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District 7280

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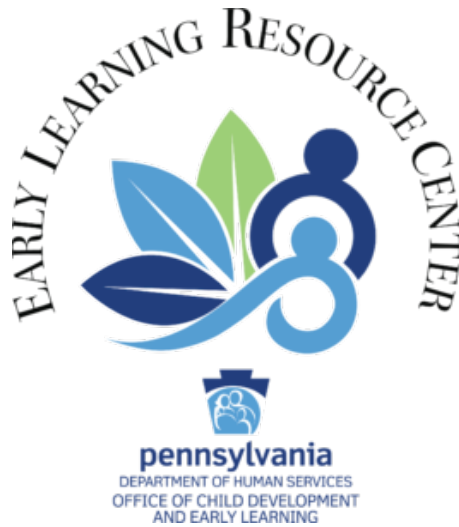
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## Elana Como

*Executive Director*

*Early Learning Resource Center*



Elana has over 25 years of experience in the early childhood profession including experience as a Pre-K teacher, Director of an Early Learning Center and as a, Certified Instructor and Consultant. She has provided early learning professional development instruction on the local, regional, national, and international level, as well as been a mentor and coach to early learning programs as a Technical Assistance specialist. She has been employed with the Northwest Institute of Research for eleven years and has held positions supporting PA's Quality Rating Improvement System for early care and education. She has served as a Family Child Care Specialist, STARS Supervisor, and Designator. Elana is the primary liaison to the Office of Child Development and Early Learning (OCDEL) for Northwest PA QRIS activities including policy development, reports, budgets, and project control. She is responsible for the management, implementation, and integration of all Early Learning Resource activities including global oversight in the fourteen counties for all performance standards relevant to regional communication, collaboration, and coordination.

### Supporting Cast:

President: *Lisa Graff*

Greeter: *Jim Hynes*

Invocation: *Linda Wilkinson*

Pianist: *Bruce Gingrich*

Song Leader: *Allison Keenan*

Sgt at Arms: *Zac Wild*

Speaker Intro: *Joyce Miller*

### PROGRAM SCHEDULE:

**Lunch Meeting at the**

**SHERATON BAYFRONT HOTEL**

**11:30 am - Buffet Opens**

**Noon - Meeting**

**NOV 14:**

**Rebecca A. Styn**

Idea Fund Erie

*Lunch Meeting @ Sheraton*

**NOV 21:**

**Thanksgiving Holiday**

No Meeting

*Happy Thanksgiving!*

**NOV 28:**

**Diane Chido**

President of DC Analytics

*Lunch Meeting @ Sheraton*



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



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# Rotary of Erie Service Opportunity!

With



## On November 10<sup>th</sup>

ServErie Saturdays occur a few times per year and focus on improvement projects for local Erie organizations. ServErie gathers and assigns volunteers to make big impacts on these organizations that are vital to helping our Erie community thrive.

ServErie makes volunteering easy by 1) providing childcare for ages 7 and under, and 2) setting up carpooling to and from project sites. Volunteers will gather at the launch-site of choice and disperse to their pre-assigned location. This November, we will be serving organizations in the center of Erie County.

- Location: McLane Church Erie, 2319 W 38th St, Erie, PA 16506
- Time: 8a-1230p,
- Details: childcare and transportation provided,
- Date: November 10th

Please reach out to Nathan Burtt at [nate.burtt@hubinternational.com](mailto:nate.burtt@hubinternational.com) for more details and watch for sign-up sheets at the next Rotary luncheons! An attempt will be made to keep Erie Rotarians in the same group for this Saturday.



# Welcome NEW MEMBER!

**NANCY DOLAN**  
*New Member*

**Brenda Bennett**  
*Sponsor*

**Korin Giles**  
*Red Ribbon Mentor*



Nancy Dolan and her husband TJ co-own PostNet, your neighborhood Business Center. This month marks their 7th anniversary of business.

Nancy was born and raised in Erie. Upon graduating from McDowell High School; she went on to get her BFA and Masters in Art from Rochester Institute of Technology.

She is the mother of two; Jared, Age 19 and Elana, Age 13. Nancy has served on the Board of Erie Homes for Children & Adults. She is currently on the Board of the Epilepsy Project and the Erie Zoo.



# - NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES -

Name	Date
Hattjar, Bernadette	Nov 05
Herbert, Joseph	Nov 07
Tupitza, Tom	Nov 07
Barber, Lori	Nov 08
Barrett, Michael M.	Nov 09
Curtin, Ed	Nov 16
Kaliszewski, Susan	Nov 19
Swanson, Brett	Nov 20
Witherspoon, Melvin	Nov 24
Kenny, Jeffery	Nov 25



## Date Joined Rotary

Name	Years	Date
Allshouse, Robert H.	23 years 0 months	Nov 01 1995
Lo Presti, Sergio	2 years 0 months	Nov 09 2016
Grab, David	9 years 0 months	Nov 11 2009
Stockard, John	15 years 0 months	Nov 12 2003
Herbert, Joseph	12 years 0 months	Nov 15 2006
McCracken, Phyllis	17 years 0 months	Nov 21 2001
Murphy, David J	39 years 0 months	Nov 21 1979



We want to send lots of birthday wishes to

**Bernadette Hattjar - Nov 5**

**Joe Herbert - Nov 7**

**Tom Tupitza - Nov 7**

**Lori Barber - Nov 8**

*Enjoy your day!*



# Make a Contribution to the Rotary Foundation

Please see the attached contribution form to this week's newsletter and also on page 3 of this newsletter.

Our Club Number is 5136 and our District number is 7280. Each Rotarian has their own Rotary number which can be found on the Cover of their Rotarian Magazine. If you are unable to find it, Gary Flick can provide it or put it on the form before he emails it with their check -or - credit card information. You will have to designate your contribution and we encourage you to donate for Polio Plus.

Please fill out and print form along with your contribution to be sent to Gary Flick.

## - Create a "My Rotary" Account -

*How to Create a "My Rotary" account on the Rotary International website*

- Go to the RI website, [www.rotary.org](http://www.rotary.org)
- Click My Rotary at the top, just right of the middle of the home page.
- Click the box that says REGISTER FOR AN ACCOUNT and follow the prompts.
- You will need your ID# which is printed above your name on your Rotarian magazine mailing label. Also, Gary Flick can provide the number.
- Please set up the account to assist RI and to learn more about People of Action.



**Currently, 22% of our membership has a "My Rotary" account. Our goal is 70%. Help us reach this goal by setting up your account - it's easy, free and will open the door to amazing information from Rotary International! If you have questions please ask President Lisa Graff.**



# THE ROTARY FOUNDATION CONTRIBUTION FORM

Contributions can also be made at [www.rotary.org/give](http://www.rotary.org/give).

## 1. DONOR OF CONTRIBUTION

Type of Donor (Check one):  Individual  Rotary club  Rotaract/Interact club  District  Business  
 Charitable organization/Foundation  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Donor ID: \_\_\_\_\_

Club Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Club No: \_\_\_\_\_ District No: \_\_\_\_\_

Billing Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State/Province: \_\_\_\_\_

Country: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

## 2. DESIGNATION/PURPOSE (Check one):

NOTE: Changes to designation can only be requested within 90 days of gift receipt date within current Rotary year.

Annual Fund — SHARE

Endowment Fund — World Fund

Endowment Fund — Rotary Peace Centers

PolioPlus Fund

Endowment Fund — SHARE

Other \_\_\_\_\_

Approved Foundation grant \_\_\_\_\_ (number mandatory)

## 3. CONTRIBUTION DETAILS

Amount of contribution \_\_\_\_\_ Currency \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Payment: (Check one). For security purposes, please do not send credit card contributions via email.

Credit card:  Visa  MasterCard  Diners Club  JCB  American Express

Make this a recurring contribution:  Monthly  Quarterly  Annually (Select month) \_\_\_\_\_

Card Number

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Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_ CVN\*: \_\_\_\_\_

Name as it appears on credit card: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Check — Payable to "The Rotary Foundation." Check number \_\_\_\_\_

Wire transfer Date initiated \_\_\_\_\_ (Please send completed contribution form as soon as possible after initiating a wire transfer.)

\*The card verification number, or CVN, is a three-digit number that appears on the back of your credit or debit card; for AMEX, it is a four-digit number on the front of the card. It typically appears following the digits of your credit card number.

## 4. SHIPPING INFORMATION — Recognition materials only

If recognition materials from this contribution are requested for individual(s) other than donor, please complete the Paul Harris Fellow Recognition Transfer Request Form.

Presentation Date: \_\_\_\_\_  Please do **not** send recognition  Please keep my gift anonymous

Send recognition to: (Check one; if left blank, recognition will be sent to club president)

Club President  Club Secretary  Club Treasurer  Club Foundation Chair  Other, record information below

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

City, State/Prov.: \_\_\_\_\_ Country, Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

## 5. INDIVIDUAL COMPLETING THIS FORM (if other than donor)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Daytime Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Please send your completed form with contribution only once.

**Mail:** The Rotary Foundation, 14280 Collections Center Drive, Chicago, IL 60693, USA (Canada: The Rotary Foundation (Canada) c/o 911600, PO Box 4090 STN A, Toronto, ON M5W 0E9, Canada). **Email:** [contact.center@rotary.org](mailto:contact.center@rotary.org). **Fax:** +1-847-328-5260. For more information, or to make a contribution by phone: 1-866-9ROTARY (1-866-976-8279). Or contact the Rotary International office that serves your area. The contribution amount may not include the value of any goods or services given to an individual donor in consideration for this contribution.

# - Rotary in Review - October 31, 2018 Meeting Gary Sullivan



*New Member Nancy Dolan from PostNet sponsored by Brenda Bennett*



*Penny Mechley-Porter reviewing the October edition of the Rotarian magazine*



*Gary Sullivan, speaker*



*Lisa Graff, our Speaker - Gary Sullivan, and Zac Wild - Sgt at Arms  
Mercyhurst University alumni*

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