all without making any fuss. He arrives at meetings early to set up, stays late to take down, and generally makes sure things run smoothly for the club. We cannot honor him enough for his contributions.



Rotary Club of Cereal City Sunrise

Bill Gebhard – “Hard Worker”

Bill is an amazing example of Rotary *Service Above Self*. Bill is our club's contact with Habitat for Humanity. As such, Bill sets up the club's various wheelchair ramp building efforts around our community. Bill is a regular volunteer with Habitat and spends two days a week or more in hands-on updating of homes in the community for those less able to help themselves. Cereal City Sunrise is proud to have Bill as our Rotary Hero!



Rotary Club of Charlotte

Don Sovey – “Community Ambassador”

Don in many ways is our community ambassador. He has been instrumental in helping to form a community action group that works with both political parties to encourage qualified people to run for public office. He also has been instrumental in bringing many of our festival and celebration organizations together, allowing them to pool talent as well as physical resources. Within our own club, Don has brought more members to the Rotary Club of Charlotte than any other member. Beyond bringing members in, he also helps to mentor the members to be active within our club, for Rotary is nothing without action!

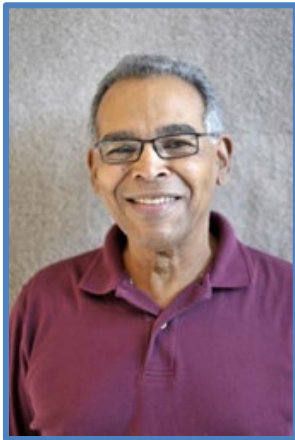
With the recent COVID situation Don has cemented our Board’s decision to name him our Rotary Hero. He has been extremely helpful in setting our club up for our weekly virtual meetings, initializing the conversation to go online, and hosting our meetings since we had to utilize the remote meeting option. Don is always there with a useful suggestion that can be implemented, utilized and acted upon. He is truly a Rotarian in Action!



Rotary Club of Coldwater Township Sunrise

Jon Harpst – “Dream Big”

The Rotary Club of Coldwater Township Sunrise is nominating Jon Harpst as our Rotary Club Hero for the year. Jon has been a member of our Club since 2014 when he moved to Coldwater with his wife Ruby. Jon quickly became an enthusiastic supporter of our Club and its projects. Marketing is his chosen business and he can be very persistent. But a significant quality that he brought to the club is his ability to “Dream Big”. When thinking about the club’s next project, it has come to be expected that Jon will come up with a “Big Idea”. Ideas that many times are quickly dismissed as not realistic, but his marketing background and his persistence has many times paid off with the Club moving forward with his “Big Idea”. A prime example was his vision on how to build the Rotary Club of Coldwater Township Sunrise Foundation. His vision and persistence has increased significantly the size of the capital in the club’s Foundation and helped create the Promise Project, a joint effort with the Kellogg Community College Foundation to provide education assistance to students currently enrolled in health care and skilled trades. For his “Dream Big” attitude, the Coldwater Township Sunrise Rotary is proud to have Jon Harpst as our “Rotary Club Hero” for the year.



Rotary Club of Delta Waverly

Jose Lopez – “Always Serving”

Jose has been a member of the Rotary Club of Delta-Waverly since 2005, but has been a Rotarian at heart for much longer. He currently splits his time between Michigan and the Dominican Republic and is busy with Rotary activities in both places. He plays a key role in our club's signature project, which is providing backpacks of food on weekends to children in need. He keeps track of the donors and makes sure everyone is properly acknowledged for their support. He also is a champion of international projects, specifically projects having to do with clean water. He is a wonderful connection between our club and Rotary clubs in the Dominican Republic. In addition, Jose has served for several years as a trustee of both the Delta-Waverly Rotary Foundation and the Rotary District 6360 Foundation. He brings the spirit of Rotary to everything he is involved in and is a joy to have in our Rotary club.



Rotary Club of Delton Area

Connie High – “Passionate Mentor”

The Delton Area Rotary Club unanimously nominated Ms. Connie High as our club's rotary hero. Ms. High is passionate about promoting and supporting programs that grow future leadership for generations to come. Connie is married to John and has two sons, Connor and Derek. Connie earned her Master of Arts degree from Michigan State University in 2001 and has taught science in Delton Kellogg High School since 1994. As a 20-year resident of the Delton area, Ms. High joined Rotary Club of Delton Area in 2017 and has worked tirelessly with the Interact Club to make a positive impact for others. Examples of the Interact Clubs accomplishments are, Purple Pinky Campaign to raise money for Polio, school clean up activities, donated money to Casa Amparo, donated money for a water bottle filling drinking fountain, support to the Delton Area Rotary fundraising activities, assists with packing and moving Panther Packs, hosted the Interact Conference for district 6360, and so much more. In addition Connie took lead for the last two years handling the Rotary Youth Leadership Awards (Connie is the RYLA Chair) program and is developing ideas to improve for next year. We believe the highest compliment was paid to Ms. High when the Interact President, Mr. Lucas Homister, stated during our weekly meeting, "When Ms. High says let's do this, we just go"!



Rotary Club of East Lansing

Kristin Shelley – “Warm Heart”

Kristin Shelley is our *Warm Heart*. She has done lots of community work while she was the chair of Community Service Committee in Rotary Club of East Lansing.

Now she has been providing Food Pantry at the library for local people during COVID-19 Pandemic. Her warm heart has embraced so many people from different countries in MSU and has welcomed them into our town.

She is our Rotary Hero. We are so proud of her.



Rotary Club of Grand Ledge

Tim Walling – “Mr. Do-Everything”

Ever since I have been in the Rotary Club of Grand Ledge, I have used Tim as an example of what it means to be a Rotarian. Tim was one of the first president's that I was able to experience Rotary through, and in the year since his presidency has completed, he has been as active with our club as ever. Tim is the prime example of what "*Service above Self*" means and he lives that every single day. If I ever need someone to do anything for me or the club, he is the first person I can count on to help out. Tim recently spearheaded a campaign to raise over \$180,000 to create a performance shell in our town in the Rotary club's name, and the amount of work he put into it could honestly justify making him the Rotary Hero every year for the next decade. We would not have been able to do that project without Tim's efforts. He has been such a great guide as well in terms of helping me through my presidency and offering support. If ever I need a Sergeant at Arms for the meeting, I can always count on him to step up and take the duty. When discussing with our Board who deserves this Rotary Hero award, Tim was the unanimous option. He represents everything that Rotary stands for, and to stay as involved as he has been, even the year after his presidency term ended I think speaks for the amount of character that he has. It brings me great joy to submit this nomination because I am sure that there is not anyone more deserving of this title than Tim Walling.



Rotary Club of Gull Lake Area

Marie Stech – “Giver not a Taker”

Marie Stech is an entrepreneur, a community leader, and an outstanding Rotarian, but her passion is gardening. She grew up on Gull Lake with four brothers in a family of builders. In 1984 she carved out a niche in the construction industry by forming Construction Labor Services, which provides union construction personnel (carpenters, electricians, and others in the skilled trades) to contractors. Her daughter, Mikel, also a Rotarian, now runs the business.

A Rotarian since 2002, Marie has wasted no time in getting involved in Rotary and its service projects. Fundraising came naturally. She served as business chair for the Gull Lake Community Schools “Pathway of Pride” project in 2004. The goal was to create a new entrance and concession stand at the outdoor sports facilities at the high school. Marie secured significant contributions through the sale of bricks inscribed with the names of community donors. With the support of her fellow Rotarians, an additional \$7,500 was raised from club members and a Rotary District grant.

In 2006 Marie initiated a Rotary Club Scholarship Program, which has provided 28 scholarships totaling more than \$23,000. The following year Marie was elected President, becoming the third woman to lead the Rotary Club of Gull Lake Area. Being a strong supporter of the Richland Area Community Center, she promoted and completed a number of projects at RACC with the financial support of Rotary and the help of aspiring Eagle Scouts. The Boy Scouts built a gazebo and created walking trails and trail markers. Her fundraising skills have helped our club with the 4th of July Raffle, the Spaghetti Dinner, the Richland Village Hall renovation project, and the sale of District Foundation raffle tickets. She has also given generously to the Rotary Foundation.

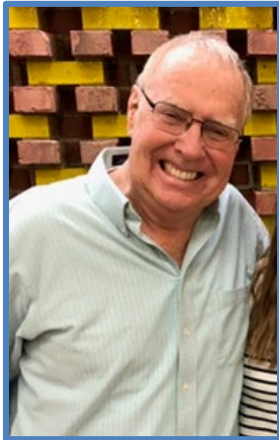
Now retired, Marie spend hours cultivating her beautiful gardens, nurturing her Hostas, and collecting miniature plants of all kinds. She is a “giver”, living out our motto of “*Service Above Self*”.



Rotary Club of Haslett Okemos

Frank Walsh – “Extraordinary Leader”

Former Club President and Township Manager of Meridian Township, Frank Walsh is our hero. He exhibits the qualities of calm, steady leadership, especially in times of crisis. As with all great leaders, he has the respect and admiration of his staff, his fellow Rotarians, and the greater community. He is an enthusiastic supporter of club projects, generous in his support of Rotary causes and persuasive in bringing people together for important endeavors. Never have his strengths been more obvious than in addressing the coronavirus pandemic as the leader of our community of 43,000. Communication and support from our government leader and his staff has been constant and reassuring. For these reasons, we select Frank Walsh as our Rotary Hero.



Rotary Club of Hastings

Tom Johnson – “Dedicated Rotarian”

Tom Johnson joined the Rotary Club of Hastings in 1971, and for many years has been the Chairperson of the club's Program Committee, faithfully and consistently arranging interesting and informative programs for each weekly meeting of the club. Tom and his wife Kaye have been great supporters of The Imagination Library project sponsored by the three Rotary Clubs in Barry County, and is a very generous donor to the project. Tom brought his son Brad into the club in 2005, and Brad has followed Tom's example as a very involved Rotarian. For all that Tom has done during his years of "Service Above Self," he has received the club's Red Rose Award, and this year's Rotary Club Hero.



Rotary Club of Hillsdale

Karlye Horton – “Faithful and Diligent”

Karlye Horton, has been a Rotarian for 10 years. She is a faithful wife and mother and practices law in Jonesville, Michigan, at her own firm, Horton Law Office, P.C. Karlye has headed up the Rotary Club of Hillsdale's annual fundraising raffle for the past 6 years and always pulls off a fun and exciting evening. She exemplifies all that Rotary stands for in *Service Above Self* and deserves to be recognized for her tireless efforts. Thank you Karlye, for being so faithful and diligent.



Rotary Club of Ionia

Bill Roeser – “Rotarian Deluxe”

Bill is a past president of the Ionia club as well as a Paul Harris Fellow. Bill has exemplified Rotary at every opportunity provided. Bill's leadership in the community as President of Sparrow Hospital, Ionia benefited our community on so many levels. Bill through his strong beliefs in the tenants of Rotary promoted membership and single handedly grew our club for years. Bill also provided a venue for our weekly noon club at Sparrow Hospital. The location has technology available for presentations as well the large room. We store our Rotary meeting banners and podium at the hospital. The hospital became our greatest asset for support when in need of sponsoring events. Sparrow provides tents and hands to make our events successful. Bill could be counted on at all functions to pitch in and work. Bill often enlisted the help of his wonderful wife Marsha to attend and assist. Bill truly lives the Rotarian way of life of *Service Above Self*.



Rotary Club of Jackson

Terri Papiersky – “Dependable Terri”

Terri has been the Club Secretary for many years and has this job down pat. Whatever needs to happen, she makes it happen. If you want to know something, she has the answer. Terri steps in and does whatever needs doing behind the scenes. For example during our Halloween Party for children in Michigan Center, she makes sure we have buns for the hundreds of hot dogs we give out during the party. She brings the huge hotdog roaster and is there for whatever needs to happen. All of this happens without anyone asking and very few people actually know she does these things. Terri is amazing and she deserves this honor!



Rotary Club of Kalamazoo

Dan Hartlieb – “Casa Amparo Padre”

Dan Hartlieb has been a member of the Rotary Club of Kalamazoo since 1998. Dan has always been involved in club activities but has developed a real passion for International Service since his first trip to visit “the girls” of Casa Amparo. Casa Amparo is an orphanage for young girls in Reynosa, Mexico, right over the border from McAllen, Texas. The facility is run by Catholic nuns, committed to the safety and education of these young girls. The Kalamazoo Club along with other clubs in our district and a district in Texas has adopted Casa Amparo. Our Club provides the salary for the teacher. Members of our club, along with other service-oriented friends, have travelled to Mexico to check in on the girls and provide resources including sewing machines, construction projects, playground equipment along with several other much needed practical assistance. The one constant presence on these trips is Dan Hartlieb. Dan has traveled on his own expense to Reynosa for his annual pilgrimage for 18 years. Dan will tell you that he gets great joy and satisfaction from relating with the staff and the students. But his presence is a much-anticipated event for everyone at the Casa. He brings enthusiasm and engagement with everyone he comes in contact with. He says that it’s the best mental health experience of every year and he comes away enthused about what Rotary is doing to provide encouragement to a group of young people that deserve a hopeful future. We are a better club and the world is a better place because of Dan’s commitment to service. He is our Rotary Hero!



Rotary Club of Lakeshore

Bill Vegter – “Financial Guru”

Bill Vegter was chosen as our Rotary Hero for his more than ten years of dedicated service as our Club Treasurer during his 16 years of ongoing membership in the Lakeshore club. As a CPA having his own business, he has always kept a sharp eye on our club’s financial condition. His expertise has been invaluable for tracking our income and expenses incurred for our club fundraisers and to display multiple-year results on one sheet of paper for easy comparisons and improvements. His current nine years of perfect attendance demonstrate his commitment to our club and his unyielding support for Rotary as a Paul Harris Fellow. As Bill nears retirement from his Treasurer position, our club members wish to express their sincere gratitude for Bill’s many years of outstanding service to Lakeshore Rotary! A Hero, indeed!



Rotary Club of Lansing

Mark Hooper – “Exemplary Rotarian”

Mark Hooper has been a Rotarian for over 40 years, during which time he has served as president of the Haslett/Okemos Rotary Club, president of the Rotary Club of Lansing, and president of the Rotary Club of Lansing Foundation. He has held numerous other club leadership positions, including chair of the Rotary Club of Lansing’s Centennial Celebration Steering Committee, which successfully raised \$250,000 for a 100th year anniversary gift to support a new water exhibit at Impression Five Science Center. Mark currently serves as Chair of the club’s audit committee, and co-chair of the Membership Engagement Committee. His commitment to “*Service Above Self*” is also demonstrated by his generous philanthropy and his extensive community volunteerism, which the Greater Lansing Chamber recognized by awarding him its 2016 Community Service Award.



Rotary Club of Mason

Leslie Behm - “Becoming Indispensable”

Leslie, a 3rd generation Rotarian, has in less than three years, made valuable and critical contributions to the club. She became Club Secretary in 2018 and a valuable board member. She has agreed to continue in that position through 2020-2021. She became proactive in making better use of DACdb to support the current president and to make members more aware of club and district Activities. She quickly participated in District Conferences, Grant Training, Webinars, Membership Summits and Club Leadership Training. The club continues to benefit greatly from her participation in Rotary programs and has received two district grants in part because she was trained. She is a Paul Harris Fellow.

Leslie has participated in club activities including the Duck Race, Kids Fling, Christmas projects, Salvation Army Toy Distribution, and Golf Outing. As a Michigan State University Librarian, she has access to unique program topics and presenters. Her programs included the massive cookbook collection at MSU that is one of her primary areas of expertise, a Velvet Painting Expert, and a physician discussing the flu. Leslie has a niece at West Point and the club has benefitted from the sharing of her niece’s accomplishments and activities. It has provided us with a special link with future leaders and a better appreciation for their training.

In summary, the club is tremendously appreciative of Leslie’s commitment to Rotary and the quality of her contributions—she truly is almost indispensable!



Rotary Club of Middleville

Bob Williams - “Class of ‘57”

Bob is the Rotary Club of Middleville's choice for our Rotary Hero of the year. Bob’s leadership in many club projects and committee work throughout the District, rewards our Rotary club. Bob is a self-driven leader, in projects such as, Membership Chairman, the district Community Magazine, and Program Chairman. These are just a few of his leadership projects. In July he will become our Club President for the first time.

Bob has been involved in Rotary for many years, he is a founding member of the Schaumburg IL. Rotary Club. They just celebrated their 50th anniversary!

Rotarian Bob Williams is a great resource person for our club members.



Rotary Club of Paw Paw Lake

Tammy Yeager – “How May I Help You?”

Paw Paw Lake Club is proud to have selected member Tammy Yeager as our Rotary Club Hero for 2020. Tammy was selected for this honor by a vote of our membership on March 11. Tammy is our Mrs. “How may I help you?” as she always contributes to club projects and willing to lead where needed.

Tammy arranges and collects for all the club lunches for the meetings.

Tammy also serves on the club’s Public Image committee promoting our programs and activities. This includes taking pictures and writing articles for our local newspapers. Tammy takes the minutes of the club meetings and disperses them. Tammy exemplifies “*Service Above Self.*”



Rotary Club of Portage

Karen Foster – “Doing It”

Karen has been a Rotarian for as long as women could be Rotarians—1987! She served as our President in 2002-03. Many members sort of slow down after serving as Club President, not Karen! She chaired our Fireworks project for the last 13 years! She served Rotary Club of Portage as Finance chair for last ten years. This year she took over the Super Bowl ticket fundraiser. Outside of Rotary she is involved in Talons Out Honor Flight for many years, is a Trainer for American Red Cross, Vicksburg and is a Rocket football board member and trainer. She served as City of Portage Reserve officer for 35 years. This year the Portage club recognized her with our Community Service award, and it is fitting our Rotary Club Hero should be Karen Foster!



Rotary Club of South Haven

Steve Miles – “Meeting Savior”

Although Steve is a relatively new member to the club, he has made a big impact on the Rotary Club of South Haven. Steve faithfully participates in all club activities, but his biggest impact for the past year is that he is able to get the antiquated audio-visual equipment ready at each meeting and program. Long term the AV issue will be taken care of, but in the interim, through Steve’s efforts we’ve been able to have numerous programs presented at our meetings which serve the “core interest” in our club meetings. Steve’s easy-going demeanor make him very easy to work with, and Steve is a very valuable asset to the Rotary Club of South Haven.



Rotary Club of St. Joseph-Benton Harbor

Prudy Nelson – “International Doctor”

Prudence Barrett Nelson was born in Newberry, Michigan but spent most of her childhood in Spain. She moved back to Michigan her senior year of high school and graduated from St. Ignace High School. She went to Taylor University for 1.5 years and then to Michigan State for 1.5 years to earn her Bachelor’s Degree in Human Nutrition. She started medical school at State at the age of 20. She was working on a Masters in Nutrition as well but that was interrupted by pregnancy. She Interned at Beaumont Hospital in Royal Oak. Then it was back to State where she finished her residency in Pediatrics. She moved to St. Joseph in 1984 to join Drs. Feeley and Skinner pediatric practice. When they retired, David Driscoll joined her. While working she earned a Master’s in Public Health (Preventive Medicine) in 2005 from the Medical College of Wisconsin. She returned to school to obtain a Post-Graduate Diploma in Infectious Disease in 2016 from the University of London – London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine. She simultaneously completed the Global Health/Tropical Medicine Course at the University of Minnesota becoming certified in Tropical Medicine in 2016.

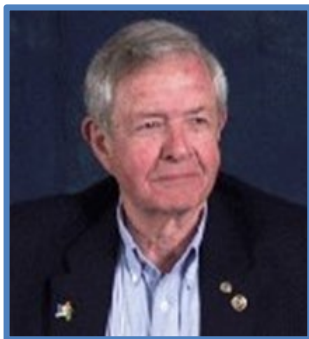
Prudy has worked in Disaster Response starting in 1990, doing one or two trips per year primarily through Medical Teams International of Portland, OR, and International Medical Care. She has served as a physician in Cambodia, Indonesia, Bangladesh, Sri Lanka, India, Pakistan, Darfur, Liberia, Rwanda, Paraguay and Ecuador, including several trips to South Sudan, Uganda and the Dominican Republic. Early in her career, she served as the medical director of a clinic in Haiti for a year and a half. Prudy also led a group of 25 medical students and residents to the Himalayas where they camped for a month during which she taught a class on “Resource-Poor Medicine” while providing care to villagers and Buddhist Monasteries. She was a charter member of the US Surgeon General’s Federal Disaster Response Cadre which was closely involved with the H1N1 Influenza epidemic of 2009. Prudy joined Rotary in 2013 and is a member of the Rotary Foundation Cadre of Technical Advisers. Her areas of expertise are Disease Prevention and Maternal/Child Health. She helps with Global Grant evaluations and has completed Global Grant project evaluations in Bolivia, Argentina, Belize, Grenada and Mexico. She was on the Surgeon General Disaster Response Team during H1N1.



Rotary Club of Three Rivers

Pattie Bender – “Community Builder”

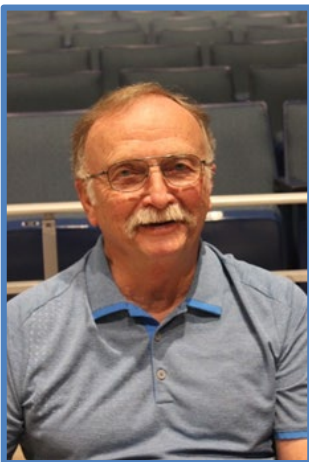
Pattie Bender served in St. Joseph County government for 45 years—the last 24 years as county clerk—but her influence extended far beyond the courthouse walls into the community. Most relevant to the Rotary Club of Three Rivers, she has been secretary for 14 years, making sure everything runs smoothly and according to proper procedure. She is the longest-tenured woman in our club, with 25 years of perfect attendance. She was its first woman president and is a two-time Paul Harris recipient. A resident of Centreville and proud Bulldog alumna, she continues to build up that community as program manager of its Downtown Development Authority. She plays a key role as clerk of session at First Presbyterian Church of Three Rivers/Centreville, where she is a valuable resource for administrative knowledge. Her other involvement includes the Three Rivers Area Chamber of Commerce, the Centreville Lions Club, the St. Joseph County United Way, the St. Joseph County Grange Fair, and the St. Joseph County Republican Party. She personifies Rotary’s motto of “*Service Above Self*,” and our club, along with our extended community, has benefited from her lifelong commitment to service.



Rotary Club of Union City

Jim Hayden – “Hard Worker”

Jim will be a 20-year member of Rotary District 6360 this fall. He has served as Club Treasurer and finishing up his third term of Club Presidency this Rotary year. Served as Assistant Governor for five years, is a multiple Paul Harris recipient, member of the Paul Harris Society and Major Donor. He has written nine grants for the Rotary Club of Union City. He continues to live by “*Service Above Self*” both in Rotary and his community.



Rotary Club of Vicksburg

Larry Forsyth – “Dependably Engaged”

Larry took the initiative to create heavy duty market bags from livestock feed bags, solicit approval from the Vicksburg Farmer’s Market to sell them at the Market and then went, nearly every Friday to sell these bags. He even added cold bottled water for additional revenue. Proceeds from this effort were donated to the club and was around \$1,000.

Larry has been a regular Strive mentor, positively impacting young adults for many years. But perhaps one of his biggest contributions over the last few years has been his leadership in navigating the transformation of the former Showboat to a more current and relevant Showcase. This transformation was at times painful for everyone. Larry stayed the course and we have clearly seen, with the Showcase in its second year, that effort is paying off.



Rotary Club of Williamston Sunrise

Adam Spina – “Integrity and Honor”

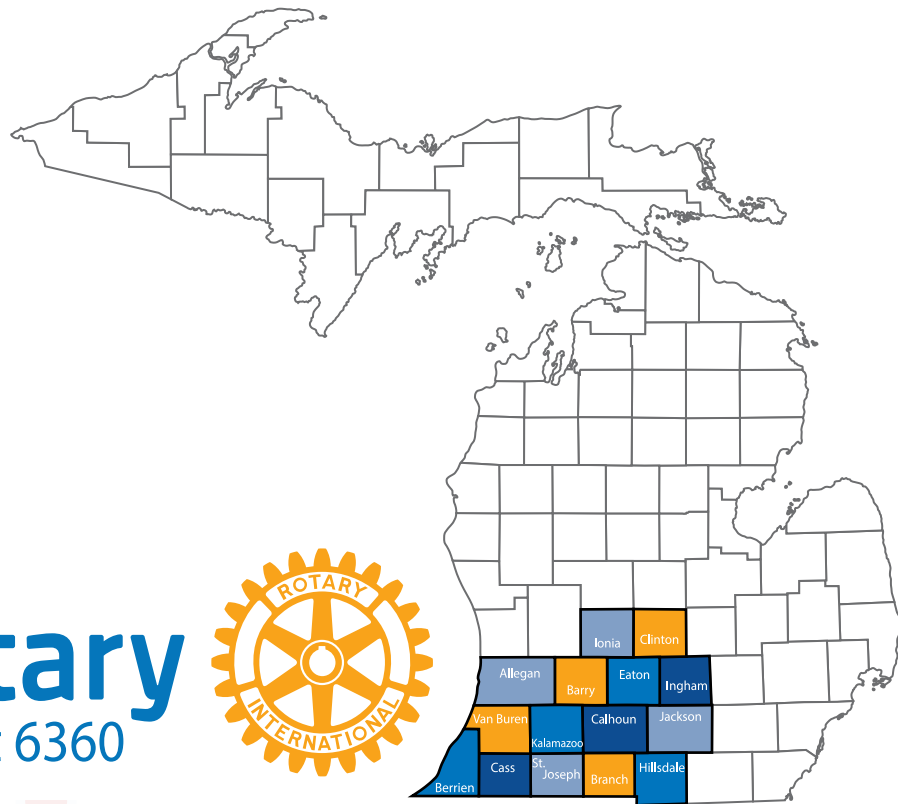
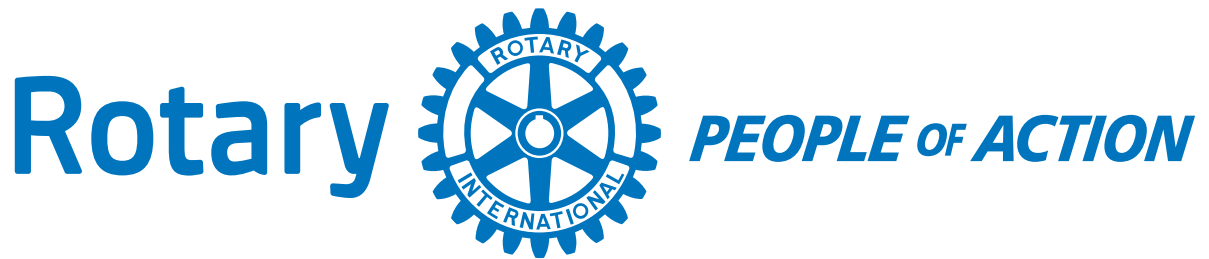
Dr. Adam Spina serves as Superintendent of the Williamston Community Schools. Prior to being named Superintendent, he worked in several different capacities within the district including Director of Curriculum and Assessment, Principal of Explorer Elementary, and taught at both the elementary and secondary levels.

Dr. Spina holds a commission as a Lieutenant Colonel in the Michigan Army National Guard and is a veteran of Iraq and Afghanistan. He is a graduate of numerous Army service schools.

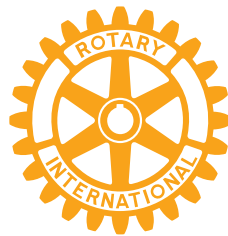
He a devoted husband to his wife Vanessa Nieto Arroyo and father to their two children. Even with his already busy life, Dr. Spina still is able to find time to serve his community on several other community boards, along with being active Rotarian with the Williamston Sunrise Rotary Club. He serves as the club's youth services officer and inspires all members to serve to their own highest standards.

Since the outbreak of COVID, Dr. Spina had to become an active soldier in the fight to protect the community for this outbreak leading his soldiers.

Dr. Adam Spina, is our *Rotary Club Hero*, because of his dedication, integrity, and honor that he brings to all walks of his life, and the people he touches. He is a humble man, that has a heart of gold. The Williamston Sunrise Rotary is proud to have him as a Rotarian in our club. With his leadership, the community and schools are always in good hands.



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