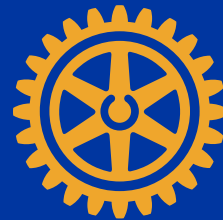


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Lee Penman *Innovatel*



Lee Penman, Founding Partner and Vice President of Clinical Operations, InnovaTel, Telepsychiatry: Lee Penman is one of the founding partners of InnovaTel, Telepsychiatry. She previously served in a variety of psychiatric nursing and healthcare administrative roles. She was one of the original administrators of Safe Harbor Behavioral Health, a community mental health center in northwest Pennsylvania. In that position she managed the operations of a clinic serving over 7,000 active clients and played an active role in

the implementation of a telepsychiatry program.

Recognizing the shortage of quality psychiatric care nationwide and the role of innovative technology, she and the other founding partners established InnovaTel, Telepsychiatry in 2014. Their mission is to provide access to quality psychiatric care in underserved areas. In 2016, InnovaTel was named a Strategic Partner by the National Council for Behavioral Health for telepsychiatry. Most recently, Patrick J. Kennedy, former Congressman (D-RI), has accepted the position as Vice Chairman of InnovaTel's Strategic Advisory Board.

Jonathan Evans | President & CEO *Innovatel*

Jonathan has been employed in the behavioral healthcare field for over 30 years. His career began at Hamot Institute for Behavioral.

Jonathan left Hamot IBH in 1993 to become the founding President and CEO of Safe Harbor Behavioral Health. Safe Harbor initiated and implemented a full time Tele-Psychiatry program successfully enhancing access to care in the outpatient clinic. Safe Harbor currently provides outpatient services to approximately 7000 part-time staff.

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Supporting Cast:

President: *Dennis Lagan*

Greeter: *Laurie Root*

Invocation: *Bob Stout*

Pianist: *Bruce Gingrich*

Song Leader: *Brady Louis*

Sgt at Arms: *James Hynes*

Speaker Intro: *Lisa Watkins*

Program Schedule:

**12:00 p.m. Lunch Meeting
at the Sheraton Bayfront
Free Parking in the Garage!**

NOVEMBER 22:

NO MEETING

Happy Thanksgiving!

NOVEMBER 29:

Carolyn Taylor

Dyslexia

Noon Lunch Meeting @ The Sheraton

DECEMBER 6:

Lyell Cook

County Coroner

Noon Lunch Meeting @ The Sheraton



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Jonathan Evans | President & CEO *Innovatel*

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individuals and employs over 250 full and part-time staff.

Jonathan initiated a telepsychiatry program at Safe Harbor Behavioral Health. As a result of the successful implementation and patient outcomes, Jonathan founded InnovaTel Telepsychiatry providing telepsychiatric coverage in multiple states in partnership with community provider organizations.

In addition, Jonathan serves on many Boards including:

- Past President, The Pennsylvania Community Providers Association
- Advisory Board of Directors, Open Minds Inc., a nationally based behavioral health consulting firm.
- Health Care Advisory Board, Congressman William Kelly

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Rotarian's will be ringing the bell for the
Salvation Army:

Wednesday, December 6
9:30 am to 8:00 pm

We need 20 bell ringers!
One hour shifts and we will be at
Boscov's this year.

Please sign up at the meetings
-or contact -

Brenda Bennett:

bbennett@drivingneeds.com -or -

Beth Zimmer: zimmer12@gmail.com
to register.

CONGRATULATIONS to RICK LIEBEL!

on the new job position with the

Erie Arts & Culture

as their **Director of Development and Marketing**





A friendly reminder to please donate towards the
2018 Rotary Club Ethics Symposium!

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Please help support an extremely important
 Rotary project by printing out your form and sending in the donation!

Thanks Emily, for such an inspirational meeting!
Nov. 8, 2017



Emily Mellish

2017/2018 Shriners Hospitals
 National Patient Ambassador



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Beads 4 Needs ~ Emily
 Follow Emily for many personal
 inspirational messages!



HAPPY BIRTHDAY to you!

We want to send birthday wishes to

Ed Curtin

on November 16th!

We hope you enjoy your day!



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You're Invited!

Rotary Club of Erie

Holiday Party

Wednesday, December 13, 2017

at the Conference Center

at the Manufacturer & Business Association

2171 West 38th Street | Pittsburgh Avenue

Erie, PA 16508

Reception

5:30 pm - 6:30 pm

Dinner

6:30 pm - 8:00 pm

RSVP by Dec.8th

Norm Zymm: nzymm@mbausa.org

Members are Free · Guests \$30