

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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Events & Speakers

December 30th
**No
Meeting...Christmas
Break**

January 6th
**Carmel Weekly Club
Meeting - Off Site**

January 12th
Carmel 5:31 Club

January 13th
**Carmel Weekly Club
Meeting - Off Site
@ Carmel Library**

January 20th
**Carmel Weekly Club
Meeting**

Dr. Ian McIntosh. Speaker for January 6, 2023



Dr. Ian McIntosh will speak about the Sacred Journeys around the world

As we conclude celebrating our various religious traditions during these short dark days of winter, what could be more uplifting than learning about unknown sacred places around the world? Some you may know about or have traveled to, but Ian McIntosh, PhD, will share stories of the power of sacred places most of us have never heard of.

This meeting will take place at:
The Stratford, 2460 Glebe Street, Carmel Indiana (street parking)

Join Us January 12th



5:31 CLUB

OSTERIA *by Fabio Viviani*

THURSDAY JANUARY 12TH

PLEASE RSVP
BY MONDAY
JAN 9TH



317-456-2949



Club Leaders



Gary Sexton
President



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President - Elect



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Treasurer



Arnold Elston
President - Nominee



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Amy Jo Stark
Co-Public

Rotary Club of Carmel  **LOCATED INSIDE MARKET DISTRICT**
11505 ILLINOIS STREET
CARMEL, IN 46032
Everyone is welcome to join!



Spread The Word and Buy Your Tickets

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

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 17th

Black-tie, Cortona-inspired Dinner and Jazz Concert
Featuring the AB&C Trio from Cortona, Italy
at Feinstein's Cabaret Club

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 19th

World-renowned Pianist Francesco Attesti
of Cortona, Italy, Performing at the Palladium
with the Carmel Symphony Orchestra

A presto!

artedItalia.org

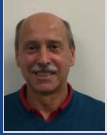
Proceeds from the events will benefit the many local organizations and
projects the Rotary Club of Carmel supports throughout the year.



Relations
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Hollander
Membership
Chair



James R.
Laverdiere
Service
Projects
Chair



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Frauhiger
Club Service
Chair



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President



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Club Social
Chair

Upcoming Speakers

December 30th

No meeting

January 6th

Dr. Ian McIntosh

Pacers Night Out V

The Rotary Club of Carmel Presents:

Pacers Night Out V
Friday, February 3, 2023

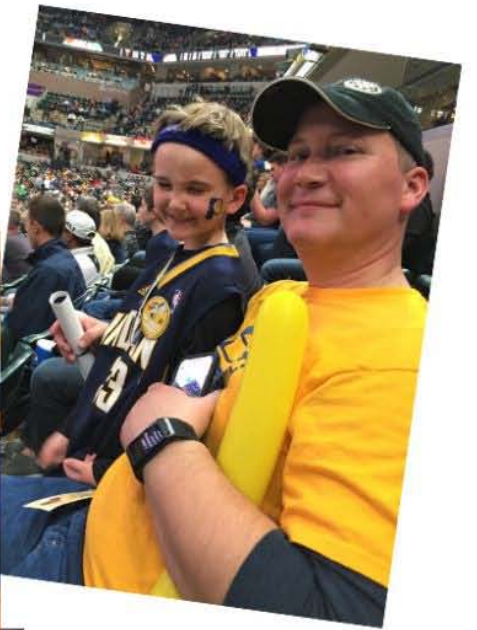
Pre-Game Social Hour at Sullivan's Hosted by John Stanley (It's Always Great!!)
Sacramento Kings vs. Indiana Pacers Featuring the Return of Domantas Sabonis
Family Night at Gainbridge Fieldhouse Includes Voucher for Hot Dog, Chips, and Drink + Pacers Cap
Special Halftime Speaker

An Opportunity to Support the Rotary Foundation and Carmel Rotary's Two Adopted Elementary Schools

All for \$85.00 Per Person

Three Easy Ways to Make Your Reservation:
Pay Mandy Woodbury at Our Friday Meeting
Mail Your Check to Mandy Woodbury, Rotary Club of Carmel, P.O. Box 546, Carmel, Indiana 46082
Go Online, Rotary Club of Carmel Indiana (Square Site)
Please Make Checks Payable to Pacers Night Out

Questions: Contact Arnold Elston or Rick Markoff



TODD TAYLOR: Halftime Speaker Pacers Night Out, Friday, February 3, 2023



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Halftime Speaker
Pacers Night Out, Friday, February 3, 2023

The Rotary Club of Carmel is pleased to announce that Todd Taylor, Pacers Sports & Entertainment, President and Chief Commercial Officer, will be our special speaker at halftime for Pacers Night Out.

In Todd's capacity with Pacers Sports & Entertainment, he oversees Broadcasting; Corporate Partnerships; Customer Insight and Engagement; Entertainment; Digital Marketing and Brand Strategy; Pacers Esports, LLC; Ticket Sales & Service; and Customer Loyalty.

Todd's diverse set of experiences in major league sports before coming to the Pacers in 2011 includes Vice President, Ticket Sales, Columbus Blue Jackets, NHL; Vice President, Ticket Sales and Service, Portland Trail Blazers, NBA; Vice President, Consumer Marketing, Milwaukee Brewers, MLB; and Executive Vice President, Ticket Sales and Marketing, Texas Rangers, MLB.

His unique set of skills, according to those closest to Todd, are Team Leadership, Idea Generation and Creative Solutions, Problem Solving, Global Strategy, and Return on Investment Maximization.

Pacers Night Out includes a social hour at Sullivan's hosted by John Stanley; game ticket in Section 119 for the Sacramento Kings vs. the Indiana Pacers; voucher for a hot dog, chips, and soft drink; Pacers cap; halftime presentation by Todd Taylor; contribution to the Rotary International Foundation; and more...all for \$85.00 per person.

Members may also choose to underwrite a student and/or the student's parents from one of two Carmel elementary schools supported by the Rotary Club of Carmel for \$85.00.

Reservations for Pacers Night Out must be made by January 3, 2023. Contact Arnold Elston or Rick Markoff for details.

Holiday Fun - Go Find a Service Buddy



We have another service Elf! Thanks Natalie O'Hara for volunteering at Christkindlmarkt and we hope your service Buddy, Sue Maki is feeling better!

There is still time to grab a service buddy and volunteer at the Carmel Christkindlmarkt, voted #1 in the USA for a second straight year!

Carmel's award winning Christkindlmarkt is open through December 30. Rotarians are very familiar with the amount of effort it takes to pull off a community event of this magnitude (Carmelfest!), and understand first hand how difficult it is to staff volunteers over our 2 day event. Christkindlmarkt runs for over 6 weeks and still has hundreds of volunteer opportunities available. The holiday season is busy and cold, so while this volunteer opportunity may not be for everyone, it's a great opportunity to spend some quality 1:1 time with fellow Rotarians outside of our weekly meeting.

To make it a little more fun, and to promote fellowship amongst our members, we are going to try a **'Service Buddy' Challenge**. Ask a friend member, ask a new member, ask a member you would like to get to know better and signup TOGETHER for a volunteer slot. There are several roles available: greeter, picture taker, survey taker, kinderecke support (helping kids with crafts). All of the shifts offer at least 2 volunteer slots per role, so you can signup with a friend.

Be sure to take a selfie with your buddy when working your shift and send them to me (beth.r.sexton@gmail.com) so we can recognize your awesome service.

Here is the link that will take you to the volunteer page. All dates and open shifts are listed.
<https://carmel-christkindlmarkt-inc.volunteerlocal.com/volunteer/?id=67876>

So, go find a Service Buddy, sign up, take a selfie, and HAVE FUN with community service while spending quality 1:1 time with your fellow Rotarians.

Yours in Service,
Beth Sexton, Community Service Co-Chair

Sponsorship Opportunities for Arte d'Italia



The image shows a table titled "SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES" with three columns representing different sponsorship levels: \$10,000 Virtuoso Sponsor, \$5,000 Forte Sponsor, and \$2,500 Allegro Sponsor. Each column lists the benefits and perks associated with that sponsorship level.

\$10,000 VIRTUOSO SPONSOR	\$5,000 FORTE SPONSOR	\$2,500 ALLEGRO SPONSOR
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 4 VIP Packages (Includes Friday VIP Five Course Tuscan Dinner at Feinstein's Cabaret Club, Sunday Concert at The Palladium, and the "Elegantly Italian" VIP Dessert Reception at Hotel Carmichael)• Recognition at the Concert Performance• Friday and Sunday Evening Valet Parking Tickets• Full Page Ad in the Commemorative Program Book• Logo on Signage• Logo on Event Promotions	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 2 VIP Packages (Includes Friday VIP Five Course Tuscan Dinner at Feinstein's Cabaret Club, Sunday Concert at The Palladium, and the "Elegantly Italian" VIP Dessert Reception at Hotel Carmichael)• Friday and Sunday Evening Valet Parking Tickets• Half Page Ad in the Commemorative Program Book• Logo on Signage• Logo on Event Promotions	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 4 Tickets to the Sunday Concert at The Palladium• 4 Tickets to the "Elegantly Italian" VIP Dessert Reception at Hotel Carmichael• Sunday Evening Valet Parking Ticket• Quarter Page Ad in the Commemorative Program Book• Logo on Signage• Logo on Event Promotions

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



[Marc S Johnson](#)
1 Year



[Greg Pilling](#)
0 Years



[Monica Frauhiger](#)
0 Years

Birthdays

[Christine Zoccola](#)
December 28th

[Salim K. Najjar PDG. 2010-11](#)
January 6th

[Brian D. Rhea](#)
January 10th

[David P. Luedtke](#)
January 15th

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

[Daniel Hylant Jr.](#)
January 1st

[John Kerr](#)
January 9th

[Phillip G. Anderson](#)
January 12th

[Andrew Nisenshal](#)
January 19th

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

[Jerome Roberts](#)
January 1st

[Jon E. Olson](#)
January 9th

[Zackary Darring](#)
January 12th

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

Wedding Anniversaries

[Brian G. Poindexter](#)
December 28th

[Marc S Johnson](#)
January 18th

[Christine Zoccola](#)
December 28th

[Tatyana Komarova](#)
January 17th