

# Rotary



## Club of Springfield Metro

### Speakers

October 22nd  
[Jody Dow](#)  
The Springfield Dream Center

### Club Meeting

Springfield Metro  
Meets at 425 Downtown  
425 West Walnut  
Springfield, MO 65802  
Time: Tuesday at 05:00 PM

### Club Leaders



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### Jody Dow to Visit Springfield Metro



On October 22, 2019 Jody Dow will be the guest speaker at Springfield Metro. Jody is the executive director of the Springfield Dream Center. The Springfield Dream Center exists as a hub of practical help and life-giving hope to families in Springfield, Missouri. Located within Zone 1, the Dream Center gives donors and supporters the opportunity to make a direct impact by providing resources and long-term skills in order to help families gain traction towards spiritual, mental, and physical stability.

### World Polio Day Celebration at Metro October 22, 2019

On Tuesday, October 22, 2019 Springfield Metro plans to do their part in raising funds in support of World Polio Day happening on October 24th. We have some amazing items to be raffled at our Tuesday night meeting. SO BRING YOUR MONEY!!! Items that you are sure to enjoy include the following: Gift Certificates to Fire & Ice, Pasta Express, The Wash House, Big Time Results, Cash Card, and along with some other fun items!

Rotary has been working to eradicate polio for more than 30 years. Our goal of ridding the world of this disease is closer than ever.

As a founding partner of the [Global Polio Eradication Initiative](#), we've reduced polio cases by 99.9 percent since our first project to vaccinate children in the Philippines in 1979.

We've helped immunize more than 2.5 billion children in 122 countries. So far, Rotary has contributed more than \$1.8 billion toward eradicating the disease worldwide.

Today, polio remains endemic only in Afghanistan, Nigeria, and Pakistan. But it's crucial to continue working to keep other countries polio-free. If all eradication efforts stopped today, within 10 years, polio could paralyze as many as 200,000 children each year.



### District Simplified Grant Project at the Dream Center



Springfield Metro Rotary is excited to be partnering with the Springfield Dream Center for their District Simplified Grant Project. The Springfield Dream Center is a place that gives Hope for tomorrow. They focus to give practical resources to the families of Zone 1 in Springfield, Missouri. The DC offers programs for all members of the community, such as after school programming, adult education, a food pantry, and much more.

Springfield Metro, along with partner Great Southern Bank, is investing in the Dream Center with purchasing additional security systems and cameras. These upgrades will allow their programs to grow safely into new rooms and have access to additional parts of their building as they grow. The upgrade in these safety precautions will add an additional classroom of students and increase their operation from 3 days to 5 days. Safety is created in the curriculum they teach, the training they



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## Events & Speakers

October 22nd  
**Club Meeting - Jody Dow,  
The Springfield Dream  
Center**

October 24th  
**Social at Millsap Farms**

October 29th  
**Club 5th Tuesday - The  
Springfield Dream Center**

October 29th  
**5th Tuesday Social at  
Maria's Mexican Restaurant**

## Birthdays

## Wedding Anniversaries

give their teachers, and they want to make sure the building they are in has features that allow their safety to be priority.

On October 29, 2019 Springfield Metro will be joining the community at the Springfield Dream Center to host a Halloween party. Working with the kids and families that have found the place that gives them Hope for tomorrow.

## Enter Your Makeup on DACdb - It's EASY!

Have you visited another Rotary club or attended a committee meeting? You can easily enter your makeup on DACdb!! All you have to do is go to the 'My Data' tab, click on 'Enter MakeUp', enter the needed information, and you are done! It's easy!



## Springfield Metro Rotary will Participate in Fundraiser for Children's Miracle Network



More than 10 million kids enter a children's hospital like CoxHealth across North America every year. To provide the best care for kids, children's hospitals rely on donations and community support, as Medicaid and insurance programs do not fully cover the cost of care. Since 1983, Children's Miracle Network Hospitals has helped fill those funding gaps by raising more than \$5 billion, most of it \$1 at a time through Miracle Balloon icon campaigns. Its various fundraising partners and programs support the nonprofit's mission to save and improve the lives of as many children as possible.

Every Day CMN HOSPITALS TREAT:

16,200 Kids with Trauma  
935 Kids with Diabetes  
2,128 Kids with Cancer  
2,329 Kids for Surgeries  
925 Babies in NICU

Members of the Rotary Clubs of Springfield have agreed to volunteer at the phone bank during Children's Miracle Network week. In lieu of our regular December 3rd Springfield Metro meeting we are asking our members to sign up for a shift at the Children's Miracle Network fundraiser. Volunteers are needed on Monday, December 2 through Thursday, December 5, 2019 from 6:15 p.m. to 9:00 p.m., as well as Saturday, December 7, 2019 from 9:45 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Time slots are starting to be filled, so now is a great time to sign up [here](#). This is a great way for Rotarians of Springfield to work together!

## Springfield Metro Social at Millsap Farms

### Note Date Change!!!

The public relations committee has planned a fun night for Springfield Metro at Millsap Farms on October 24th! Please make reservations ASAP to ensure spot.

Millsap Farms has delicious wood-fired pizzas cooked in a handmade New Mexico style Horno wood-fired earthen oven at ~800 degrees taking less than 2 minutes to cook. The pizzas are served buffet style where we offer 4 pizzas topped with our seasonal produce, one of which is a cheese option. Each week they harvest our seasonal fresh organically raised produce and create different kinds of pizzas that also feature other local meats, cheeses, sauces and vegetables. They will provide water, and have a few drinks for sale, but feel free to bring a drink of choice to accompany your meal, byob. They have a limited number of tables, so bring along chairs, or a picnic blanket to sit on. While you're there, feel free to check out the rest of the farm, but please be respectful, stay in paths, keep an eye on your kids and treat the animals with care.

Price is \$14/ adult and \$5/children ages 4-12. You will need to register in advance at <http://millsapfarm.csasignup.com/store/pizza-night-tickets> and RSVP to Simone Hite. Please feel free to bring your families or this is a great night to invite someone that has interest in Springfield Metro! What's better than great pizza, cocktails, and amazing people?

## \*\*New Metro Rotary Purpose Statement\*\*

On September 17, 2019 Springfield Metro welcomed leaders from all

around District 6080 to conduct a club visioning. After enjoying a great meal (said to be the best that the visioning team has ever had) members of Springfield Metro put on their visioning glasses and got to work. We had a fun night looking at the future of Springfield Metro. The start of the journey has been put in place and now its time for the map to be made.



Brett Baker, Bev Baker, Padgett Smith, and Simone Hite together reviewed the results from the visioning and formed a statement of purpose from the top values.

"We are an engaged, diverse and energetic group dedicated to serving our local and global community. We have fun, and we get it done."

The Presidential Development Team is meeting very soon to create the map to make sure we stay on track.

Thank you to everyone that participated in the club visioning. This is only the beginning, it takes all of us to continue the great work and fun of Springfield Metro.

## Need a Makeup

Perfect attendance is easy to achieve! If you have to miss a meeting and need a makeup, it's not a problem! Attend a meeting at one of our fellow Rotary Clubs, Rotaract, or you can do an online makeup.

Springfield Rotary and Rotaract Meeting Times:

Springfield Downtown Springfield Southeast  
Tuesday 12:00 PM Thursday 12:00 PM  
Kentwood Hall Ocean Zen  
700 E St Louis St 4117 S National Ave  
Springfield, MO 65806 Springfield, MO 65807

Springfield North Springfield Sunrise  
Tuesday 7:00 AM Wednesday 7:00 AM  
Double Tree Twin Oaks Country Club  
2431 N Glenstone Ave 1020 E Republic Rd  
Springfield, MO 65803 Springfield, MO 65807

Rotaract Club of Springfield  
2nd and 4th Wednesday 12:00 PM  
425 Downtown  
425 W Walnut St  
Springfield, MO 65809

Online Makes can be made at the following link <https://www.rotaryclubone.org/makeups/articles/>

Make sure to enter your makeup in DACdb!