

Kathy Dahlkemper County Executive



Kathy Dahlkemper took office as Erie County Executive on January 7, 2014. After being re-elected in November 2017, she was sworn in to her second four-year term on January 2, 2018.

Dahlkemper was elected on a platform to create a more efficient, effective and transparent county government. She continues to work to streamline county operations; to improve collaboration, both within county departments and among community organizations; and to help build a more vibrant Erie County for all residents.

Dahlkemper previously represented Pennsylvania's 3rd Congressional District in the U.S. House of Representatives, serving from 2009 to 2011. She was the first woman elected from the district to this position. During her tenure in Congress, she authored the Young Invincibles legislation, which allows young adults to remain on their parents' health insurance up to age 26 under the Affordable Care Act.

Born and raised in Erie, Dahlkemper earned a bachelor's degree in dietetics from Edinboro University of Pennsylvania, and worked as a clinical dietitian and later in human resources. In 1998, she and her husband co-founded the nonprofit Lake Erie Arboretum at Frontier Park (L.E.A.F.). Under Dahlkemper's 10-year leadership as executive director, L.E.A.F. raised more than \$2 million for improvements to Frontier Park, creating a multi-use urban park that has become a community hub in Erie.

On a national level, Dahlkemper serves on the National Association of Counties-National League of Cities taskforce on the opioid epidemic, the only representative from Pennsylvania in the group. She also was appointed by Pennsylvania Gov. Tom Wolf to serve on the Great Lakes Commission, as well as on the state's Redistricting Reform Commission and Local Government Advisory Committee. She serves as second vice president for the County Executives of America and on the boards of the National Ocean Council's Governance Coordinating Committee and the Pennsylvania Center for Women and Politics.

Dahlkemper and her husband, Dan, have five children and eight grandchildren. They live in the city of Erie.

You can follow Kathy Dahlkemper on Twitter: @Kdahlkemper,
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Supporting Cast:

President: *Lisa Graff*

Greeter: *Dave Lastowski*

Invocation: *Nick Cianci*

Pianist: *Bruce Gingrich*

Song Leader: *Allison Keenan*

Sgt at Arms: *Zac Wild*

Speaker Intro: *Tom Pysz*

PROGRAM SCHEDULE:

**Lunch Meeting at the
BAYFRONT SHERATON**

11:30 am - Buffet Opens

12:00 pm - Meeting

JUNE 5:

Kathy Dahlkemper

County Executive

Lunch Meeting @ Sheraton

JUNE 12:

Linda Hackshaw

The Sight Center of NW

Lunch Meeting @ Sheraton

JUNE 19:

Rotary Club PICNIC

Shades Beach

7000 E Lake Rd

Erie, PA 16511



ROTARY DISTRICT NEWSLETTER

FROM THE DISTRICT GOVERNOR

June Issue
attached and now available!

Please take a few minutes to look through the most recent District newsletter - it has a lot of information.
Thank You!

To access the most recent issue of the District's newsletter, please go to:

www.RotaryDistrict7280.org

-ROTARY ANNUAL PICNIC-

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 19, 2019

AT SHADES BEACH PAVILION IN HARBORCREEK

7000 E Lake Road | Erie, Pennsylvania

-DETAILS-

Entrees and sides are catered - hot dogs, burgers, tossed salad, fresh fruit salad and baked beans. Pop, bottled water, and coffee provided.

Please bring a dessert to share!

You are welcome to BYOB as alcohol is permitted at the event.

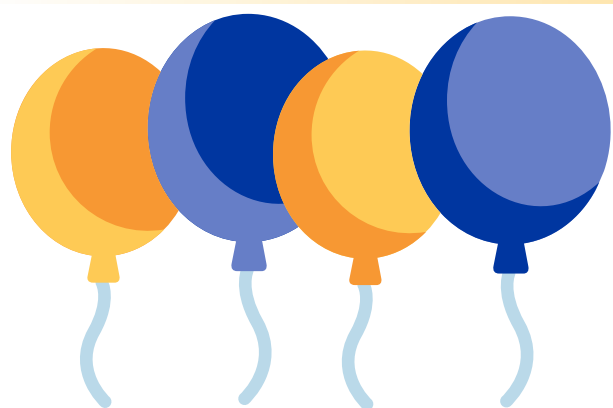
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Please bring an item to donate for the raffle. Bottles of wine, gift cards, plants, etc. as anything goes! To save time, we will draw and post the winners.

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QUESTIONS? CONTACT:

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We want to send lots of birthday wishes to...

Nicholas Scott, May 31

Enjoy your day!

