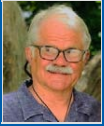


# Rotary



## Club of Williamston

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iPast President

### Speakers

**November 12, 2024**

[Murph Awards](#)  
Students of Excellence Awards

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Board Meeting

**November 26,**

### 11/12/24-Fall Murphs

#### Rotary Meeting – WUMC Hall November 12, 2024

- Attendance: 21 Members, 10 Guests
- President Earl welcomed the Students and their parents
  - He opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance
  - We then enjoyed a delicious breakfast made by the WUMC church ladies
- Then we heard about the fall Narda Murphy Students of Excellence
- Adam Spina, Williamston Superintendent, introduced the students
  - He thanked Rotary for their support of the students
  - The awards were named after Rotarian Narda Murphy, long time Superintendent of Williamston Schools
- From Dansville, **Carter Tkaczyk**



- He was accompanied by his parents, Josh & Janeen
- Josh Andrews, Dansville HS Principal listed some of Carter's accomplishments
  - Carter dedicated himself to service
  - He is on the Student Council
  - He helped raise over \$1000 for student activities
  - He has the only perfect attendance award of the seniors
  - 4.0 GPA
  - In the Jazz Band and Marching Band
  - Carter said he plans of going to MSU studying computer science
- From Williamston, **Peter Jones**



- He was accompanied by his parents Ryan & Joy
- Dr Steve Delp, Williamston HS Principal listed some of Peter's accomplishments
  - 3 Varsity Letters – football, basketball & track
  - Secretary in math & science club
  - In NHS & an engineering club
  - 4.0+ GPA
  - Very involved outside of school
  - He said he is a role model for other students
  - Some staff comments:
    - Excellent student, leadership qualities
    - Leads by example
    - Going to be extremely successful
    - Willing to work with everyone
- Peter said he plans on going to Taylor University studying Biology to pursue a career in medicine
- From Webberville – **William Schriener**
  - Unfortunately, Webberville was a no-show
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- After the students and parents left, we had Happy Dollars
- Naomi gave instructions for picking up cards with gift information about the families to help for the Holidays.
  - Dec. 6 (Bring gifts for families by this date!)
- Taste of Williamston – Raj
  - Every member was involved – great
  - They will be finalizing the paperwork
    - Approximately \$30,000 in profit
    - More details to come
- Blessing Box – Wendy Carr
  - She showed us a new plan – providing meal kits
    - Spaghetti Meal kit – good response
    - Casserole kit
    - Breakfast kit
  - Some things left in the box – not wanted
    - Like candy – ants got into
  - Sharon said the Garden Club will be doing meal kits for the BB
- Christmas Party – Earl
  - In planning stages
- Concluded with the 4-Way Test (+1)

## Thought for the Week

By Gene Klco on Monday, July 1, 2024

**“Everything comes to the one who waits, if they work while they wait.”**

## Joke of the Week

By Gene Klco

Only the Irish have Jokes Like These

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An Irishman who had a little too much to drink is driving home from the city one night and, of course, his car is weaving violently all over the road.

A cop pulls him over. " So," says the cop to the driver, where have ya been?"

"Why, I've been to the pub of course," slurs the drunk. "

Well," says the cop, "it looks like you've had quite a few to drink this evening."

" I did all right," the drunk says with a smile.

"Did you know," says the cop, standing straight and folding his arms across his chest, that a few intersections back, your wife fell out of your car?"

"Oh, thank heavens," sighs the drunk."For a minute there, I thought I'd gone deaf."

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Mary Clancy goes up to Father O' Grady after his Sunday morning service, and she's in tears.

My husband passed away last night."

The priest says, "Oh, Mary, that's terrible. Tell me, Mary, did he have any last requests?"

She says, "That he did, Father."

The priest says, "What did he ask, Mary? "

She says, He said, 'Please Mary, put down that damn gun...'

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A drunk staggers into a Catholic Church, enters a confessional booth, sits down, but says nothing.

The Priest coughs a few times to get his attention but the drunk continues to sit there.

Finally, the Priest pounds three times on the wall.

The drunk mumbles, "ain't no use knockin, there's no paper on this side either!"

## November Birthdays

By Gene Klco

Wishes for a Happy Birthday in **November** go out to:

**Paul Tarr November 27**