

Rotary



District 6670



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District Leaders

Frank H. Scott
District Governor

R. Douglas Buchy
DG-Elect

Dottie Meade
DG-Nominee

Gregory A. Birkemeyer
District Membership
Chair (DMC)

Carol Hughes
District Rotary
Foundation Chair
(DRFC)

Heidi E. Schiller
District Public Image
Chair (DPIC)

Lori Sandy Gatland
District Secretary

SUSAN L WILKINSON
Assistant Governor
Coordinator

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Assistant Governor

Elizabeth C. Huber
Assistant Governor

Melinda S. Kelly
Assistant Governor

Charles E. King
Assistant Governor

Charles Martz
Assistant Governor

Michael T. McNeil
Assistant Governor

Michael N. Moorhead
Assistant Governor

Mary Elizabeth
Nenninger
Assistant Governor

Frank Perez
Assistant Governor

Boyd A Preston
Assistant Governor

David P. Spencer
Assistant Governor

A Message from your District Governor - June 2023

Hello, Rotarians of District 6670. This is my last newsletter as your District Governor. The time has flown by. By far, the best part of this year was visiting the clubs in our District. Thank you all for your hospitality.

I had four goals when I began this year. I set a goal to grow membership. We will be stable with plus or minus a few members on June 30. I was hoping for \$100 per capita for the Rotary Foundation Annual Fund Share, and we are currently at \$98. We are approaching \$240,000 as a five-year high for the Annual Fund. I had set a goal to expand our Social Media, and we did so by adding Instagram and LinkedIn. We now have three channels, along with Facebook. Finally, I wanted to make sure our youth programs continued. Youth, Peace, Advocacy, and Leadership completed its successful second annual program in our District. RYLA and RYE are back in person.

I want to thank everyone for your efforts during this Rotary year.

There are some specific thanks I want to offer to all the Assistant Governors, Club Presidents, and Club officers this year.

I especially want to thank my Vice Governor, Carol Hughes, without whom I could not have carried out the District Conference and other events during the year.

A special thanks to the Governor Line: Doug Buchy, DGE; Dottie Meade, DGN; and Heidi Schiller, DGND.

A thank you also to the District Committee Chairs and their Committee Members without whom the District could not carry out its responsibilities for Rotary International.

And a very special thank you to our District Secretary, Lori Gatland. As a District Governor who is fully employed, it would have been impossible for me to carry out everything that is expected of a District Governor without Lori's able assistance.

I look forward to serving our District in the future.

That is pretty much it. Please add the items from the clubs and I would be happy to look at what Eric wants to ask.

If you have any ideas for anything more, please let me know.

Thanks, Frank



Help Wanted - RLI

Susan J. Taylor
Assistant Governor

Events

June 29th
[District
Installation/Change
Over Dinner](#)

July 7th
[YEP Outbound
Orientation
Otterbein O-E
Multidistrict](#)

July 7th
[Parent Registration-
Otterbein
Orientation-O-E
Multidistrict](#)



Wanted. RLI Coordinator. The successful candidate will have graduated from RLI and have good organizational skills and a growing passion for RLI. Interested candidates should submit their resume to the current DG. For more information, contact PDG Eric Marcus at: eric.marcus@mindspring.com

June is Fellowship Month



Expand your network through Rotary Fellowships

June is Rotary Fellowships Month. This is a perfect time to explore your hobbies, interests, or profession through Rotary by joining a fellowship: an international, independently organized group of people who have a common interest. With more than 100 fellowships to choose from, you have many ways to connect with new friends outside your club, expand your international network, and find out how your hobby or profession is practiced around the world.

- Browse the [full list of Rotary Fellowships](#) to find one that fits your interests. Two added recently are the [Rotary Fellowship of Astrology](#) and the [Rotary Fellowship for Francophonie](#).
- Watch the video above to find out how being part of a fellowship can enhance your Rotary experience.
- [Learn more about fellowships](#) on our blog.

Rotary Night at the Dayton Dragons!

DAYTON



PROFESSIONAL BASEBALL TEAM

June is here and it's time to start planning to attend the Rotary District 6670 Night at the Dragons at Day Air Ballpark. If you have been to a Dragons' game before, you know how exciting they can be. If you have never attended a game, you will love the family-friendly atmosphere of the stadium, located in downtown Dayton.

We have reserved Saturday night, August 5, for our event and game time is 7:05 PM. Tickets will be just \$14 and \$7 from every ticket will be donated to the End Polio Now fund at The Rotary Foundation. You can use this link to purchase tickets: <https://fevogn.com/> RotarySWOhio23 and pay for your tickets by credit card. Dragons' tickets are virtual and tickets can be put right on your phone OR, for only \$2, you can have all the tickets printed and mailed. See the attached flyer for more information. Order now for the best seats.

Frank, Doug, Dottie, Heidi and I are all looking forward to seeing you at the game on August 5. We will get a scoreboard mention during the game and have hundreds of cheering Rotarians in the stands. Feel free to bring friends and family. The more the merrier.

Play Ball!

DG Frank Scott
DGE Doug Buchy
DGN Dottie Meade
DGND Heidi Schiller
PDG Eric Marcus

Kettering Raises \$79,000 for Brigid's Path

The Kettering Rotary Club is delighted to announce that its annual event, "The Mayor's Party with a Purpose," surpassed all expectations by breaking attendance and fundraising

records. The community-driven event, held on May 13, 2023, raised an astounding \$79,000.00 in support of Brigid's Path, a local non-profit organization.

Brigid's Path, the beneficiary of this year's event, is a remarkable organization dedicated to helping newborns suffering from

prenatal drug exposure and their families. They provide specialized medical care, addiction treatment referrals, and support services to ensure the well-being and healthy development of these vulnerable infants.

The \$79,000.00 raised at "The Mayor's Party with a Purpose" will greatly contribute to the ongoing efforts of Brigid's Path. These funds will support critical programs, provide essential resources, and help expand their reach to touch the lives of even more children and families in need.



"Feel the Beat" Rotary Zones 30 and 31 2023 Institute

Director-Elect Beth Stubbs invites you to *Feel the Beat* in the Heart of America at the 2023 Zones 30 & 31 Institute in Memphis, TN from September 21-24, 2023.

Listen to a personal invitation from past RI President, and Rotary Foundation Trustee Chair 2023-2024 Barry Rassin [HERE](#)

This is open to all members of Rotary with special training for our incoming District Leaders. Please share this with your current, past and future leaders in your clubs and district.



[REGISTER NOW](#)

Governor line learning takes place September 19 - 21, 2023
 Learning Opportunities for District Chairs September 21
 Emerging Rotary Leaders Training on September 22
 The Institute dates are September 21 - September 24, 2023

What You'll Experience

Get ready for a Rotary Reunion with current and future district and club leaders from 13 States and 31 Districts!

The format for this Institute will be interactive engagement – meaningful conversations and ideas to take back to your clubs and districts as **People of Action**.

Get inspired to action with topics by the top leaders in Rotary including:

- Rotary International President 2023-24, Gordon McNally
- Rotary Foundation Trustee Chair 2023-24, Barry Rassin, will provide an update on our Fight to End Polio and Peace Initiatives.
- Learn how to build winning teams quickly from NCAA legends through the Transfer Portal
- Bring your favorite sports jersey for our Tailgate Party
- Learn more about the launch of our Zones 30 & 31 co-mentoring program
- Hear from District leaders from the front lines on how to be best prepared for a disaster in your area
- Hear from Dr. Geetha Jayaram, founder of the Mental Health Rotary Action Group, on how to approach difficult conversations and issues that affect us all
- Experience true inspiration from Rudy Ruettiger on how to overcome adversity and achieve goals no one believed could be done.
- Enjoy focused, smaller group conversations on topics of interest in ***The Zone***
- Connect with others in fellowship and service in ***The HUB***

Watch your email for announcements about more excitement as we continue to build towards an unforgettable experience you won't want to miss!

Feel The Beat in the heart and soul of Memphis. Our venue is located right on the Mississippi River and a short trolley ride to many sites and sounds. Come a day early, or stay a day late and see all Memphis has to offer. From music, to history to award-winning food, you'll want to experience it all.

Additional Institute details, including a schedule, registration link, and hotel information are available on-line. [rizoness30-31.org/institute/2023-memphis/](https://www.rotary.org/usa/rotary-international/rotary-zone-30-31-2023-2024)

We look forward to seeing you in Memphis!

Jill Pietrusinski

Feel the Beat Institute Chair

Beth Stubbs

Rotary International Director, 2023-2025