

Rotary



Coldwater Township Sunrise Rotary

Chartered October 8, 1986

Club Meeting

Coldwater Township
Sunrise
Meets at United
Methodist Church
MEETINGS ARE ALSO
VIRTUAL
26 Marshall Street
Coldwater, MI 49036
Time: Thursday at
07:00 AM

Club Leadership



Max William
Benjamin
President



Angie Marsh
President -
Elect



Dean
Walrack
Club
Director
Vice
President



Richard E.
Merrill
Treasurer



Andrew N.
French
Secretary
Membership
Chair
Past
President



Craig L.
Dunworth
CCO-Club
Comm. Offcr
Club
Executive
Secretary



Neil L.
Wilcox
Club
Director
Rotary
Foundation
Chair



Dawn
Renshaw
Webmaster



Michael V.
Beckwith
Bulletin
Editor

Jared S
Ellinger
Club

Friday, January 31, 2025

Coldwater Twp. Sunrise Rotary Upcoming Events!

By Kerri Jakubczak on Friday, January 31, 2025

Please check the bulletin for member assignments!
Virtual meetings continue.
Contact Rick Merrill for ZOOM link and technical assistance!

Super Bowl Weekend in Traverse City

Grand Beach Resort
February 8-12, 2025
A block of ten rooms is being held
Contact Bruce Young if interested

71st Annual Chamber Community Awards Dinner

Thursday, March 6, 2025
VIP Reception at 5 pm
Doors open at 6 pm

Comedy Fest

Saturday, March 15, 2025, at 7pm
Tibbits Opera House

The McCartney Years

The Music of the Beatles and Wings live!
Saturday, May 10, 2025, at 7pm
Tibbits Opera House

Blocks of tickets are available for Rotarians.
More details to follow as the dates get closer!

Rotary International Theme for February!

Peace and Conflict Prevention Resolution

Review of Previous Meeting

By Michael V. Beckwith on Wednesday, January 29, 2025

Thursday, January 23, 2025

Member update:

-The January 30th, 5th Thursday night meeting will be held at the Burnside Center. Watch the Bulletin, emails & announcements from Kathy Merrill for details.

Remember, no morning meeting that day. If interested, members will meet for breakfast at Stoagies at 7:30am.

-Kim Hemker provided a summary of the successful drawdown raffle that was held last Saturday. She also asked for any observations or suggestions to improve the event.

-Andy French Tibbits update:

-Remember the CCR Tribute band at Tibbits on Saturday, January 25, 2025. Tickets are available at the Tibbits office.

Announcements & Reminders:

-The Super Bowl weekend in Traverse City is scheduled for 2-8-12-2025. Contact Bruce Young if interested.

-Kerri Jakubczak is the club's social media director. Keep her informed of club activities, programs or announcements that need to be posted on the clubs' social media sites!

- Please check the Weekly Bulletin for monthly Secretary/Treasurer assignments!

-Meeting make-up information for other local clubs can be found on the club web page.

Board of Directors Update

-The board of directors meets on the 2nd Tuesday of the month, 7am, at Biggy Coffee. All members are invited to attend.

-Minutes of the meetings are found in DACdb files.

Golf Outing Update: Chairperson Mike Beckwith

-The next Golf Outing is scheduled for **Friday, June 13, 2025!**

Raffle Update: Chairperson Kim Hemker.



Director



Kerri Jakubczak
Club Director



Kristine Jenkins
Club Director



Bruce G. Young
Club Director
Past President



Kathleen C. Merrill
International Service Chair



Joseph C. Hughes
iPast President

Events

No Events found

Birthdays

Andrew N. French
January 5th

Elaine R. Schultz
January 13th

Bill Brenneke
January 14th

Terry Ann Whelan
January 17th

Dean Bobilya
January 27th

George Babcoke
January 28th

Gene H. Fry
January 28th

Years of Service

Michael V. Beckwith
01-01-1999
26 Years

Terry Paul
01-01-1999
26 Years

Thomas G. Eldridge
01-01-1999
26 Years

Sarah A Headley
01-24-2011
14 Years

Roberta D Gagnon
01-25-2013
12 Years

Max William Benjamin
01-01-2018
7 Years

Paul Flynn
01-11-2024
1 Year

District Leaders

The 37th Annual Millionaire Party is scheduled for **Saturday, January 10, 2026!**

CTSR Foundation Update: Chairperson Neil Wilcox

-See DACdb files for the minutes of the meetings and all financial reports

-Donor recognition is located on the club web page.

-Any size donation to the Coldwater Township Rotary Foundation Endowment or the Rotary Promise counts towards donor recognition! Contact George Babcoke or the club web page to donate.

CTSR Promise Program News: Chairperson George Babcoke

- Donor recognition is found on the club web page.

-To make donations to the Promise Program, contact George Babcoke or the club web page to donate.

-Remember the Rotary Promise Annual Membership Program. Forms are available from Jon Harpst, or you can join online.

Program

-Audrey Tappenden reviewed the 2024 Main Street program annual Report. A copy of the report can be found on the City of Coldwater's web page. Coldwater.org.

Guests/Prospective Members

-Audrey Tappenden, Brian Wells, Frank Walsh

Money

Fines and Happy Dollars were collected, and Kathy Merrill won \$23 in the 50/50 drawing.

ZOOM Online Meeting Help!

If you need help to set up to take part in the ZOOM online club meetings, Rick Merrill will help you. Contact him at 517-614-3401 or gobluemerrill@aol.com

Program Assignments

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Presenters need access to ZOOM for members attending in that manner!
Send presenter name and email address to Rick Merrill to send the ZOOM link!
Contact Rick Merrill for ZOOM access link! [Click Here!](#)

Speaker Guidelines [Click Here!](#)

If you are unable to secure a speaker or
to include a program topic in the Weekly Bulletin contact:
Mike Beckwith at mvb473@yahoo.com or by phone or text @ 517-617-2359

January 30, 2025	No Meeting	Night Special Meeting
February 6, 2025	Babcoke George	Promise Scholarship Recipients & Promise update!
February 13, 2025	Baker Keith	TBD
February 20, 2025	Wilcox, Neil	Rotary Foundation
February 27, 2025	Young Bruce	TBD
March 6, 2025	TBD	TBD
March 13, 2025	Whelan Terry Ann	TBD
March 20, 2025	Jakubczak, Kerri	Interact Mission Trip
March 27, 2025	Walrack Dean	TBD

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Secretary, Treasurer & Greeters/Sergeants Assignments

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Month	Secretary	Treasurer	Sergeants/Greeters
January	Andy French	Bruce Young	Paul Jakubczak, Tim Jenkins, Steve Trall
February	Jared Ellinger	Tom Eldridge	Patrick Kelley, Rita Klavinski, Angie Marsh, John Pollack
March	Ryan Saddler	Paul Flynn	Dawn Renshaw, Brad Rockey, Kevin Rogers,

Thought for the Day or Other Ramblings

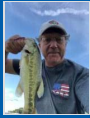
Dad Joke!



Mark Odland
District
Governor



Jacqueline
Kaye Huie
DG-Elect



Timothy A.
Lee
DG-Nominee



What do you call someone with nobody and no nose?

Nobody Knows!

Coldwater Township Sunrise Rotary Foundation

By Michael V. Beckwith

Foundation Chair - George Babcoke

Coldwater Township Sunrise Rotary (Club) was chartered on October 8, 1986. Shortly thereafter, the Coldwater Township Sunrise Rotary Foundation was established. The purpose of the Foundation was to create an endowment for sustained long term support of community projects. The Club supports the Foundation through individual donations, and through several annual fundraising projects in the region. The Foundation is used to support scholarships and other community projects on an annual basis. The Coldwater Township Sunrise Rotary Foundation is a non-profit, 501c3 organization and all donations are tax deductible to the fullest extent of the law.

Direct donations to the CTSR Foundation can be made at [click here](#).

Coldwater Township Sunrise Rotary Foundation & Sunrise Promise Scholarship Program
Supporter Recognition List can be found on the CTSR web page. [Click Here!](#)

Club Member Information

By Michael V. Beckwith

Member	Spouse	Phone #	Classification
Babcoke George ^	Kathy	724-553-9099	Steel Executive/ Retired
Baker Keith		517-462-5189	City Manager/Planner
Beckwith Mike* ^	Maggie	517-617-2359	Ed. Administration/Retired
Benjamin, Bill	Robin	313-573-7783	Project Manager/Retired
Bobilya Dean * ^	Lori	517-617-8273	Auto Dealership/ Owner
Brenneke Bill ^	Renate	616-206-4195	Architect/Retired
Butler, Jordan	Autumn	517-227-6539	Financial Advisor
Caywood Mike	Laurie	517-278-4410	Attorney
Corless, Betsey	Jerry	419-306-2015	Govt. Mngt, Analysis/Retired
Corless, Jerry	Betsey	216-502-5311	Product Manager/Retired
Cox, Candy	Kevin	517-617-1269	Clinic Manager, Health Dept.
Crandall Vanessa	Josh	269-352-5468	Social Work
Dally Craig * ^ #	Mary	517-278-5639	Retail/Tires
Danielsen Kendra ^	Randy	517-639-4908	Nursing
Danielsen Randy ^	Kendra	480-570-6293	Higher Education
Deevers Shari		269-377-4862	Ed./Community College
Dobson, Steve ^	Mary Ann	517-462-8303	Financial Planning
Dunworth Craig * ^ #	Louise	260-495-5815	Retail/Auto Parts
Eldridge Tom		517-279-6912	CPA
Ellinger Jared	Jennifer	419-344-9535	Dentist
Flynn, Paul	Missy	810-304-2043	Education
French Andrew	Lisa	517-414-1138	Development Director
Fry Gene	Louise	517-238-2305	Dentist/Retired
Gagnon Bobbi	Stan	517-278-3300	Ed. Trine University
Germann Sue	Don	517-278-2129	Mental Health
Harpst Jon ^	Ruby	517-202-7849	Marketing
Headley Sarah ^ *	Steve	517-398-7719	Banking/Loan Officer
Hemker Kim ^ *	Tom	517-462-8023	Shelter Administration
Hughes Joe ^	Karen	517-617-1777	Business/Operations
Jakubczak, Kerri	Paul	704-718-0486	
Jakubczak, Paul	Kerri	772-618-3528	Public Utility
Jenkins Kris	Tim	269-719-0504	Education/Superintendent
Jenkins, Tim	Kristine	269-425-0534	Education/Retired

Kelley, Patrick	Tracy	517-317-9817	Loss Control Insurance
Kerspilo Brian * ^	Brooke	517-279-9790	Insurance
Klavinski Rita ^	Terry	269-967-3880	Education/Retired
Lillis, Chuck*	Jane	517-617-3845	Attorney
Marsh Angie	Chad	517-617-1180	Real Estate
Merrill Kathy * ^	Rick	248-760-4428	Management Consulting
Merrill Rick * ^	Kathy	517-614-3401	Construction Management
Paul Terry	Kristine	517-639-4210	Business/Storage/Rental
Pollack John	Billie	517-279-7067	Law Enforcement/Sheriff
Renshaw, Dawn	Joe	517-918-9004	Social Marketing
Rockey Brad * ^	Patty	517-278-2488	Retail/Jewelry
Rogers Kevin	Cheryl	517-410-4870	Contractor-Retired
Saddler Ryan	Jessica	517-617-9930	Banking/Finance
Satow Dan ^	Kim	517-617-1104	Business/Auctioneer
Sattler, Alan	Lisa	517-279-5489	Hospital Administration
Schabloski Mashawn	Jason	517-990-5336	Banking/Marketing
Shenefield Sharon ^	Tom	517-617-4643	Real Estate Appraiser/Retired
Shenefield Tom * ^	Sharon	517-227-6311	Manufacturing Rep/Retired
Snoddy, Kristen	Ryan	765-432-6363	Education/Retired
Snoddy, Ryan	Kristen	765-513-4116	Education/Retired
Tower, John		425-999-6532	Chiropractor
Trall, Steve	Lynn	517-617-1750	Fire Marshall
Twardy, Kevin		989-259-0260	Banking
Walrack Dean	Sarah	517-617-0371	City Planner
Whelan Terry Ann	Jim	517-282-2822	Education/Superintendent
Wilcox Neil * ^	Phyllis	517-238-6113	Veterinarian/Retired
Young Bruce^*#	Ruth	517-278-8248	Optometrist-retired

* Past President

Charter Member

^ Paul Harris Fellow

Multiple Paul Harris Fellows:

George Babcoke
Mike Beckwith
Bill Brenneke
Kendra Danielson
Randy Danielsen
Craig Dunworth
Jon Harpst
Kim Hemker
Joe Hughes
Brian Kerspilo
Rita Klavinski
Kathy Merrill
Rick Merrill
Brad Rockey
Dan Satow
Neil Wilcox
Bruce Young

Honary Members:

Lillian Creal
Dola Gleeson
Harold Massy
Pat Roussey
Jim Whelan
Elaine Schultz
Trianne Topp
Matt Krutsch
Nancy Hutchins
Lloyd Walrack



Rotarian Code of Conduct!

Act with integrity and high ethical standards in my personal and professional life.

Deal fairly with others and treat them and their occupations with respect.

Use my professional skills through Rotary to: mentor young people, help those with special needs, and improve people's quality of life in my community and the world.

Avoid behavior that reflects adversely on Rotary or other Rotarians.

Help maintain a harassment-free environment in Rotary meetings, events, and activities, report any suspected harassment, and help insure non-retaliation to those individuals that report harassment.
