

CLUB INFORMATION

2019-2020 ROTARY INTERNATIONAL OFFICERS

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT

DISTRICT GOVERNOR

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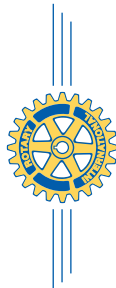
2019-2020 ROTARY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

President Phil Dubrow	Secretary RICHARD J. JOHNSTON
President-Elect Scott Magnetti	Assistant Secretary Debbie Dellaposta
Vice President Tracy Naugle	Treasurer REX H. KAUP
	Sergeant-at-Arms JOHN CAREY

	<u>CHAIR</u>	<u>CO-CHAIR</u>
CLUB SERVICE COMMUNITY	Jodi Cessna	
SERVICE INTERNATIONAL	Sam Britz	
SERVICE VOCATIONAL	John Carey	
SERVICE	Joy Weidell	Larry McAleer

Meeting Times of Other Clubs

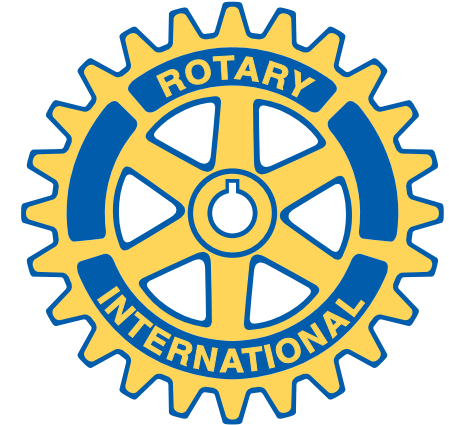
Altoona Sunrise, The Casino, Lakemont	Wednesday	7:15 AM
Bedford Sunrise, Clara's, Best Western	Monday	7:00 AM
Bedford, Carriage House Restaurant	Monday	6:15 PM
Claysburg, Peggy's Diner	Tuesday	6:00 PM
Clearfield, Clearfield Elks Club	Monday	6:00 PM
Hagerstown, MD , Fountain Head Country Club	Wednesday	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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DISTRICT 7360



CLUB NEWSLETTER
Meets Each Tuesday, 12:10 P.M.
The Blair County Convention
Center



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

No. 610, June 14, 2019

Program Chair: Joseph Fagnani
July Registration: Kate Shaffer

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 06/04 & 06/11

Phil Dubrow, President

The GFG Award Grants were as follows:

- Glenn Nelson of Fr. Roberdeau - \$1,137.05
- Amber Smith of Mountain Lion Backpack - \$1,000
- Derek Vaughn of Joshua House - \$1,000
- Melanie Shildt of United Way of Blair County - \$1,000
- Tim O'Brien of Young Life of Central PA - \$3,000
- Geoff Geesey and John Beyer II of Altoona Fairview Cemetery Historical Foundation - \$1,500
- Sharon Jones of the YMCA - \$1,150
- Bob Bilger of The We Care Foundation - \$1,000
- Joe Fagnani of Service Paws of Blair County - \$5,000

Program; Tammy Clark, her son Liam and, our own, Joe Fagnani spoke about history of Service Paws of Central PA. Tammy shared her experience of having her son receive a service dog and the impact that it has had on her family. Joe informed us that there is a difference between trained service dogs and fraudulent animals. Guide dogs are free but other service dogs with training can cost up to \$35K. Service Paws helps with the purchase of the dog, vet bills and other costs. Dogs are trained as guide dogs, balance dogs, medical alert dogs, such as seizure, allergy and diabetic alert, autism and PTSD. Camp Hill and Lancaster both have ADI accredited schools for service dogs.

June 04 2019

Allison, Balconi, Beyer, Bilger, Boston, Britz, Carey, Clouse, Collins, Corso, Degol, Dellaposta, DiAndrea, Durbin, Ebersole, Fiore D., Foreman, Foster, Frederick, Fruth, Gardner, Gentesch, Grillo, Hart, Hite, Homan, Humphrey, Hurd, Hymes, Kech, Kooman, Lingenfelter, McAleer, Michelone C., Miles, Morder, Mullen, Newborn, Okonak A., Okonak R., Ritchey, Savage, Seelye, Shellenberger, Shreve, Slovensky, Smith S., Spallone, Thursfield, Wolf D.

June 11 2019

Beck, Benjamin, Betar, Black, Boston, Britz, Carey, Clouse, Cooney, Corso, Degol, Dellaposta, Durbin, Fiore, Foreman, Forney, Frederick, Gardner, Gentesch, Grillo, Hart, Hite, Homan, Hymes, Kaup, Kech, Lingenfelter, Miles, Mullen, Okonak A., Okonak R., Parnell, Ritchey, Savino, Seasoltz, Seelye, Shellenberger, Shreve, Sinclair, Spallone, Thursfield

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INVOCATION



- 06/25 Jodi Cessna
- 07/02 Tim O'Brien
- 07/09 George Foster
- 07/16 Pat Savage

SOUP KITCHEN

- 06/24 Steve Seltzer
- 06/28 Pat Miles and JT Black
- 07/01 Alison Seltzer
- 07/05 Closed
- 07/08 Richard Johnston
- 07/12 Terry Lingenfelter and Barry Newborn

Make-ups

- Soup Kitchen - 06/07 Kech, Hann, Segler
- 06/14 Kech, Dubrow, Navarro
- E Club - 06/18 Pat Savage
- Board Meeting - 06/18 Dubrow, Ruggery, Kay, Johnston, Naugle, Hann, Carey, A. Seltzer, C. Michelone, Foreman, Magnetti, Ebersole, Baker

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

Announcements, Reminders and Good News;
Our regular Club meeting on Tuesday, June 18th, will feature the passing of the Presidential-baton from Don Ruggery to Phil Dubrow. Note that ALL OFFICERS AND PROPOSED BOARD MEMBERS NEED TO BE IN ATTENDANCE at the lunch meeting on the 18th. Later that same day, 5 pm, Rotary Board and Officer Transition and at 6 pm the Annual Summer Luau – Park Hills Country Club. Sign up at your table.

We will be presenting \$15,787 in grants from our Grapes for Good at the meeting on Tuesday, June 11th.

Don shared that he and his wife will be attending the Swann Stull's installation as District Governor on June 23rd in Sunbury.

We celebrated Rotarian birthdays. Irv Seltzers shared that he will be celebrating his 90t on June 7th. Irv also shared that he has been a member of the Rotary Club of Altoona for 62 years!

Phyllis Baker is seeking volunteers for the 4th of July YWCA race in Altoona. Contact Phyllis for details.

Program; Marty Dombrowski, Assistant Director of the Center for Independent Living of South Central PA.

Marty gave us a brief history of the agency, reporting that "CILS" exist all across the country and came into being around 1960 when long-term care facilities for people with disabilities were being closed. CILS were developed to provide support to those moving into the community. The first CIL opened in California. They now serve all ages and all disabilities. The five goals of the CIL are 1) Advocacy, 2) Independent Living Skills, 3) Peer Counseling, 4) Information & Referral, 5) Transition (from high school to life as well as Nursing home transition.) Marty shared her rules for life; be kind, have fun, connect and clean up. She gave examples of how these rules have applied throughout her time as a teacher and the jobs she has held since then. Marty spoke of the disability that her son lives with and how that has impacted her work. CIL has a variety of resources to offer including support groups, fellowship and a variety of classes. They recently received a grant to provide ramps to individuals living in the city of Altoona.

For more Information, go to www.CILSCPA.org

Visiting Rotarians and guests; Melanie Shildt visited from the Sunrise Rotary, Steve Seltzer's guest was Pam Ethers and President Don's guest was Dr. Mike Drass.

Announcements, Reminders and Good News;
Tim O'Brien shared Young Life discount cards with the club members. Kate Shaffer reminded us that there is a Cash drawing coming up at the Swiss Rifle Club on June 21st, to benefit Blair County Arts Foundation

President Don presented the 2019 Grapes for Good Grant Awards.