

# Rotary Club of Northville



## Events

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## Birthdays

Tim Story  
May 16th

Rene Roberts  
May 23rd

German Reyes  
May 26th

Jennifer A Walker  
May 26th

Marita A. Smith  
May 29th

David J. Boyd  
June 8th

## 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



## Rotary Round-Up

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

### Tuesday Meeting - Lunch Sign Up

Our next meeting is Tuesday, May 23. The sign-up for lunch is now active (link below).

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0f4cacab2fabf4c70-meeting2>

Please note, you do not have to purchase a lunch to attend the meeting. You can skip lunch or bring your own.

Lunch will be sandwiches provided by The Little Salumi, chips, and a drink. The cost will remain at \$15. You will choose a specific sandwich when you sign up (details are provided on the sign-up page).

**Please sign up by 5:00 p.m. Monday. Sign-up is required if you want a lunch. If you sign up and do not attend the meeting, you will be billed for your lunch.**

### Lunch Punch Cards

If you'd prefer not to have to deal with paying for lunch every meeting, consider a pre-paid lunch punch card. They are now available in blocks of 5 (\$75) or 10 (\$150) lunches. You will be required to have your punch card with you at the meeting -- if you forget it, you will need to pay the \$15 fee that week. (Don't forget we can take PayPal or Venmo, as well.) See Alan Somershoe or Lynne Badeen for a card.

Thank you for your prompt attention!

### Membership Dues

We have discussed our finances at some recent meetings and the Board has been discussing them as well. As we all know well, prices have increased everywhere lately, and our expenses are no exception. Although we don't have a high overhead and only a minor amount of incidentals, our fees per member for Rotary International and District 6400 have increased by 12% since our last dues increase, and the RI fees are set to increase another 16.5% over the next three years. (This is only the per-capita fee, and does not include the Rotary magazine fees.)

Our last membership dues increase was in January 2019, when dues increased by \$100 per year. The Board is proposing a modest (less than 10%) dues increase of \$30 per year, effective July 1, 2023 (payable at \$15 per semi-annual billing period).

Lynne Badeen sent out recent financial statements to show how our dues money is used. We will vote on this at our May 23 meeting. If you have any comments and will not be at the meeting, please send them to Jennifer at [rcnpresident@gmail.com](mailto:rcnpresident@gmail.com) or any other Board member.

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## Rouge River Revived (Revisited)

Due to technical difficulties, our speaker on May 9 was not able to share his presentation on the big screen. It has been uploaded to our Google Drive for you to view at your leisure:

[Rouge River Revived](#)

(As a reminder, several of our past guest presentations are available to view on the [Google Drive](#).)

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## District Conference 2023

We had a great time at District Conference this year; Jennifer Jones attend and was, as always, an inspiration. Our keynote speaker on Sunday was Mitch Albom, who spoke about the orphanage he runs in Haiti. There was not a dry eye in the house by the time he finished; stay tuned for more information on that project. It was great celebration for Traci's year as District Governor and it was fun to collaborate with District 6380.



Northville Rotary was honored to have three **Council of Governor (COG)** award winners this year:

- Sue Campbell
- Kevin Kelly
- Michele Kelly (the Other Michele Kelly)

Congratulations to all!

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## Meet the Governor Night

For the **70th** time the Harrow Rotary Club is honoured to be hosting the annual **"Meet the Governor Night"** for District 6400 on **Tuesday, June 27, 2023**.

This year we will be thanking **Traci Sincock** for her year of service and welcoming our incoming **Governor Russ Jones**, a member of the Plymouth Rotary Club.

### CHANGE IN VENUE

**"Meet the Governor Night"** will be held at the **Coachwood Golf & Country Club, (formerly Fox Glen Golf Course) 7525 Howard Ave. Amherstburg, ON NOR 1J0**. Social hour begins at 5:30 pm with dinner at 7:00 pm. The price for the evening is **\$55.00** in Canadian currency or **\$45.00** in US currency.

We will be turning over the "Home of the District Governor" banner at this event, so it would be nice to have a Northville contingent to close out Traci's year.

If you are interested in attending, please let me know by **Monday, June 5**. I will submit the list of attendees from our club to Harrow, per their request.

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## Save the Date

We will be holding our annual Installation Dinner on **Thursday, June 29**, where the torch - er, bell - will be passed to Kevin Kelly as our incoming President and the rest of the new Board members. Details will follow soon, but figure around 6:00 p.m. for the festivities to start.

## Area Rotary Events

**May 20** - Livonia Rotary will be having "An afternoon of wine in the park" on May 20th at Rotary Park. Looks like a fun opportunity to socialize and have a glass while supporting a great cause! Limited tickets are sold. Details at [www.livoniarotary.org](http://www.livoniarotary.org).

**May 25** - Westland Rotary will be drawing for their Tigers baseball suite raffle. The Fifth Third suite is for the June 10 game vs. the Diamondbacks and includes accommodations for 18 people and 5 parking passes. Jennifer has several tickets that were sent to us by Westland Rotary and will have them at the May meetings. Tickets are \$20 each. Check out [Westland's Facebook](#) page for more information.

**May 26** - Windsor-Roseland Rotary has invited us to their 38th Annual Roseland Rotary Lobsterfest - A Maritime Party! Lobster dinner, silent auction, raffle, dancing, and entertainment. Head to their website at [roselandrotary.com](http://roselandrotary.com) and look for the golden ticket.

**June 1** - Novi Rotary is holding their annual Golf Outing at Links of Novi. Details at [novirotarygolf.com](http://novirotarygolf.com). They are looking for players, sponsors, and volunteers.

## Golf de Ville Call to Action!



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June  
2023

Northville Rotary Foundation's  
**2023 Golf de Ville  
Charity Classic**

All proceeds will benefit the Northville Rotary Foundation's grants and projects that support our community.

Golf Arnold Palmer's Signature course in Northville, plus enjoy food, drinks, prizes, guest speaker and more.

Register your spot Now!  
NorthvilleRotaryFoundation.org

For More Information  
GolfdeVille@gmail.com

Northville Hills Golf Club  
15565 Bay Hill Dr  
Northville, MI 48168

Our first Charity Classic Golf Event is approaching quickly, June 26, 2023!

We will now begin collecting items for our silent auction.

### Items needed:

- Bottles of Wine
- Bottles of Spirits
- Bottles of Mixers
- Gift cards, Gift cards:
  - Restaurants
  - Grocery Stores
  - Golf Stores
- Lottery Tickets

- Sports Clothing, U of M, MI State or your favorite school!
- Family board games
- Golf items, range finders, umbrellas, golf clothing, gift cards for a round of golf.
- Baskets, please search your homes for good reusable baskets, we all probably have a couple!

Items can be brought to a meeting, or you can drop them off at my house, 41980 Waterfall Rd Northville. I can also pick up items from you!

It takes a lot of time to create a basket, so let's get ahead of the game!

If you would prefer to donate cash and let us create a basket, that's fine. Mail a check payable to Rotary Club of Northville to 143 Cadfy Centre #109 (note in memo line, Golf DeVille Basket) and we will get it done for you!

This is our first event, so let's put some great baskets together!

Please contact me with questions at 313-779-5921

Lynne Badeen

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## **Volunteer Opportunities**

### **Farmers Market - Thursdays, May 4 through October 23**

The Chamber of Commerce is asking for help with the Farmer's Market this year, not only with directing parking and corralling wagons, but also some surveying and demographic research. This commitment is on a week-by-week basis - you do not have to volunteer for the entire season!

The Chamber has created a sign-up so you can select the date(s) and time(s) that work best for you.

**Please note:** You must check a box for each month. If you are not able to sign up for a particular month or are not sure yet, be sure to check the "I cannot do any dates in [month]" box to submit your form. (You can always come back and sign up later for another date.)

Here is the link to the sign-up:

<https://www.northville.org/form/view/16569>

If you have any questions, please contact Olivia at the chamber: [olivia@northville.org](mailto:olivia@northville.org) or call the number listed on the form.

### **Arts & Acts - Northville Art House - June 16, 17, 18**

The Art House is asking for help with their 35th annual Arts & Acts festival, which is their main fundraising event. The event will include the following attractions:

- "Art in the Sun" Juried Fine Arts fest with 100 artists from around the country in 10x10 tents ~ prizes awarded to top artists from the Northville Art House
- "Acts" - Musicians, Singers, Theatrical performances - professional, local, and youth creatives providing entertainment
- Fine Art Gallery Exhibition in the Art House gallery - meet and greet with showing artists
- "Inclusion Gallery" - a sensory friendly gallery experience in the Art House lower studio for visitors with diverse abilities
- Northville Public Library partnership art-course exhibition of classwork in the Inclusion Gallery
- NHS Robotics Team showing off their creative technical skills
- Interactive Exhibits for all visitors
- Chalk Walk
- Live Plein Air artists creating throughout downtown at key partner business location in Northville helping to raise awareness for the festival

- Ice Carving
- Contests for visitors with prizes from Orin Jewelers
- Local Partnership participation from Northville businesses
- Food Trucks
- Evening Cash Bar
- Pup Zone

The sign up link is here:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0b48abab2aaaff2-2023#/>

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## Upcoming Events

**Thursdays - Farmers Market**Volunteers needed

**Saturday, May 20 – Rouge River Clean-Up Day**

**Wednesday, May 31 - Service Committee Meeting**at Susan Cobello's home

**Friday, June 16 - Sunday, June 18 – Northville Art House**  
Volunteers needed

**Monday, June 26 – Golf de Ville**

**Thursday, June 29 - Installation Celebration**

**Tuesday, July 4 – Independence Day Parade**

**Friday, July 14 - Northville Night**Starting at White Buffalo, ending at Northville Downs  
Watch your e-mail for more information!

**Saturday, September 23 – Victorian Festival Beer Tent**

**Saturday, November 18 - Goodfellows Newspaper Drive**



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**TOGETHER** WE SEE A WORLD  
WHERE **PEOPLE** UNITE AND TAKE ACTION  
TO **CREATE** LASTING  
**CHANGE** ACROSS THE GLOBE  
IN OUR COMMUNITIES AND IN OURSELVES

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