

THE GREEN LIGHT

THE ROTARY CLUB OF PEORIA — Club 3238

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Weekly Meeting at First United Methodist Church Friday, February 04, 2022 at 12:00 PM

Speaker: Jack Darin, Chapter Director - Sierra Club of IL

Topic: Law on Clean Energy Update

Can't make it to the In-Person Meeting? <u>CLICK HERE TO JOIN VIA ZOOM</u>
Meeting ID: 897 6608 1791 Dial by your location +1 312 626 6799

WMBD AM Radio - Morning Show Oddness's with Greg & Dan



Greg Batton and Dan Diorio have been friends for years, and radio partners on WMBD 1470 AM for the last 30 years. They brought their impromptu road show to Peoria Rotary on Friday.

The two men --both in their 60's-- have been together on WMBD Radio since 2005. The Greg and Dan Show has been a ratings and revenue leader for over the last 12 years. They would rather not talk about years one through five. They consider themselves the Jimmy Buffett of Talk Radio. By that, they mean that what might sound casual and unrehearsed to the listener may be anything but unplanned.

Greg and Dan say they are friends but never hang out together. Given that they have eight kids between them and spend many mornings together, this could be understandable. A little-known fact is that Greg is also an Internet-qualified minister and has married two couples, possibly legally.



The Greg & Dan Show

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Youth Exchange Program



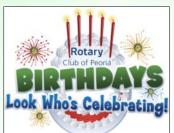
Be a Youth Exchange Host Family!

We are currently looking for 2-3 families that would be interested in hosting an inbound youth exchange student between the months of <u>August 2022</u> & <u>July 2023</u>.

The student would live with the family for 3-5 months during that time period. A variety of family structures are perfect for being host families - small, big, with many children, or no children. Working families - retired families - We aim to reflect real -world families to students, and we know that real families come in all shapes and sizes.

If you are interested in becoming a host family for our inbound student, please email Amanda Gordon-Sandberg (agordonsandberg@gmail.com) with questions/concerns!

Member Celebrations



Birthday	
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Member	Years
Patti Bash	2
Charlie Greer	2
Travis Mohlenbrink	2
Scott McCord	7
Pam Johnson	14
George Ghareeb	15
Blair Gambill	24
John Kelly	27
Donald Hartshorn	30
Steve Bash	31
Fred Stuber	35
Art Oakford	61

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Community Service Grants

2022 Community Service Grant Applications ~ Available Now!

To be considered for a grant from the Rotary Club of Peoria, please complete the 2022 Community Service Grant Application and forward it as a PDF to: infodowntown@peoriarotary.org

Applications are due on or before February 25th

Please pass the information along to local not-for-profit organizations that might benefit from a grant!

Trewyn Food Pantry

Donations Needed for Trewyn Food Pantry

We are collecting food items such as: Peanut or almond butter, dried goods such as: Oatmeal, Cereal, Rice, Pasta, Ramen Noodles, Granola Bars and Hormel Completes. Melissa can come and pick up items from you, please



call 676-5432 or email infodowntown@peoriarotary.org to arrange a time. If you would like to donate money, we will buy non-perishables on your behalf!

Upcoming Meetings

February 11th - Meeting at <u>First United Methodist Church</u>

Speaker(s): Laura Evancho and Jim Baldwin

Topic: Wheels O Time Museum

Invocation: Pat Lewis | Greeter(s): Jason Parkinson

Attendance Prize: Pat Lewis

February 18th - Meeting at <u>First United Methodist Church</u>

Speaker: Mayor Rita Ali
Topic: Report by Peoria's Mayor

Invocation: Randy Neff | Greeter(s): John Iverson

Attendance Prize: Randy Neff

February 25th - Meeting at First United Methodist Church

Speaker: Dr. Todd Ward, Ag Lab Director Topic: What's New at The Peoria Ag Lab

Invocation: John Iverson | Greeter(s): Jason Parkinson

Attendance Prize: John Iverson

Meeting Location Reminder

Please remember the club

is holding weekly meetings at the $\underline{\text{First United Methodist Church}}.$

Unless noted otherwise. For security reasons the Church doors

will only be unlocked from 11:00am - 12:15pm.
For any members arriving after 12:15pm,
please use the church intercom system
and the receptionist will buzz you in.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR PATIENCE AND UNDERSTANDING

Committee Announcements

The Grants Committee will meet immediately after the club meeting on Fri, Feb.4th for about 15 minutes to finalize the grading sheet.

Contact Charlie Greer or the office if you would like to join this year's committee to plan, review and select grant recipients.

This is a very rewarding process!

Rotary Readers Update

As of right now Peoria Public Schools has paused all volunteer visits until February 11th. Once all restrictions are lifted we hope to continue reading again. As soon as more information becomes available, we will send out another update. Thanks to all for your commitment!!

Maggie & Owen - Rotary Readers Co-chairs





Rotary International / District 6460 Announcements

Rotary District 6460 - RLI Part I Training

Zoom sessions on Feb. 15th and 22nd from 5:30pm to 8:10pm to your membership. Attendance for this interactive session is limited to fifteen participants.

RLI Part I is the first of a series of three fast-paced, interactive courses offered to increase a Rotarians base of knowledge in Rotary and strengthen their volunteer leadership skills.

Experienced Rotary leaders within our District will serve as faculty members for this training.

If you would like to attend the **RLI Part I** Training Session, please email the office: infodowntown@peoriarotary.org



Rotary Youth Leadership Academy



The goal is to have two or more sophomores from each Rotary Club in District 6460 attend the RYLA weekend. We need your help to sponsor outstanding high school sophomores from the community to attend this event. Club members are encouraged to nominate high school sophomores they know would be interested in attending the RYLA academy this Spring. Please email the students information to infodowntown@peoriarotary.org so we can start the application process.

Writers Needed

"Writers Sought for So You Thought You Knew" "Sought" by Edie Barnard Rotarians, You are cordially invited to take over writing my Green Light column, "So You Thought You Knew!" As you know, I have been on hiatus since last June. Melissa has kindly been delving into my Archives and choosing articles to place in the Green Light. I love seeing which column she has chosen when the Green Light arrives. I plan to write an occasional column and look forward to reading the ones that our new columnist will write. What a joyous eight years I've had "Getting to know you" this way!!! Look forward to hearing from you. Please contact me at (309) 922-9058 or Edith@BarnardCommunications.com

Member How to Guide - Login to DACdb



We hope you will maximize your membership by taking advantage of our online member portal, DACdb. This is more than an online directory - it's an interactive tool to help you engage with our Club.

Through DACdb, you can edit your profile, search for members, register for events, and much more! ** Instructions on Next Page **



District And Club Database

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Your account in DACdb is automatically created when you join our Club. You won't need to sign-up for DACdb, just sign-in!

1. To log in for the first time, your email address is your username and your RI member number is your password. Your member number is located in many of your RI communications, including your Rotarian magazine address label.

DACdb The District and Club database was developed to assist districts and clubs to meet their administrative reporting requirementational, and to foster easier communications within the district for the district leadership, district committees, clul course the members of Rotary Clubs. Sign In **DACdb Mobile** Just got better! (Usually your EMail address) Have you tried (Usually your RI MemberID or Last Name) **DACdb Mobile** Not required unless you are an AG or District Officer DO NOT check this on public systems (e.g., libraries, inter http://m.DACdb.com Forgot Password? Login HELP Go To DACdb Mobile Create DACdb Mobile Desktop ICON f in Create DaCdb Short Cut View Mobile Website Privacy Policy

You will not need to enter your Club Number.Can't remember your password? Click the blue "Forgot Password" link to reset.

Tip: Don't forget to bookmark the login page, check the "Remember Me" box, and check out our mobile version!

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