

CLUB INFORMATION

2019-2020 ROTARY INTERNATIONAL OFFICERS

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT

DISTRICT GOVERNOR
DISTRICT 7360, ZONE 29

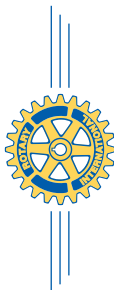
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2019-2020 ROTARY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

President Phil Dubrow	Secretary RICHARD J. JOHNSTON
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Meeting Times of Other Clubs

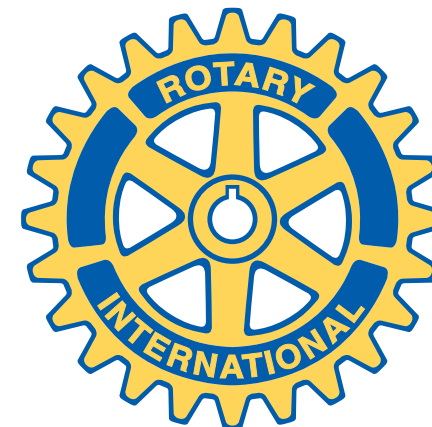
Altoona Sunrise, The Casino, Lakemont	Wednesday	7:15 AM
Bedford Sunrise, Homewood at Spring House Estates	Tuesday	7:00 AM
Bedford, Hoss's	Monday	6:15 PM
Claysburg, Peggy's Diner	Tuesday	6:00 PM
Clearfield, Moena Restaurant	Wednesday	12:00 PM
Hagerstown, MD , Fountain Head Country Club	Wednesday	12:00 PM
Harrisburg, Hilton Hotel at Tower	Monday	12:00 PM
Holidaysburg, Marzoni's	Wednesday	6:00 PM
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, Ramada State College Hotel & Conference Center	Thursday	12:00 PM
State College, Nittany Lion Inn	Tuesday	5:30 PM
State College Sunrise, Hotel State College	Wednesday	7:15 AM
Tyrone, Epworth Residential Living	Monday	5:45 PM
Summer meeting till August - Reservoir Park, Tyrone		



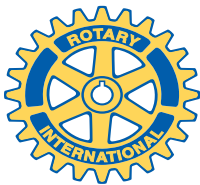
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DISTRICT 7360



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



RECOGNIZING OUR PAST CELEBRATING OUR FUTURE OUR 103rd Year

No. 623, December 13, 2019

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?



INVOCATION

12/17 George Foster
12/24 No Meeting
12/31 No Meeting

SOUP KITCHEN

12/20 Don Ruggery Jr. and Susan Allison
12/23 Closed
12/27 Closed
12/30 Closed
01/03 Jack Sinclair and Jodi Cessna
01/06 Steve Seltzer

Make-ups

Soup Kitchen - 11/4 Wolf 11/08 Magnetti, Black
11/15 T. Smith, J. Wolf 11/22 Alaniello, Kech
T. Smith 12/02 A Seltzer 12/06 Navarro
12/09 Johnston
E Club - 11/12 Savage 12/10 Savage
Grapes for Good Committee - 12/09 Naugle, Baker,
Foreman, D. Wolf, Kaup

ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM 12/03 & 12/10

Christy Collins announced the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints will present Handel's Messiah on December 7, 2019 at 6.

Phyllis Baker announced the YMCA will be giving free swimming lessons for children on December 7 and 14, 2019.

Program:

Larry McAleer introduced the guests, Chris Fleegle and Jarrod Klausman, the new Altoona High School head basketball coaches. Jarrod Klausman, head coach of AAHS boys basketball, announced that the team's season begins this weekend on the road. Home opener will be December 13 against Harrisburg. Jarrod is a 2001 graduate of Altoona High and is happy to be coaching for his alma mater. He had been an assistant coach for Hollidaysburg for the past few years. This past summer the AAHS boys team hosted a camp for elementary students.

Chris Fleegle, head coach of AAHS girls basketball, announced that the team's home opener is December 10 against Carlisle. He hopes that the community comes out and supports the AAHS basketball teams.

Frank Rosenhooover shared about an opportunity to visit the "Newseum" in Washington D.C. through December 31.

Phil reminded us of our soup kitchen commitment. The new schedule is on our website.

President Phil shared famous birthdays and this date in history and we recognized our Rotarians with December birthdays.

Thank you to all who participated in the Christmas Parade including Phyllis Baker, Don and Kate Ruggery, Allison Seltzer and members of the Sunrise Rotary Club.

Next week our guests will be the Altoona Jazz Band.

Pat Savage is recovering from back surgery at the Lutheran Home. She hopes to be home later this week.

Phil Dubrow, President

Announcements or Events to share:

Mandy reminded those bringing children to the Christmas party to bring a wrapped toy for Santa to give to them.

Tim Balconi invited us to a lighting of the menorah and unveiling of the new grand piano in the lobby of UPMC Altoona on 12/16 at 10am. A reception will follow.

Phyllis has tickets available free for non-profits who have families that would like to attend this Saturday's Y Family Fun event.

Program:

President Phil introduced our guest, John Zanella, Founder and Director of Victory Therapeutic Horsemanship. VTH is a therapeutic horseback riding program for veterans. The program is designed to promote healing and recovery of veterans. John describes it as the "horse pill" and is offered at no cost to vets. It is an all -volunteer program that is not covered by insurance. Areas of focus include PTSD, Traumatic Brain Injury (TBI), physical injuries, overcoming addiction, suicide prevention, additional specialized areas including females and seniors. The program has been serving vets in PA for 5 years. Sessions are set up in eight-week blocks with 5 levels and horses to accommodate all. Mentors are developed from within the program.

For more information go to www.victoryhorse.org

December 3 2019

Allison, Baker, Balconi, Beck, Betar, Beyer, Bilger, Britz, Carey, Clouse, Conigy, Cooney, Corso, DeFrancesco, Degol, Dellaposta, DiAndrea, Drass, Durbin, Eagler, Fiore D., Foreman, Forney, Frederick, Gardner, Gentesch, Grillo, Hann, Hart, Hite, Homan, Hurd, Hymes, Kech, Kooman, Michelone M., Miles, Mordor, Mullen, Okonak A., Okonak R., Parnell, Ritchey, Rudel, Seltzer S., Shellenberger, Shreve, Smith S., Spallone, Stevens

December 10 2019

Allison, Betar, Beyer, Bilger, Black, Boston, Britz, Carey, Clouse, Collins, Conigy, Cooney, Corso, DeFrancesco, Degol, Dellaposta, DiAndrea, Drass, Durbin, Ebersole, Fiore D., Foreman, Forney, Frederick, Gardner, Gentesch, Grillo, Hart, Hite, Homan, Hurd, Hymes, Kech, Magnetti, McAleer, Miles, Mullen, Naugle, Newborn, Okonak A., Okonak R., Parnell, Ritchey, Rudel, Savage, Seasoltz, Shellenberger, Spallone, Stevens

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Fax 814.695.9837. Deadline for each Rota-Note is Wed. at 11:00 a.m.

Announcements or events to share:
Grapes for Good is looking for sponsorships. This is the last week for the Veterans Home Drive. Tom Smith announced this has been the best one we have done to date. In addition to many gifts, our Rotarians donated \$625 in cash.

The Altoona Christmas Parade is December 5, 2019.

There will be no meeting December 24 or 31.

Pat Savage had surgery today. The surgery went well but she still needs our thoughts and prayers as she recovers.

Traci Naugle announced the Hollidaysburg Community Chorus will present its Christmas show on December 7 and 8.