

Rotary

Club of Westerville Sunrise



Happening This Week



September 11, 2024

Program: Field of Heroes Recognition
Speakers: Dave Collinsworth and Andy Tompkins

Greeter: Ben Jay
Invocation/Pledge: Skyler Juhnke

Calls to Action:
Bring change (dimes) to support the water project in Kenya
&
Bring letters for veterans (Ron and Chip) for the October Honor Flight

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

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David Collinsworth & Andy Tompkins
Field of Heroes Recognition

Birthdays

Niels Hansen
September 9th
Stuart Allyn Whittaker
September 10th
Troy Cochran
September 17th
John L. Comerford
September 26th
Linda Lou Bokros
September 28th
Mark A. Massen
September 28th
Timothy Gose
October 4th
Skyler M Juhnke
October 6th

Years of Service

Save the Date! Upcoming Social and Service Events



September 11: Field of Heroes Sponsor Appreciation
September 23: Star House Family Dinner
September 25: District Governor visit during club meeting
October 19: District Fall Assembly
October 24: Pints for Polio Social with Noon club
November 2: District Awards Celebration
April 25-27: District Conference
April 25: District Foundation Gala
June 23-27: RI Convention, Calgary

Troy Cochran
09-19-2000
24 Years

Joseph A.
Morbiter
09-20-2006
18 Years

Mark Morgan
09-23-2009
15 Years

Kip Fetchero
09-22-2010
14 Years

Thomas
Strasburg
10-05-2011
13 Years

Cindy A Cline
09-18-2013
11 Years

Wesley James
(Jim) Hogle
09-26-2018
6 Years

Lawrence Rick
Sellers
09-25-2019
5 Years

Susan R Ward
09-14-2023
1 Year

Polio Plus Football Pool - Congratulations to the Winners

By Jamie Maze

Congratulations to the lucky winners from the OSU/ Western Michigan game:



1st Quarter/ \$50: Dan Hare
2nd Quarter/ \$50: Jim Flaherty
3rd Quarter/ \$50: Tim Bowers
4th Quarter/ \$100: Donna Rudderow



Impact Membership

By Tiffany McGinnis



Rotary club leaders are exploring a new membership tier* (called *Impact*) for people who want to be part of Rotary but can't consistently attend weekly meetings. Intent: *Get in. Serve. Go home.*

We are hosting open-house events to ask community members how they would like this membership to be structured. Open house events are intended for prospective members and the purpose is to gather information.

- Our first open house was this past Wednesday and potential members shared interest in connections and service.
- *Next open house:* Tuesday, September 17th at Blair IT from 6-8pm

*Our Club needs to vote on the Impact membership tier before we move forward, so this proposed membership option is currently pending. Contact our Club President if you have questions via email at tiffany.t.mcginis@gmail.com.

Star House Monthly Dinner

By Chris Herbert



Make a difference for homeless youth at Star House by helping prepare or serving a family meal. Westerville Sunrise Rotary, in partnership with our friends in the noon club, hosts a Family Dinner once a month on Mondays. Our remaining Mondays in 2024 will be:

- September 23
- October 28
- November 18
- December 16

Preparing Meals

Anyone can help prepare a meal. You do not need to attend the dinner, and there are often items needed that do not require cooking. Items can be brought to Star House, or dropped off at a location in Westerville prior to the dinner.

Serving Meals

We also need four or more people to help with serving meals. In order to serve meals at Star House, you must be registered as a volunteer with Star House, provide emergency contact information, have a background check completed and complete a trauma training. **There is a trauma training session scheduled for September 17th at 7 pm.** The location is being finalized and will be shared soon.

If you are interested in volunteering at Star House, register [here](#). Indicate you are with the Westerville Rotary Club in the comment section. Once your form is received, you will be sent information on the background check, as well as the trauma training.

Arrival time for meal set up at Star House is 5:30 pm, with the meal served at 6 pm. Clean up after the meal should be completed by around 7:30 pm. Volunteers will enter through the front door and sign in prior to serving.

Sign Up to Help

If you are able to provide items for this month's dinner and/or help serve the meal, please use the sign-up link below:
[September 23.](#)

WARM Food Pantry Volunteers - Save the Dates!

By Mary T. Chandler



Rotary volunteers strengthen our community in many ways. One Saturday per quarter we sort and box food at the WARM warehouse at 150 Heatherdown Drive from 10 am to noon. We still have one scheduled Saturday in 2024:

- November 9

We invite you to join in on the fellowship and fun. Feel free to invite your family, friends, and prospective Rotarians to join us too. Please sign up using the [Sign Up Genius link](#).

For more information, please contact Mary Chandler at (614) 523-0437.

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