

# Rotary



## Coldwater Township Sunrise Rotary

Chartered October 8, 1986

Thursday, March 28, 2024

### 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



Joseph C  
Hughes  
President



Max William  
Benjamin  
President-  
Elect



Angie  
Marsh  
Vice  
President



Richard E.  
Merrill  
Treasurer



Kristine  
Jenkins  
Secretary



George  
Babcoke  
Rotary  
Foundation  
Chair



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



Andrew N.  
French  
iPast  
President  
Membership  
Chair



Michael V.  
Beckwith  
Bulletin  
Editor  
Club RYLA  
Chair  
Webmaster



Jared S  
Ellinger  
Club  
Director



Kerri  
Jakubczak  
Club  
Director

## Coldwater Twp. Sunrise Rotary Upcoming Events!

By Michael V. Beckwith on Wednesday, March 13, 2024

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

### ***CTSR Upcoming Events!***

#### **20th Annual CTSR Golf Outing!**

Friday, June 14, 2024  
Bella Vista Golf Course  
*Save the Date!*

#### **Annual President's Dinner!**

Thursday, June 27, 2024  
Details TBD!  
*Save the Date!*

### ***You Might Be Interested!***

#### **Jesus Christ Super Star!**

50th Anniversary of the release of the movie!  
Saturday, March 23, 2024  
Tickets available at Tibbit's box office

#### **4c Notes**

Music of the Four Seasons & Frankie Valli!  
Tibbit's  
Saturday, May 4, 2024  
Tickets available at Tibbit's box office

***Rotary International Theme for March! Create Hope in the World!***

## Review of Previous Meeting

By Michael V. Beckwith on Wednesday, March 20, 2024

**Thursday, March 21, 2024**



Dean Walrack  
Club Director



Neil L. Wilcox  
Club Director



Bruce G. Young  
Club Director  
Past President

**Events**

June 14th  
**2024 Coldwater Township Sunrise Rotary Annual Golf Outing**

**Birthdays**

- Rita Klavinski  
March 8th
- Christopher Howell  
March 17th
- Dawn Renshaw  
March 25th
- Roberta D Gagnon  
March 27th
- Bruce G. Young  
March 28th
- Brian John Kerspilo  
March 31st
- Paul Flynn  
March 31st

**Years of Service**

- Kendra Sue Danielsen  
03-28-2013  
11 Years
- Elaine R. Schultz  
03-14-2019  
5 Years

**District Leaders**



Sharalyn K. Davis  
District Governor



Jacqueline Kaye Huie  
DG-Nominee



**Member update:**

- Dan Satow has tickets to the Annual Elk's Drawdown Raffle on April 27, 2024, and the Elk's special dinner on April 13, 2024. Contact Dan for more details and tickets.
- The Annual Walk-a-Mile event is scheduled for Saturday, April 27, 2024. Dean Walrack is representing the club in the event. Please support his efforts by making a donation to his efforts.
- Several District 6360 grants are available. Volunteers needed to attend the required grant training (by Zoom) required to write the grants. Interested members should contact Rick Merrill.
- The District Conference is scheduled for May 3-4, 2024 in Kalamazoo. Saturday night of the conference is the Hero Award winners recognition banquet. Watch for email communication from the district for details or contact Rick Merrill.
- Rick is also looking for help to put together a raffle prize basket for the club for the District Conference. Help please!! The winning theme for next year's raffle is Music/Rock & Roll Legends.
- Andy gave the usual "Tibbits coming events" update. More details on Tibbits.org

**Announcements & Reminders:**

- Kerri Jacubczak will be traveling to the Dominican Republic this summer with the CHS Interact students. She is asking for donations for the residents of the village. Contact Kerri for a list of suggested items. Also, look for an email copy of the list.
- They are also looking for 9 suitcases. They are used for transporting gifts, candy and such for children. They will not be returned. If interested, contact Kerri Jacubczak.
- 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 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of the month, 7am, BISD Administration building, 366 Morse St, Coldwater. All members are invited to attend.
- Minutes of the meetings found in DACdb files.

**Golf Outing Update:** Chairperson Mike Beckwith

- The next Golf Outing is scheduled for Friday, June 14, 2024.
- The formal start of planning for the event will occur at the April 4, 2024, club meeting. 80 days until the big event.

**Raffle Update:** Chairperson Kim Hemker.

- The 36th Annual Millionaire Party is scheduled for **Saturday, January 18, 2025!**
- The theme is Music/Rock & Roll Legends.

**CTSR Foundation Update: Chairperson George**

- 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 Foundation 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**

- Dan Schwanke, President of the Promedica Coldwater Regional Hospital was the guest speaker. He gave an informative review of the operations of the hospital. A few questions followed.

**Guests/Prospective Members**

- Dan Schwanke, Interact students Mian Taylor, Yeasmeen Zamzami & Hyam Mohamed.

**Money**

- Fines and Happy dollars were collected, and Rick Merrill won \$22 in the 50-50 drawing.

**ZOOM Online Meeting Help!**

- If you need help setting 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](mailto: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 [mbv473@yahoo.com](mailto:mbv473@yahoo.com) or by phone or text @ 517-617-2359

Program Assignments 2023-2024

Date	Member	Name/Topic
March 28, 2024	Walrack, Dean	Kathie Bappert, Coldwater Community Center
April 4, 2024	Beckwith, Mike	Golf Outing
April 11, 2024	Merrill, Kathy	Becky Clark-Foster, Benton Harbor RI Global Grant
April 18, 2024	Merrill Rick	TBD
April 25, 2024	Beckwith, Mike	Julie Santure, Community Enrichment Director, City of Coldwater
May 2, 2024	Marsh Angie	TBD
May 9, 2024	Lillis Chuck	TBD
May 16, 2024	Klavinski Rita	TBD
May 23, 2024	Kerspilo Brian	TBD
May 30, 2024	No Program	Night Social Meeting

[Read More](#)

## Secretary, Treasurer & Greeters/Sergeants Assignments

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Month	Secretary	Treasurer	Sergeants/Greeters
March	Ryan Saddler	TBD	Kathy Merrill, Rick Merrill, John Pollack, Dawn Renshaw
April	Chris Howell	Andrew French	Brad Rockey, Dan Satow, Mashaun Schabloski
May	Patrick Kelly	Dean Walrack	Sharon Shenefield, Tom Shenefield, Neil Wilcox, Bruce Young

## Thought for the Day or Other Ramblings

### Thought of the Day!

Is it really Spring?

## 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
Bill Benjamin	Robin	313-573-7783	Project Manager/Retired
Bobilya Dean *	Lori	517-617-8273	Auto Dealership/ Owner
Brenneke Bill ^	Renate	616-206-4195	Architect
Butler, Jordan	Autumn	517-227-6539	Financial Advisor
Cowood, Mike	Laurie	517-278-4410	Attorney

Caywood, Mike	Laure	517-278-4410	Attorney
Corless, Betsey	Jerry	419-306-2015	Govt. Mngt, Analysis
Corless, Jerry	Betsey	206-502-5311	Retsil/Tires
Cox, Candy	Kevin	517-617-1269	Clinic Manger, 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
Dunworth Craig * ^ #	Louise	260-495-5815	Retail/Auto Parts
Eldridge Tom		517-279-6912	CPA
Elkins Ed	Sue	517-317-0950	Collision Repair
Ellinger Jared	Jennifer	517-617-3845	Dentist
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
Howell, Chris	Lauren	517-617-1149	
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
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 Keven	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, Retired
Schabloski Mashaun	Jason	517-278-1533	Banking/Marketing
Shenefield Sharon ^	Tom	517-617-4643	Real Estate Appraiser/Retired
Shenefield Tom * ^	Sharon	517-227-6311	Manufacturing Rep/Retired
Towers, John		425-999-6532	Chiropractor
Trall, Steve	Lynn	517-617-17502	Coldwater Fire Marshall
Walrack Dean	Sarah	517-617-0371	City Planner
Walrack Lloyd * ^	Sheila	517-238-2830	Business/Sales
Whelan Terry Ann	Jim	517-282-2822	Ed. Administration-retired
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:

Bill Brenneke

Kendra Danielson

Jon Harpst

Rita Klavinski

Honary Members:

Lillian Creal

Dola Gleeson

Harold Massy

Pat Roussey

Kathy Merrill  
Rick Merrill  
Brad Rockey  
Neil Wilcox  
Bruce Young  
Brian Kerspilo  
George Babcoke

Jim Whelan  
Elaine Schultz  
Trienne Topp  
Matt Krutsch

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## Coldwater Township Sunrise Rotary

Wednesday, March 20, 2024



### **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.

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