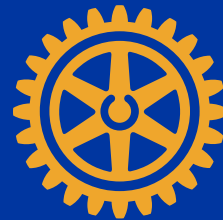


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Brian Polito

Erie City School Superintendent



Brian Polito is the Superintendent of Erie's Public Schools. He is a certified public accountant with over 16 years of administrative experience in public education. Brian has also served as Assistant Superintendent and Business Manager for North East School District and Business Manager for General McLane School District. He started his career in public accounting working for

Schneider Downs and Buseck, Barger, Bleil & Company.

Brian earned a bachelor's degree in accounting from Penn State Behrend and a master's degree in organizational leadership from Mercyhurst University. He currently lives in Venango Township with his wife Beth and their son Alex.

Supporting Cast:

President: Laurie Root

Greeter: TBA

Invocation: Lisa Graff

Pianist: Bruce Gingrich

Song Leader: Michael Malthaner

Sgt at Arms: James Hynes

Speaker Intro: TBA

Program Schedule

12:00pm Lunch Meeting

at the Sheraton Erie Bayfront Hotel, 2nd Floor.
Parking is FREE in the parking garage!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY to you!

We want to send birthday wishes to
Norm Stark
on July 11th

We hope you enjoy your day!

JULY 12:

Brian Polito

Erie City Schools
Superintendent

Lunch Meeting at the Sheraton

JULY 19:

Michael Bachelor

Erie Community Foundation
Lunch Meeting at the Sheraton

JULY 26:

Amanda Sissem

Erie Arts & Culture
Lunch Meeting at the Sheraton



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Changing of the Guard

June 28, 2017

Congratulations to the new Leadership Team!



Dennis Lagan, Norm Stark, Linda Breakiron



President Dennis Lagan



2017-2018 Rotary Committee



Curtze Diamond

The Presiding President Curtze diamond jewelry emblem/charm is 14kt yellow gold with blue enameled highlighting the Rotary International Logo on the front and hand engraved with EH CURTZE To Presiding Presidents 6-24-31. There is a 1/5ct European Cut diamond bezel set in the center of the diamond. This emblem is held on a yellow gold filled tie chain.

Can you guess the value of the Curtze Diamond?





Rotary Club Activity Video featuring Sharad Nyachhyon President of the Rotary club in Chitwan, Nepal

Clarke Kuebler was contacted by Sharad Nyachhyon, President of the Rotary club in Chitwan, Nepal. He was in Atlanta for the International Rotary Convention and is visiting his daughter in Erie before returning to Nepal.

He was going to attend our club meeting on July 12th but could not fit it into his schedule so he sent Clarke the attached video. Click the link below:

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/0BxnIAEcBieN5TWVkJTXpZelZnNEU/view?usp=sharing>



Congratulations! *Danielle Poole, MU Hall of Fame*



In 2000, Rotarians Mary Ellen Dahlkemper and Brady Louis initiated a process with Rotary International to establish a Rotaract Club at then- Mercyhurst College.

Among the founding members of this fledgling group was Danielle Poole, a sophomore biology major and an outstanding Laker athlete. Besides being an honor student, Danielle captained both the field hockey and lacrosse teams earning first team All America status for lacrosse and academic All-America honors in both sports. As a Rotaract leader and officer Danielle chaired a 5K Walk/Run to raise funds to support Rotary's Polio Plus campaign.

Upon graduating, Danielle was accepted into The Ohio State University's renowned College of Optometry and then earned her OD degree from the Illinois College of Optometry. Now Dr. Danielle Poole Piser, she resides in Chicago with her husband Adam Piser and their daughter Charlie and son Jackson.

As a result of her academic and athletic accomplishments, Danielle was recently inducted in Mercyhurst University's Athletic Hall of Fame.

Congratulations, Danielle!

(Shown attending the MU Hall of Fame dinner were Renee and Brady Louis and Danielle)



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- JULY BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES -

Member Birthdays

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Stark, Norman H.	Jul 11
Furman, Timothy	Jul 14
Kern, Sr., Bruce	Jul 15
Peters II, Bob	Jul 16
Saunders, Robert L	Jul 16
McBrier, James P.	Jul 19
Tofel, David	Jul 25



Date Joined Rotary

Name	Years	Date
Pytlarz, Terry	14 years 0 months	Jul 01 2003
Barber, Lori	7 years 0 months	Jul 07 2010
Furman, Timothy	20 years 0 months	Jul 23 1997
Doupe, David	43 years 0 months	Jul 24 1974
Keiper, Bradley	1 year 0 months	Jul 27 2016
Schneider, Jim	6 years 0 months	Jul 27 2011
Scott, Chris	7 years 0 months	Jul 28 2010
Garvey, William	37 years 0 months	Jul 30 1980
Messina, Albert P	26 years 0 months	Jul 31 1991

