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# THE GREEN LIGHT

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**Weekly Meeting at First United Methodist Church**  
**Friday, June 16, 2023 at 12:00PM**  
**Speaker: Chris Setti, CEO - Greater Peoria**  
**Economic Development Council**  
**Topic: Great Things in Greater Peoria**

Can't make it to the In-Person Meeting? [CLICK HERE TO JOIN VIA ZOOM](#)  
Meeting ID: 897 6608 1791 Dial by your location +1 312 626 6799



An affiliate of **CarleHealth**

This past Wednesday, officials of the Carle Hospital System took a few swings at a wall at the closed Heddington Oaks Nursing Home in West Peoria.

It was a ground-breaking of sorts as that former nursing home will become a facility for treating mental illness in the young; the "Trillium Place Young Minds Center."



Mary Sparks Thompson, the President of Trillium Place, spoke to Peoria Rotarians on Friday to provide an update on what folks can expect from multi-million-dollar overhaul of the facility.



When it's operational, Trillium Place will double the number of beds available for mental health services for young people locally. That's especially an issue since those needing in-patient help have been re-located to Chicago due to a local lack of beds.

Trillium Place Young Minds Center will offer, Thompson says, both in-and out-patient services. She said it was an opportunity "for Peoria to become known for this specialized type of care". [Click here](#) to watch a video of the groundbreaking ceremony.



## Upcoming Meetings

**JUNE 16th - Meeting at First United Methodist Church**  
**Speaker: Chris Setti**  
**Topic: Great Things in Greater Peoria**  
**Greeter: Owen Ackerman | Invocation: Chuck Gabbert**  
**Attendance Prize: Owen Ackerman**  
**Meeting Tech: Randy Neff**

**JUNE 23rd - Meeting at First United Methodist Church**  
**Speaker: Dr. Jamel Santa Cruze Wright**  
**Topic: 168 Years & Just Getting Started: Uniquely Eureka College**  
**Greeter: Colleen Halberg | Invocation: Steve Driscoll**  
**Attendance Prize: Colleen Halberg**  
**Meeting Tech: Jason Parkinson**

**JUNE 30th - Meeting at First United Methodist Church**  
**Program: Change of Officers**  
**Greeter: Chuck Gabbert | Invocation: Art Oakford**  
**Attendance Prize: Chuck Gabbert**  
**Meeting Tech: Ryan LaCosse**

## Volunteer Opportunities



**Midwest**  
**FOOD BANK**



**Midwest Food Bank is looking for volunteers to help label and/or package bulk food items so they can be readied for distribution to our food pantries.**

**Date: Friday, June 30th, 2023**  
**Time: 9:00am - 11:00am**

**If you would like to volunteer, please CLICK HERE to sign-up. We will also have a sign-up sheet available at weekly meetings or you can email [infodowntown@peoriarotary.org](mailto:infodowntown@peoriarotary.org) to be added to list.**

## Upcoming Social Events

### ROTARY CLUB OF PEORIA - JULY SOCIAL EVENT

**Date: Thursday, July 27th | Time: 5pm - 7pm**

**Location:  - 71 E. Queenwood Rd - Morton**  
**MORE INFO COMING VERY SOON**

**If you would like to attend the social, we are asking that you please RSVP by July 24th to [infodowntown@peoriarotary.org](mailto:infodowntown@peoriarotary.org)**  
**You can submit RSVP's using the link in the Green Light Newsletter or using the sign-up sheet available at the weekly meetings.**

**During the month of July, MUSE Morton will donate 20% of art sales to Rotary Endowment Fund**

## Neighborhood House Ribbon Cutting

**NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSE**   
**1020 S. Matthew | Peoria, IL 61605**

**Ribbon Cutting Ceremony for the outdoor learning space, the Rotary Endowment helped fund & assemble.**

**Date: Tuesday, June 20th | Time: 11:00am**



**THANK YOU FOR YOUR "SERVICE ABOVE SELF"**

## District Leadership Celebration

### You're Invited

District Leadership Celebration & Installation for Rotary District 6460

Saturday, June 24, 2023

5:00pm Cocktail Hour

6:00pm Dinner & Celebration

The Vault  
 185 S. Kellogg St.  
 Galesburg, IL 61401

Cost: \$35/person

We are proudly supporting Rotary owned businesses with appetizers from Tres Cafe, dinner from 156 East Bar and Grill, and dessert from Innkeepers Coffee!

A fundraiser for the District's project to assist Zambian farmers increase corn yields will be held, so bring a few dollars to participate.

This event is being sponsored by the Rotary Club of Galesburg and the Galesburg Rotary Club Foundation.

Kindly make your reservation by June 1st, 2023

Register digitally:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Club Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Guest Name: \_\_\_\_\_



Pay digitally:



Please make checks payable to: Galesburg Rotary Club Foundation

Please mail checks to: Morgan Seabloom  
 185 S. Kellogg St.  
 Galesburg, IL 61401

## District 6460 Pints for Polio Fundraiser



### District 6460 End Polio Now Fundraiser

**Ezra Books Cask Strength & Rebel Cask Strength Bourbon (\$100/bottle)**  
 Delivery of bourbon expected in late summer or early fall

[Reserve your bourbon today! \(PDF\)](#)

More information and mailing instructions on the form

The Rotary Club of Quincy purchased a cask of 120-proof bourbon for the "Pints for Polio" fundraiser, and they still have a few bottles of the Bourbon left. Bottles are \$100 - make checks out to Rotary Club of Quincy.

[CLICK HERE FOR ORDER FORM](#)



## Rotary Family Day at The Ball Park

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Chicago Cubs vs. St. Louis Cardinals

Busch Stadium - St. Louis

July 29th, 2023 | 6:15pm Game Time

Tickets \$60.00

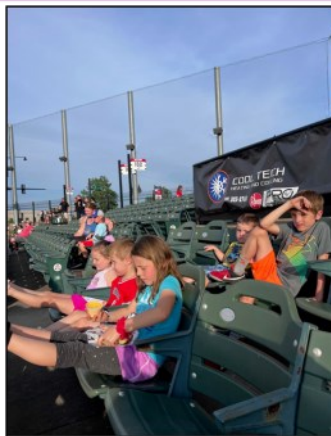
ORDER FORMS WILL BE AVAILABLE AT WEEKLY MEETINGS OR CAN  
DOWNLOADED FROM THE GREEN LIGHT OR THE DISTRICT 6460 WEBSITE

Buying Tickets Helps with The Literacy Projects



Photos from last year's Rotary Family Day at the Ball Park

## Rotary Night at Dozer Park



**THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO ATTENDED  
THE ALL ROTARY NIGHT AT THE PEORIA  
CHIEFS GAME ON FRIDAY, JUNE 9th**

### Club Officers

President - Tom McIntyre

President-Elect - Randy Neff

Secretary - Katherine Coyle

Treasurer - Scott Fisher

Immediate Past President - Janet Bantz Glavin

### Board Members

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Charlie Greer

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