

Rotary



Club of Carmel GEARBOX Newsletter

Club Meeting

Carmel
Fridays @ Woodland
Country Club (11:45am
- 1pm)
Friday at 11:45 AM

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Gary Sexton
President

Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Program Guest Speaker is Allegra Nottage - This Friday



Allegra Nottage, Midcontinent Independent System Operator (MISO) human resources and chief diversity officer, has more than 20 years of progressive global experience as a human resources leader with expertise in talent management, change management and Diversity and Inclusion (D&I).

Based at the company's headquarters in Carmel, IN, Allegra serves on the operating committee. Her D&I experience covers a wide range, from standard areas such as recruiting, to more advanced areas of inclusion and equity, such as management accountability. Prior to joining MISO, she served as vice president, head of human resources and talent management at an Indianapolis-based claim management firm.

Allegra previously led talent effectiveness programs at Cigna Insurance Corp., such as global onboarding design and the design and implementation of executive-level talent assessments. Additionally, Allegra led D&I efforts at Bank of America as part of the Global Diversity & Inclusion team, where she oversaw more than 200 global employee resource groups for a workforce of 300,000 and partnered with senior executive sponsors and Board members.

Born and raised in Charlottesville, Virginia, Allegra had the opportunity to live in many locations as her family was stationed at various U.S. military bases such as Walter Reed in Washington, D.C, West Point Academy in New York and Fitzsimons in Colorado. She earned a bachelor's degree in organizational management from Wilmington University.

Allegra follows a line of special speakers who have addressed the Club on Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day: Dr. Khaula Murtadha; Jeffrey Harrison; Dr. Eugene White; Jamal Smith; Ralph Taylor; Mollie Jeffers and Alan Bacon.

Spread The Word and Buy Your Tickets



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Secretary



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Greg Pilling
Assistant Treasurer



Jason Randlett
Club Youth Services Chair



Michael E. Warren
Rotary Foundation Chair



Cindy Davis
iPast President

Your help is needed to spread the word and help sell tickets for this incredible event. This is a wonderful opportunity for our club to raise money so we can continue doing our good work in the community.

Make sure to purchase your ticket early and share the information with your network.

Let's make this an event to remember!

PRESENTED BY THE ROTARY CLUB OF CARMEL

Arte d'Italia

Authentically Italian Celebration of our Cortona Sister City in the Heart of Carmel

Join Us In Celebration

<p>FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 17th Black-tie, Cortona-inspired Dinner and Jazz Concert Featuring the AB&C Trio from Cortona, Italy, at Feinstein's Cabaret Club</p>	<p>SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 19th World-renowned Pianist Francesco Attesti of Cortona, Italy, Performs at the Palladium with the Carmel Symphony Orchestra</p>
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arteditalia.org

Proceeds from the events will benefit the many local organizations and projects the Rotary Club of Carmel supports throughout the year.

Please welcome Jess A. Lawhead for Reinstatement in the Rotary Club of Carmel

By David I Hollander

Jess has now requested reinstatement back into the Rotary Club of Carmel. He previously requested a pause in his membership due to Covid and time constraints related to job & family. He is now excited to be able to reengage in our club activities and serve the community. Jess is a managing director with Northern Commercial. He specializes in commercial investment. He is married with children.



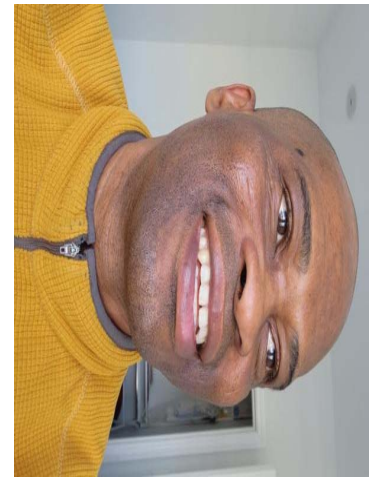
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Club Social
Chair



Please welcome Nam Mokuwunye for transfer to the Rotary Club of Carmel

By David I Hollander

Nam was an active Rotarian in the Rotary Club of Florence, Alabama. He recently moved to Carmel due to his job. He now requests a transfer to our club. He is currently the Corporate & Business Strategy Advisor at Midcontinent Independent System Operator (MISO). Miso, which is headquartered in Carmel, operates the power grid and a \$30B market across 15 states. He has worked in art, entertainment, fintech, healthtech and the telecom sector as well. He is married with one child. His hobbies include sports, current events, and entrepreneurship. He previously led a team for the Gates Foundation that built a mapping app which contributed to the eradication of Polio in Nigeria.



Rotary Members - Are You New to DACdb?

DACdb is the database that houses details for Carmel Rotarians, the Carmel club, and District 6560. If you are new to DACdb or need a refresher, then go to the newly created link titled 'How to's on DACdb' on the website's left navigation bar, under Club Links.

From here you can learn how to:

- Login
- Change Your Password
- Update Your Contact Information
- Enter a Make Up

***If you have previously logged into DACdb but don't remember your password, then contact Andrea Rice to have your password reset. You can directly email her by clicking on the 'Member Directory' link on the left navigation bar of the website. Once the page opens, scroll to Andrea's name and click on it. Fill out the requested information, including a note to reset your password. Click 'Send Mail'.

Important Links

[Carmel Rotary Website](#)

[Pay Club Dues Here](#)

[District 6560 Website](#)

[Carmel Rotary Facebook Page](#)

[Rotary International Website](#)

Experience "Arte D'Italia" at the Celebration Launch Weekend February 17 & 19, 2023

Presented by the Rotary Club of Carmel for the Carmel/Cortona Sister City Friendship, this event will feature world-renowned pianist and Cortona Deputy Mayor, Francesco Attesti.

The celebration fundraiser starts Friday, February 17th at 5:30 p.m. with a black-tie, Cortona-inspired dinner and jazz concert featuring Attesti and two of his classically trained musicians at Feinstein's Cabaret Club. On Sunday, February 19th at 7 p.m., pianist Francesco Attesti of Cortona, Italy, will be performing with the Carmel Symphony Orchestra showcasing Attesti's classical talent with a concert including compositions from Rossini, Copland, and Grieg.

The evening then concludes with an "Elegantly Italian" VIP dessert reception at 8:30 p.m. featuring Italian-inspired desserts, coffees, and liqueurs at Hotel Carmichael in the Cole Porter Ballroom.

A presto!

EVENT DETAILS:

Special Black-Tie Event at Feinstein's Cabaret Club

Friday, February 17, 2023

Doors open 5:30 p.m.

Five Course Tuscan Dinner with Paired Wines from Cortona 6 p.m.

Performance by Jazz Ensemble AB&C Trio of Cortona, Italy 7:30 p.m.

Price: \$600 per ticket (includes the Dinner, Concert and VIP Reception)

Special Concert Event at The Palladium

Classical Pianist Francesco Attesti of Cortona, Italy, performing with the Carmel Symphony Orchestra

Sunday, February 19, 2023, 7 p.m.

Price: \$40 - \$125 (based on seat selection)

"Elegantly Italian" VIP Dessert Reception at Hotel Carmichael

Italian desserts, coffees, and liqueurs

Sunday, February 19, 2023, 8:30 p.m.

Cole Porter Ballroom

Price: \$75 per ticket

Club Member Anniversaries



[Kumiko K. Brunson](#)
22 Years



[David Pencak](#)
16 Years



[Jon Walker](#)
11 Years



[Marta H. Spence](#)
11 Years



[Sharleen Miller](#)
11 Years



[Robert Wright Swanay](#)
4 Years



[Kwan Hui](#)
4 Years



[Lorene Burkhart](#)
2 Years



[Greg Pilling](#)
0 Years



[Monica Frauhiger](#)
0 Years

Birthdays

[Andrew Nisenshal](#)
January 19th

[Kurt A. Rupenthal](#)
January 25th

[Winston Long](#)
February 5th

[Marie Szilard](#)
February 15th

[Brian G. Poindexter](#)
January 24th

[Mark Satz](#)
February 4th

[Jason Randlett](#)
February 7th

[Peggy A Powell](#)
February 17th

[Michael E. Warren](#)
January 25th

[Heather Dickerson](#)
February 4th

[Ramesh K Joshi](#)
February 14th



Wedding Anniversaries

No Wedding Anniversaries Found