

CLUB INFORMATION

2018-2019 ROTARY INTERNATIONAL OFFICERS

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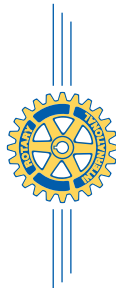
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Meeting Times of Other Clubs

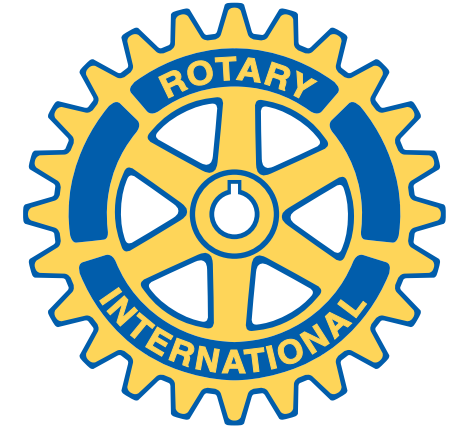
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| Altoona Sunrise, The Casino, Lakemont | Wednesday | 7:15 AM |
| Bedford Sunrise, Clara's, Best Western | Monday | 7:00 AM |
| Bedford, Carriage House Restaurant | Monday | 6:15 PM |
| Claysburg, Peggy's Diner | Tuesday | 6:00 PM |
| Clearfield, Clearfield 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 |
| Lewisstown, 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 | | |



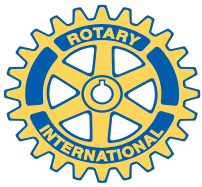
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ROTARY CLUB OF ALTOONA

DISTRICT 7360



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



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

No. 600, December 07, 2018
Program Chair: Joseph Fagnani
December Registration: Jodi Cessna

- 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 11/27 & 12/04

Don Ruggery Jr., President

The parade was a success! Thanks to all the participants as well as Carol for driving and Jodi for Pulling it all together.

December 11th is our Christmas party. We have a good number of Rotarians, Kiwanians and children signed up

Today was birthday recognition and we celebrated four Rotarians celebrating this month.

Tim Balconi invited us to the UPMC lobby next Tuesday, 12/11 at 10am for the unveiling of the 50 years of history wall.

Program: Ginger Slack presented on the progress, and the happenings at the Bedford County location of the Southern Allghenies Museum of Art since its opening seven months ago. The Bedford SAMA location is within the historic Anderson House in downtown Bedford. Ginger culminated her talk with presenting the plans for their annual fundraiser, called the Crystal Soire, at the Omni Bedford Spings at the end of January 2019. Fellow Rotarian Marty Kooman's son Michael, is to be the guest composer at the event.

November 27 2018

Allison, Baumgartner, Benjamin, Betar, Beyer II, Bilger, Black, Britz, Carey, Clouse, Collins, Conigy, Corso, Degol, Durbin, Eagler, Fiore D., Frederick, Gardner, Gentesch, Hart, Hite, Homan, Hymes, Johnston, Kech, Magnetti, Mannion, Margroum, McAleer, Miles, Naugle, O'Brien, Okonak A., Okonak R., Ritchey, Savage, Seasoltz, Seelye, Seltzer A., Sheetz, Shellenberger, Shreve, Smith S., Spallone, Stevens III, Wolf D., Wolf J.

December 4 2018

Baker, Benjamin, Beyer II, Bilger, Britz, Carey, Clouse, Collins, Cooney, Corso, Degol, DiAndrea, Durbin, Ebersole, Fiore D., Foreman, Forney, Fruth, Gardner, Gentesch, Hart, Hite, Homan, Hurd, Hymes, Kech, Kooman, Margroum, Miles, Naugle, Newborn, Okonak A., Okonak R., Parnell, Seasoltz, Seelye, Seltzer S., Shreve, Smith S., Spallone

Announcements, Reminders and Good News

The Calvin House is closing at the end of the year. Our meetings in January will be at the Blair County Convention Center.

Grapes for Good continues to seek sponsors.

December 11th is our Christmas party. The Christmas Parade is this Thursday and we are seeking participants.

Program:

Rex Kaup introduced our guest, Jeff Long owner of the Greystone corp. and developer of the Grande Palazzo. Jeff is a farm boy, 1 of 8 children from the family in Sinking Valley. He began his career building and flipping homes with Adams Construction. Jeff shared details of the Grande Palazzo. Phase 1 is slated to open in 1.5 years. This is Jeff's 14th building. Phase II is the old Red Brick portion of the Mercy Hospital. The chapel will be restored. Phase I contains 105 apartments, 1-2 bedroom units approx. 1700 sq ft. The new facility will house a drug store, the colosseum spa, coffee shop, restaurant, doctor's offices and a swimming pool/fitness center.

Mandy Michelone introduced President Don's guest- Jackie Slovensky. Jackie is applying for membership as of today.

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The Calvin House is closing at the end of the year. Our meetings in January will be at the Blair County Convention Center. Our last meeting at the Calvin House will be 12/18. We would like assistance after that meeting gathering our belongings and packing them into trailers supplied by Don and Doug. There will be no meetings on 12/25 or 1/1. Our first meeting at the convention center will be 1/8.

Update on Irv Seltzer; Irv is currently at the Allegheny Lutheran Home. Cards to his home address are Welcomed.

INVOCATION

- 01/08 No Meeting
- 01/08 George Foster
- 01/15 John Forney
- 01/22 Jason Ebersole



SOUP KITCHEN

12/28 Soup Kitchen Closed

Make-ups

- Soup Kitchen - 11/30 Kech, T. Smith, C. Fagnani
- 12/7 Dubrow, Kech, Thursfield
- Sunrise - 11/28 Cessna
- Christmas Parade Volunteers - Frederick, Cessna, Baker, McAleer, Mannion, Ruggery, Balconi, C Michelone, M. Michelone, Naugle

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

President Don shared highlights from this date in history.

Mandy Michelone introduced our visiting Rotarians and Guests; Bev Gusler- Morrison Cove Rotary. Marti Kooman- his wife Barbara, Rex Kaup- Anita Snyder- Greystone Controller and Office Manager, Emily Long, Jeff's daughter. President Don's guest- Jackie Slovensky