

Rotary



Club of Westerville Sunrise



SERVE TO CHANGE LIVES

Club Meeting

Westerville Sunrise Meets at The Old Bag of Nails Pub
24 N State St Fl 3
Westerville, OH 43081 - 2119
Time: Wednesday at 07:15 AM

Speakers

December 08, 2021

Jessica Finch
Westerville Housing Study

December 15, 2021

Westerville South Choir
Holiday Mini-Concert

December 22, 2021

NO MEETING
No meeting due to holiday week

December 29, 2021

Club Assembly
Club Assembly

January 05, 2022

John Kellogg
Strategic Plan
Introduction - Part 1

Birthdays

Bob Prokop
December 6th

Raju Venkatesan
December 8th

Kenneth Diaz
December 9th

Lewis VanLandingham
December 12th

Edward T Wandtke
December 14th

Arturo Sanabria
December 15th

Allen V. Ruper
December 17th

Charles E Durant Jr.
December 18th

Don Denton
December 18th

John D. Pietila
December 19th

Michael Swartz
December 19th

Aaron Steininger
December 19th

Scott D. Hrabcak
December 19th

Anne M VanBuskirk
PhD
December 21st

Joseph A. Morbitzer
December 22nd

Anthony Mujic
December 22nd

Make December The Season for Sunrise Rotary



Wednesdays in December! Westerville Sunrise Rotary meetings are being offered in a hybrid format every week. Please join in the breakfast meeting in person at the Bag of Nails (masking when not eating) or log-in from wherever you may be on Wednesday mornings. In order to minimize risk to our members and guests, please refrain from in-person attendance if you are experiencing any type of illness symptoms.

Join Zoom Meeting
[WSR Wednesday Morning Meeting Link](#)

Meeting ID: 882 4556 1061
Passcode: 723850

Bring your Ca\$h this week for Dream Center

In order to respond quickly to Dream Center needs, Paul Kulik and committee will collect monetary donations at our December 8th and December 15th Rotary meetings. Linda Bokros will shop to purchase items to fill gift bags with clothing items and take down to the Dream Center. If you prefer to donate items on the list, please bring them to one of our next two meetings. However, we respectfully appreciate monetary donations that will allow us to purchase clothing items for the Dream Center.

Women's Needs:

Hoodie Sweatshirt (XL)
6 Pairs of Socks
Gloves (One Size Fits All)
Neck Scarf
Stocking Cap

Men's Needs:

Hoodie Sweatshirt (Size XXL)
6 Pairs of White Crew Top Socks
Gloves (Size L or XL)
Neck Scarf
Stocking Cap

Also Needed:

Gift cards-McDonald's, Kroger, Wendy's
New 0* Sleeping bags
Flashlights (Batteries included)
Candles (long-tapered)
Tents (3 persons)
Handwarmers



NEW! Westerville Sunrise Rotary Leadership Academy!

By Julie Ann Colley on Monday, December 6, 2021

Do you have an interest in becoming more involved in the Leadership of our Westerville Sunrise Rotary Club? Perhaps becoming Club President one day? Join us for the inaugural Westerville Sunrise Rotary Leadership Academy on:

Saturday, January 8, 2022 9:00 am to 11:00 am
GroupEleven Consulting, 214 Hoff Road, Suite P, Westerville

Robert A. Coco
December 24th
Jason Seeley
December 25th
Coutanya Coombs
January 2nd
Timothy Scott Dorne
January 5th

Years of Service

Mitchell D. Potterf III
01-01-1994
28 Years
Kyle Stroh
12-20-2000
21 Years
Rick Rano
01-01-2002
20 Years
David Wartel
12-21-2005
16 Years
Samuel L. Glaviano
12-14-2011
10 Years
Dennis A. Blair
12-17-2014
7 Years
Anthony Genova Jr
12-12-2018
3 Years



Coffee and pastries will be provided!

Learn how our Club and Foundation are structured, how they operate and are financed, what to expect as you assume a leadership position, as well as the various resources available to support you in your journey. Find YOUR passion in leading our Club!

Register for the Leadership Academy on Sign-Up Genius by following this link: [Leadership Academy](#)

Wreaths Across America

Since 1992, Wreaths Across America has led an effort to ensure that our nation's Veterans are remembered each holiday season. On December 18th, at over 2,500 locations around the nation including Arlington National Cemetery, they will lay over 750,000 wreaths.

Locally, the Ellis E. Woodrow Memorial Post 7883, Veterans of Foreign Wars is proud to support that effort, laying wreaths at Otterbein Cemetery in Westerville. Our wreath laying ceremony will honor the 525 Veterans that call Otterbein Cemetery their final resting place, including those that fought in every conflict from the War of 1812 through the War on Terror. Following the ceremony, those in attendance will be invited to participate by placing wreaths on the grave site of a Veteran.

Please consider joining us by becoming a sponsor. Your contributions will help pay for wreaths at Otterbein Cemetery and a small portion will support the efforts of the Ellis E. Woodrow Memorial Post 7883, Veterans of Foreign Wars. We are veterans serving veterans, their families and the community at large, through active community outreach, student scholarships, and serving local Guard/Reserve units. Our current sponsorship levels are as follows:

Sponsorship Level	Wreaths Purchased	Cost
Remember the Fallen	40	\$600
Honor those who serve & their families	20	\$300
Teach our children the value of freedom	10	\$150

A program book will be available at the ceremony highlighting the contributions of our sponsors.

If you wish to pay by check, please make checks payable to: **Wreaths Across America** and include the following notes on your check: **Group ID# OHOCWO and Location ID#OH0293P**

Send check payments to:

FWW Post 7883 c/o Andrew Tompkins, 71 Ormsbee Ave, Westerville, OH 43081

If you prefer to pay by a different method, please feel free to reach out by phone or text at (205) 344-1378, or you can email me at andrew.b.tompkins@gmail.com

Thank you in advance for your willingness to support this effort.

Ellis E. Woodrow Memorial Post 7883, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Westerville, Ohio



WSR Has a New Fundraising Event Planned

SAVE THE DATE: March 5, 2022

Sunrise Rotary Speakeasy
Event

Valley Dale Ballroom
More details to follow

If interested in being a part of the committee, please contact

Mike Herron at michael.herron@westerville.org

or Tiffany McGinnis at tiffany.t.mcginis@gmail.com



Annual Holiday Fundraiser for WARM

By Jamie Maze



My work team has put together a 10th Annual WARM fundraiser - and the second annual virtual format. Participants have from December 1-10th to participate in the virtual auction or to donate to the cause. Here's the link to the Facebook page for more information: [WARM Fundraiser](#) And, if you want to bid on an auction item, click here: [Auction Items](#)

Rotarian Scott Marier is in the News!



WARM

Westerville Area Resource Ministry

For Immediate Release
November 30, 2021

Scott Marier Announces WARM's 50th Anniversary Milestone and His Transition to Retirement in 2022



Executive Director Scott Marier announces that in 2022 the Westerville Area Resource Ministry (WARM) will celebrate its 50th year of serving residents in need in the area encompassing the Westerville City School District. Simultaneous with this milestone achievement of growth, service and ministry Marier adds that after 17 years of service, he desires to transition from leading WARM to his planned retirement in 2022.

As Marier retires, he aims to present his successor with an organization in its best shape ever. Marier became executive director of WARM on January 5, 2005. During his tenure

Marier, 67, has led WARM through dramatic expansion to meet the needs of the Westerville community. As thankful as he is for WARM's accomplishments on his watch, Marier said the time is right for him to pass the reins to a new executive director.

Proposed New Members

The following individuals are being proposed for membership in the Westerville Sunrise Rotary Club. Please find a way to say hello to **Kristen Gillenwater, Matthew Schmitt and Mike McGreevey!**



Thank you upcoming Greeters & Invocators

Date	Greeters	Invocation & Pledge
8-Dec-21	Berrier, Dennis C.	Bishop, William G.
15-Dec-21	Marshall, Nicole	Applegate, Thomas N.
22-Dec-21	NO MEETING	NO MEETING
29-Dec-21	Bokros, Linda Lou	Bowers, Tim



Please Suggest Guest Speakers



Enlighten your fellow Rotarians. Suggest a speaker to brighten our day! No reasonable suggestion refused. But your guest must be willing to attend in person. Email Bob Stewart at:

bob@smartbusinesssystems.com or Mike Herron at blujks@hotmail.com

New! Virtual Meetings - Call for Info

Westerville Sunrise Rotary Club

PO Box 1200
Westerville, OH 43086

Meeting Location

Every Wednesday @ 7:00 am

The Old Bag of Nails Pub
Third Floor
24 North State Street
Westerville, OH 43081

Westerville Sunrise Hotline
614-523-7777



Club Leaders



[Robert K. Gibson](#)
President



[John R. Kellogg](#)
President-Elect



[Michael Herron](#)
President-Nominee
Club Executive Secretary



[Theresa Petraszak](#)
Secretary



[Gregory Ruban](#)
Treasurer



[Thomas Strasburg](#)
iPast President



[James G. Flaherty](#)
Club TRF Chair
Club Director



[Allen Jefferson Fox](#)
Club Director



[Jared Goodsite](#)
Club Director



[Lynn L. Miller](#)
Club Director



[Anthony Mujic](#)
Club Director



[Kenneth L. Wright](#)
Club Director

[David A. Collinsworth](#)
Sergeant-at-Arms

[Paul E. Kulik](#)
Club Peace Committee Chair



[Thomas J. Kleven](#)
Asst Governor