

# Rotary

## Club of Northville



### Events

No Events found

### Birthdays

Jeffrey R. Smith  
December 6th  
Laura N. Mancini  
December 24th  
Nick Traskal  
December 29th  
Francisco Plaza  
January 4th

### Club Meeting

Northville  
Meets at First Presbyterian  
Church (2nd and 4th  
Tuesdays only)  
200 E Main St  
Northville, MI 48167-1680  
Time: Tuesday at 12:05 PM

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## Rotary Round-Up

*A between-meetings collection of what's happening with our Club, District 6400, and Rotary International.*

### Tuesday, December 12<sup>th</sup> Meeting – Lunch Sign Up

Our next meeting is Tuesday, December 12<sup>th</sup> at 12:05 p.m.

**Our club meeting is at Genitti's and we will enjoy a holiday performance from the Northville High School choir.**

The sign-up for lunch is now active (link below). The deadline to sign up is **2:00 p.m on Monday, December 11<sup>th</sup>.**

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0F4CACAB2FABF4C70-46471519-rotary>

Please note, we have a hard deadline to RSVP because we need to give Genitti's a total count. We will not be able to accommodate those who show up without an RSVP.

It should be a great meeting to attend. We will present Meijer gift cards to Civic Concern as a result of the phenomenal work from the club with Goodfellows. We won't announce the total contribution here, so you'll have to wait until the club meeting for the announcement.

Another bit of club business that needs to be done is voting on our nominations. We are still accepting nominations between now and December 11<sup>th</sup>. At our meeting on the 12<sup>th</sup>, we will distribute ballots at the beginning of the meeting and then collect the ballots at the conclusion of the meeting. The following have received nominations,

President-Elect: Michele Kelly (accepted)

President-Nominee: One person was nominated, but I haven't received an acceptance yet

Treasurer: No nominations yet

Foundation Trustee (2): We will vote on two

- Patrick Giesa (accepted)
- Bill Moylan (accepted)
- Carol Schrauben (accepted)
- Tim Story (accepted)

### Michigan Philharmonic Holiday Concert and Preshow glow – Friday, December 8<sup>th</sup>

The Michigan Philharmonic event for Friday is **SOLD OUT** but there is a preshow social at the Northville Gallery starting at 5:30 PM. Bring an appetizer and beverage of choice and socialize before the event. Those that bought tickets, the event begins at 7:30 PM at the Marquis Theatre.

### Club Holiday Party – Saturday, December 9

The annual club holiday party is this Saturday at Bob and Margene Buckhave's house starting at 6:00 PM. Please bring your beverage of choice as well as a dish to pass. **Please RSVP by Thursday, December 7<sup>th</sup> by replying to this email.**

We are also collecting lightweight socks for children from grade school age to junior high. Marita Smith is taking these socks to children in need in Mexico early in 2024. This is a Rotary partnership that Marita established years ago. If you prefer to donate to the cause, we are also collecting donations that help support their food program that feeds school children in need, breakfast and lunch, 3 days a week.

Bob and Margene's home is at 145 N. Center Street. Park in the lot at Wing and Dunlap.

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### **Rotary Bowling Social â€“ January 3<sup>rd</sup>**

Our annual bowling social event is coming fast! If you haven't attended this event in the past, you're missing out. If you don't bowl, don't worry! Based on scores in the past, not many in the club do either. It's a great time and hope you can join us.

We will be bowling on January 3<sup>rd</sup> at 6:30 PM (sharp). It's \$25.00 a person for 2 games, shoes, and food. You can pay Guy Bardsley via cash, check, or Venmo (@Guy-Bardsley). **Please RSVP by December 27<sup>th</sup>.**

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### **Club Meeting Recap â€“ November 28<sup>th</sup>**

We had a great speaker present to the club at our last club meeting. Kim Spirou is a Rotarian in the Rotary Club of Essex (Ontario). Kim spoke passionately about the work that Rotary has done in Ghana. Kim has helped lead countless number of Rotary projects in Ghana for communities in need. Rotary projects focused on providing water for communities, basic education needs for children, disease prevention and treatment to name a few. It was a moving speech and personified how Rotary is making a difference in the lives of many. Our Rotary Club of Northville Foundation proudly presented a \$1,000 check to Kim for her continued work in Ghana.

Lynne Badeen pulled the Queen of Hearts and won the raffle. No one has pulled the Queen of Hearts in a few years and Lynne won over \$2,000! Congratulations Lynne! We should also note that Lynne donated more than half of it back to the club.

Lastly, the club hosted Rotary Rewind in the evening of the 28<sup>th</sup> at the Sports Den. We had about 15 in attendance. We briefed the group on what's new with the club and then enjoyed dinner and fellowship. If it's tough to make our Noon meeting, this is a great way to feel engaged. Come to our next Rewind and check it out!

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### **Upcoming Events and Meetings**

**Friday, December 8** â€“ Michigan Phil Holiday Pops Concert-Pre concert social at Northville Gallery at 5:30 PM

**Saturday, December 9** â€“ Northville Rotary Holiday party at Bob Buckhave's house

**Monday, December 11** â€“ Salvation Army bell ringing from 10:00 am â€“ 8:00 pm

**Tuesday, December 12** â€“ Club Meeting â€“ Rotary Holiday performance by Northville High School Choir

**Wednesday, January 3** â€“ Rotary Bowling

**Friday, May 3** â€“ **Sunday, May 5** â€“ District 6400 Conference at the Amway Grand Plaza in Grand Rapids



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IN OUR COMMUNITIES AND IN OURSELVES



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