

CLUB INFORMATION

2018-2019 ROTARY INTERNATIONAL OFFICERS

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT
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2017-2018 ROTARY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

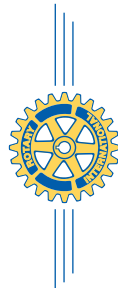
President Don Ruggery Jr.	Secretary RICHARD J. JOHNSTON
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	<u>CHAIR</u>	<u>CO-CHAIR</u>
CLUB SERVICE	Jodi Cessna	
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Meeting Times of Other Clubs

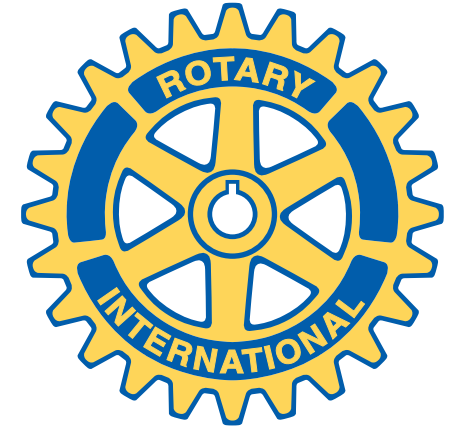
Altoona Sunrise, The Casino, Lakemont	Wednesday	7:15 AM
Bedford Sunrise, Clara's, Best Western	Monday	7:00 AM
Bedford, Carriage House Restaurant	Monday	6:15 PM
Claysburg, Peggy's Diner	Tuesday	6:00 PM
Clearfield, Clearfield Elks Club	Monday	6:00 PM
Hagerstown, MD , Fountain Head Country Club	Wednesday	12:00 PM
Harrisburg, Hilton Hotel at Tower	Monday	12:00 PM
Holidaysburg, The Casino at Lakemont Park	Tuesday	7:15 AM
Huntingdon, Huntingdon Country Club	Tuesday	12:00 PM
Indiana, Rustic Lodge, RT. 286 S.W.	Tuesday	5:30 PM
Johnstown, Sunnehanna Country Club, Westmont	Wednesday	12:10 PM
Lewistown, Birch Hill Supervisors Club	Tuesday	12:00 PM
Morrisons Cove, Jun - Aug Morrisons Cove Memorial Park		
Sept.- May Spring Cove School District Admin. Bldg.	Tuesday	7:00 AM
Pittsburgh, Omni William Penn Hotel	Wednesday	12:00 PM
State College, Downtown, Damon's Restaurant	Thursday	12:00 PM
State College, Nittany Lion Inn	Tuesday	5:30 PM
State College Sunrise, State College Hotel	Wednesday	7:15 AM
Tyrone, Bull Pen - Tyrone Shopping Center	Monday	5:45 PM
Summer meeting till August - Reservoir Park, Tyrone		



Data-Note
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ROTARY CLUB OF ALTOONA

DISTRICT 7360



CLUB NEWSLETTER
Meets Each Tuesday, 12:10 P.M.
The Calvin House



**RECOGNIZING OUR PAST
CELEBRATING OUR FUTURE** OUR 101st Year

**Program Chair: Joseph Fagnani
November Registration: Chris Michelone**

- The Four-Way Test
1. Is it the Truth?
2. Is it Fair to all concerned?
3. Will it build Good Will and Better Friendships?
4. Will it be Beneficial to all concerned?

ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM 10/30 & 11/06

Don Ruggery Jr., President

INVOCATION

- 11/13 Jason Ebersole
11/20 Kate Shaffer
11/27 Jodi Cessna
12/04 Tim O'Brian



SOUP KITCHEN

- 11/16 Chris Michelone and Marty Kooman
11/23 Closed
11/30 John Wolf and Celia Fagnani
12/07 Phil Dubrow and Fred Thursfiled

Make-ups

Soup Kitchen - 11/02 DiAndrea, Allison, M. Michelone

E club - 11/06 Savage 11/08 Cunigy

Soup Kitchen schedule is now on Rotary website
<http://rotaryofaltoona.org/Rotary%20Food%202016.pdf>

Announcements:
Grapes of Good Wine dinner held at Blairmont Country Club,
March 30, 2019 @ 6:00pm

Christmas Party November 29th to be held at the Calvin House.

Tom Smith is collecting items for Veterans at Veterans Home

Chris Michelone will be law partner effective January 2019 at
McQuaide, Blasko Law

Guest Speaker:

Steve Sheetz talked about Sheetz Corporation. They Now
Have 582 store and 18,500 employees. They are rated by Fortune
500 as "best place to work" being listed as number 66.

Plans for 2019 are to open an additional 21 new stores. Sheetz is a
privately owned corporation and look at ways to keep it that way by
adding the Sheetz Family Council. The council consists of family
members and interacts to keep structure as is.

Sheetz has a new central warehouse/office in Claysburg PA where it
employs 300. Also Little Sprouts facility is located there and can
provide up to 120 children for day care.

The Sheetz Corp is very community minded. To name a few they are
responsible for providing \$10,000 to take children Christmas shopping
annually, sending 60 families from Make a Wish Foundation on trips.
They also support Special Olympics and support over 100 local sports
teams.

Sheetz Fellowship Program at Penn State has also been established
where they prepare students for not only the business world but the
work force. Students do 85 hours of community service and there is
also a leadership program which mentors students. Seniors of the
class also work on a Legacy Program.

President Don welcomed us. Invocation by George Foster

JR DeAndrea shared the news. President Don shared highlights from this
date in history.

Chris Michelone introduced Rotarians with guests; Irv Seltzer with guest
Reynolds Baldwin, Tom Smith with guest Emily McDowell.

Don shared that our new Sister Paula soup kitchen schedule is on our website.
Please read Don's emails for information on our Grapes for Good,
Christmas Party information and the Christmas parade.

We recognized our Rotarians with birthdays during the month of November.

Program:

Tom Smith introduces our speaker, Emily McDowell
who is the Director of Volunteer Services at the Hollidaysburg
Veterans Home. Tom noted that in addition to our list of needed
items we can include long underwear for men and women,
calendars and wrist watches.

Emily shared that the home has 350 residents with 420 beds.
They offer a Skilled Nursing Facility, Personal
Care Facility and Domiciliary Care. The Home serves veterans
and their spouses. They are always seeking volunteers and
could use help in the canteen or getting residents to and from
activities. Donations of Walmart gift cards are helpful for
residents who otherwise could not afford a trip to Walmart to
get the items they need. For more information or to set up a
volunteer opportunity, call Emily at 696-5371
[https://www.dmva.pa.gov/stateveteranshomes/hollidaysburg-
veterans-home/Pages/default.aspx](https://www.dmva.pa.gov/stateveteranshomes/hollidaysburg-veterans-home/Pages/default.aspx)

October 30 2018

Baumgartner, Beyer II, Bilger, Britz, Carey, Clouse, Collins,
Corso, Degol, DeLongis, Durbin, Eagler, Fiore D., Forney,
Foster, Frederick, Fruth, Gardner, Gentesch, Green, Hann,
Hurd, Hymes, Kech, Mannion, Margroum, Michelone C.,
Miles, Morder, Mullen, Naugle, Okonak A., Okonak R.,
Rudel, Savage, Seasoltz, Seelye, Seltzer S., Shellenberger,
Shreve, Spallone, Stevens III, Wolf

November 06 2018

Baumgartner, Beyer II, Bilger, Britz, Carey, Clouse, Collins,
Conigy, Cooney, Corso, Degol, Durbin, Ebersole, Fiore D.,
Foreman, Gardner, Gentesch, Hite, Homan, Hymes, Johnston,
Kech, Margroum, McAleer, Miles, Naugle, Newborn,
O'Brian, Okonak A., Okonak R., Parnell, Ritechey, Rudel,
Savage, Seelye, Seltzer S., Shreve, Smith S., Spallone,
Stevens III