

Rotary



Club of Dayton SMILE



This Week at Rotary

MONDAY, January 27, 2025

"DEXA and Drone Delivery"

Club Leaders



Randall K. Domigan
President



Linda Groover
President-Elect



Steven Conklin
Treasurer



Sarah Hippensteel
Hall Secretary



Kelly Marie Lehman
Vice President



Kimberly M. Bramlage
iPast President

Birthdays



Jeffrey J. Mims Jr.
January 27th



John E. North
January 27th



John S. Danis
January 31st

Speakers

January 20, 2025
NO MEETING -
MARTIN LUTHER
KING JR DAY

January 27, 2025
Russell Kline, Chief
Regulatory Officer,
DEXA

February 03, 2025
Gabriel van Aalst,
CEO
Dayton LIVE

February 10, 2025
Steve Naas, County
Corp
Affordable Housing in



Russell Kline, Chief Regulatory Officer, will present a short history of DEXA and how the company came to be. Learn about DEXA's technologies in use and their unique marketplace app for ordering goods via drone. Also being discussed in the presentation will be the current regulatory environment for the industry, what changes are coming next, and how DEXA is prepared to navigate those changes.

Chair of the Day: Matt Jessup

This Happened Last Monday...

President Randy Domigan opens the meeting at 12:10 PM. Bill Nance shared words to live by and led in the Pledge of Allegiance. He repeated his thoughts of 2024 about the value of time and let it be filled with less stress and more faith, genuine friendships and less forced interactions, more laughter and less drama, hard work, success, and time to do the things that matter most. He mentioned the Southern California wildfires and the insurance crisis they are creating, the new Betty White stamp, and a runaway pig at Wendy's in Knoxville.

Richard Lundin welcomed Rotary guests:

Jena Pado who introduced Benjamin Banning, Dayton Children's Hospital Foundation officer.
Laura Roesch introduced two guests from NPower Ohio, Damaris Crawford and Asia.

Secretary Sarah Hippensteel Hall noted current birthdays:

Matt Scarr 1/8
Dean Alexander 1/9
Walt Hibner 1/11
Surendra Singhvi 1/16
Dave Ponitz 1/21
Karla Garrett Harshaw 1/23

Announcements:

Carolyn Rice said the Peace Committee will not meet on Thursday at 8AM on ZOOM.
Reminder that the social committee dines out dinner is this Thursday at Amber Rose.
Kim Bramlage asked for volunteers for the 2025 Rotary Summerfest committee so that planning can begin soon.
Sarah mentioned Rotary Rewards

Day 10's:

Sarah started it off with \$50 to announce 1/28 as Career Day at Stivers and asked for volunteers to meet with the students

Walt Hibner \$100 for his birthday

Matt Scarr \$100 for his birthday

Sue Taylor promoted the Central Jazz Band and Central Christian Church and the foodbank big band fundraiser \$100

Dean Alexander \$70 for his birthday

Monica Snow \$100 for Preservation Dayton tour of First Baptist Church and their go to Bar Grenada

Suren Singhvi \$100 for his birthday

President Randy came back to the podium with a few announcements starting with a moment to silence for Alan Baker, longtime Dayton Rotary friend who passed away 12/28. Randy then encouraged Rotarians to consider attending the Annual District Foundation Dinner on 1/30 at Beavercreek CC, cost \$60 the key note speaker will be RI Past President Mark Maloney.

resident Randy then called on Laura Roesch to make a Dayton Rotary Foundation grant presentation for \$3,000 to NPower Ohio.

Jena Pado introduced today's speaker Emily Weitz of Dayton Children's, speaking about the "On Our Sleeves" program.

On Our Sleeves, in partnership with the Kids Mental Health Foundation, is leading the movement for children's mental health, to build a world where mental health is a vital part of the upbringing of every child. The mission is to give free expert-created resources to all U.S. communities so everyone can understand and promote mental health for children. The movement was started in 2018 by Nationwide Children's Hospital. Dayton Children's Hospital became a licensee partner and launched its campaign in May of 2021.



the Dayton
Community and
County Corps Role

February 17, 2025
NO MEETING -
PRESIDENT'S DAY

February 24, 2025
Jonathan McNeal,
Manager, The NEON
Oscars Preview

March 03, 2025
Jessica Oakley,
Outreach Coordinator
CareFlight

March 10, 2025
Larry Smart, CFO,
CareSource

March 17, 2025
TBD

March 24, 2025
TBD

April 07, 2025
Red Ribbon Takeover
Meeting

April 14, 2025
Rick Willits, We Care
Arts

Emily discussed the many tools available for assisting Kids Mental Health, such as Conversation Starters, Activity Books, Creating Connection Calendars, Solar Eclipse Workbooks, and other classroom kits. Please contact Emily for any questions concerning program operation and fundraising nonoursleeves@childrensdayton.org



Scan the QR code if you would like to sign up to receive emails on helpful monthly topics for adults to help the children in their lives.

1:20 PM President Randy Domigan adjourned the meeting and reminded everyone that we don't meet next week because it's the Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday

[Link for Meeting Recording](#)

Queen of Hearts Drawing

Queen of Hearts 50/50 Raffle

Weekly at Monday Meetings to benefit the Dayton Rotary Foundation

\$1 per ticket/\$5 for 6 tickets

Weekly winner draws a card from the deck if they draw the Queen of Hearts the winner takes ½ the pot. If the card is not the Queen of Hearts card then the card is destroyed & we try again next week. Meanwhile the pot continues to grow.

CURRENT POT: \$593

See Secretary Sarah or Laura for more information.

ATTENTION ZOOM PARTICIPANTS

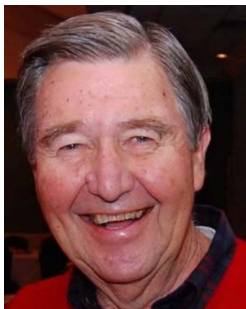
****For those members who would like to participate via zoom - please let Laura know ahead of time or place your request in the chat prior to the start of the meeting and we will assign you ticket numbers and bill your foundation account.

RULES FOR THIS ROUND

- You must be present to win and/or purchase tickets (either in person or on zoom)
- The drawing is for members of the Dayton Rotary only.
- The winner will need to complete a W-9 form and will be issued a W2-G form.
- The drawing will go to the very last card.



Our Sympathy on the Loss of Rotarian



Our Sympathy to the family and friends of long-time Rotarian R. Alan Baker who passed away on December 28th at the age of 88. Below is a link to his obituary.

[R. Alan Baker Obituary 2024 - Routsong Funeral Home and Cremation Services](#)

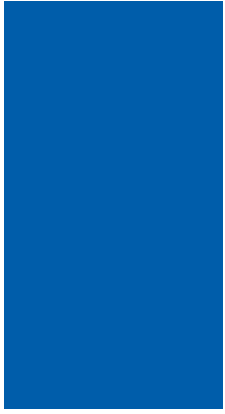
Rotary Dines Out at Amber Rose



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