



# The See-Way

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## Richard E. Buys, Lt. Col. USAF(Ret.)

*World War One... Maritime History  
and Its Connection to Erie*



Colonel Buys has a BA degree in Geography from the University of Minnesota; an MS degree in International Relations from Troy State University, Alabama. He completed the NATO Defense College in-residence course in Rome.

He has traveled in, lived in or worked in Japan, Taiwan, Vietnam, Laos, India, Iran, Nepal, Korea, Pakistan, Thailand, Afghanistan, Bahrain, Saudi Arabia and 16 NATO countries. He served twenty-eight years in the US Air Force; first as a transport and reconnaissance pilot, then as a NATO defense planner. Later he contracted as an advisor to the Royal Saudi Air Force and was the Boeing technical writer for US Airways.

He recently served as a Senior Advisory Officer at the Brussels-based European Centre for Defense, Security and Environment and in 2010 opened and moderated a panel discussion on "Eco-Security" at the European Parliament. In 2011 he made the key-note speech for a European Defense Agency symposium held in Budapest. He has been a guest lecturer at the European School of Communications (ESC) in Brussels, has presented at Gannon University, the Jefferson Educational Society and at the Corvallis, Oregon Rotary Club.

## Supporting Cast:

Presiding: Laurie Root

Greeter: Betsy Monsalve

Invocation: Claudine Thiem

Pianist: Bruce Gingrich

Song Leader: Michael Malthaner

Sgt at Arms: Brenda Bennett

Speaker Intro: Mary Ellen  
Dahlkemper

## Program Schedule

BREAKFAST MEETING

in the Conference Center at the  
Manufacturer & Business Association  
Buffet opens at 7:30AM - Meeting starts at 8AM

### OCTOBER 12:

**John Buchna**

*Downtown Master Plan*

\*12pm lunch meeting  
@ the Bayfront Conv. Ctr.

### OCTOBER 19:

**Dr. Jay Badams, Superintendent**  
*Erie School District:  
Community Schools Initiative*

### OCTOBER 26:

**Jeff Simmons & Beth Marshall**  
*Rotary Youth Exchange Program*



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LOCAL WEBSITE: [ERIEROTARY.ORG](http://ERIEROTARY.ORG)

DISTRICT SITE: [ROTARYDISTRICT7280.ORG](http://ROTARYDISTRICT7280.ORG)



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## Reminder:

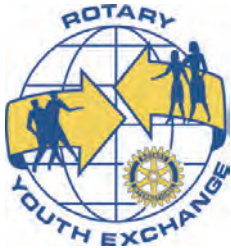
The October 12th meeting will be a luncheon meeting but held at the Bayfront Convention Center (not the Sheraton).

# CONGRATULATIONS ALLISON & BRIAN GORMAN!

Announcing the newest addition  
to the Gorman Family-

## Charles "Charlie" Forster Gorman

Born at 3:28 a.m. on September 24th



## 2017-2018 ROTARY YOUTH EXCHANGE SCHOOL YEAR PROGRAM

MORE INFO  
ATTACHED  
TO THIS WEEK'S  
EMAIL

I'm writing to follow up on the email I recently sent regarding the Rotary Youth Exchange School Year program, an opportunity for students from our area to live and study in another country during a school year. We are currently taking applications for the 2017-18 School Year. District interviews will take place on November 5.

Attached are some documents to help your club and you promote the program in your area:

- A general flyer about the Rotary Youth Exchange program—with District 7280 Youth Exchange Committee Contact Information.
- Rotary International brochure about Youth Exchange.
- A press release you could send to the local media in your area. Feel free to put your club's contact information on this.
- Preliminary Application for any students who would like to apply to participate.

Please let me know if you have any questions. Thank you for your help!

Yours in Rotary,

Jeff Simmons, Member and Youth Exchange Officer, Rotary Club of Zelenople · E: [jsimmons@tribweb.com](mailto:jsimmons@tribweb.com)





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 "21% OF THE WORLD'S FRESH WATER RESIDES IN THE GREAT LAKES"

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 ROTARY CLUB OF TOLEDO  
 DISTRICT 6600

## THE ROTARY LAKE ERIE WATERSHED CONFERENCE

Hosted by: Rotary Club of Toledo

October 28, 2016 / 8am - 5pm

Seagate Centre, Toledo OH

U.S. and Canadian Rotarians will join together for discussion and development of innovative ideas and solutions that will be shared worldwide toward Rotary's priority for clean water.

Join other leaders to leverage the power of Rotary to exchange ideas and collaborate for results.

For more information: [lakeeriewaterconference.org](http://lakeeriewaterconference.org)

OCTOBER 28<sup>TH</sup>, 2016  
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## COMING TO ERIE!

*National Junior Horticultural Association...  
 and they are looking for VOLUNTEERS!*

**WHEN: Saturday, October 8, 2016**

**WHERE: Ambassador Center**

**WHAT: 10-15 volunteers to help in the morning or afternoon  
 Lunch provided!**



The National Junior Horticultural Association (NJHA) holds an annual convention at a different host city each year. This year they selected Erie! Young people, ages 15-22, attend to learn about horticulture, including commercial, through national contests, educational tours, presentations, displays and other fun activities.

They have contacted our Rotary Club seeking volunteers for Saturday to help with judging talks/demonstrations or with scoring contest forms (primarily true/false type questions). Lunch will be provided and you can choose either a morning or afternoon volunteer slot.

If you have a green thumb, please consider volunteering! (*And, green thumb is optional.*)

For more information on the NJHA and this year's convention, go to: <http://njha.org/2016-convention-erie-pa/>

To volunteer, please contact: Ted Beebe, *Convention Planning Director, NJHA*  
 tel: 518.588.7140 -or- email: [tbeebe02@nycap.rr.com](mailto:tbeebe02@nycap.rr.com)

# - OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES -

## Member Birthdays

Name	Date
Bula, Mary	Oct 03
Loop, Greg	Oct 03
Giblin, Tom	Oct 04
Lyons, Thomas E.	Oct 05
Louis, Mark B.	Oct 11
Bennett, Brenda	Oct 13
Titzel, Melanie	Oct 14
Roth, Michael	Oct 15
Koble, Nathan	Oct 17
Stevenson, Linda	Oct 17



## Date Joined Rotary

Name	Years	Date
Witherspoon, Spoon	36 years	Oct 01 1980
Zurn, Roger W	21 years	Oct 04 1995
Thiem, Claudine	1 Year	Oct 07 2015
Black, III, Samuel	20 years	Oct 09 1996
Graff, Lisa	4 years	Oct 10 2012
Allshouse, Robert H.	21 years	Oct 11 1995
Barber-Carey, Maureen	6 years	Oct 13 2010
Daneri, Jack	6 years	Oct 13 2010
Gamble, Thomas	12 years	Oct 13 2004
Hynes, Jim	2 years	Oct 15 2014
Rouch, Jake	22 years	Oct 15 1994
Watkins, Lisa	14 years	Oct 16 2002
Gorman, Brian	6 years	Oct 20 2010
Louis, Mark B.	17 years	Oct 20 1999
Moffatt-Link, Ann B.	19 years	Oct 22 1997
Stark, Norman H.	27 years	Oct 25 1989
Reitzell, Nicole	1 Year	Oct 28 2015
Tyler, Karen	1 Year	Oct 28 2015





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*Happy Hour at  
 Pineapple Eddie!*

**We miss seeing you at the meetings,  
 Dick Deluca, and we are all thinking of you!!!**

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY** *to you!*

We want to send birthday wishes to  
**Mary Bula & Greg Loop** on October 3rd,  
**Tom Giblin** on October 4th,  
 and  
**Thomas Lyons** on October 5th

*Enjoy your day!*

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 am 1450  
 fm 107.1

KEEP UPDATED & STAY TUNED!

The station (am 1450/fm 107.1) broadcasts our weekly speaker's presentation on Friday at 12:30 pm and on Saturday at 10:06 am.

***Do you want to bring a guest to the Rotary meeting?***  
**Contact Gary Flick the Monday before for ample seating**  
**814.454.3737**

