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TRI VILLAGE ROTARY CLUB. <http://www.trivillagerotary.org>

Upper Arlington/Grandview Heights/Marble Cliff

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District 6690

Important dates

Due to the Coronavirus guidelines:

Our meetings will be held online until further notice. We can use the same zoom meeting ID each week. Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89033710068?pwd=RUZ1V1ZiVEV5ZUYxaVIORDICb09aZz09>

Mar 17 - Speaker TBD, Club vote on Officers

Mar 24 – TBD

Mar 31 – 5th week, no meeting

April 7 – Nala Key, Columbus Zoo and Aquarium

March 31st will be the 5th Wednesday, the Club is will not meet this date; the social activity for the month is the axe throwing event to culminate the food drive contest with New Albany

Gold Outing – Wes reminded members that Jim Edwards is seeking volunteers to assist with fund raising, golfer registration and coordinating the event.

Wes – Syntero annual recognition event will be virtual this year. It is scheduled for April 16th at 8:00 am. Tri-Village Rotary is their second largest donor. Wes will provide information for those that may want to attend.

David Jones presented a slate of nominations for the Club Officers (see Scrapbook section). Voting will take place next week. David indicated Tim Huffman will serve a Chair of the Foundation and thanked other Chairs for continuing to serve as leaders. Anyone interesting in serving in a different role should contact David.

Adam Parsons mentioned “Be the Match” seeking bone marrow donors for Baby Noah on March 24 from 2-4 the UA Veterinarian Hospital.

Sergeant at Arms: None

Happy Bucks: All funds go to Polio Plus
Wes \$50 for skipping Happy \$ last week (senior moment). David Varda \$50 match; Doug Torrance \$50 match due to Polio Plus and Big 10 Men’s Basketball. Wade Melnick \$20 for shot at the Schott, Gloria Heydlauff \$20 UA Schools reopening and progress with vaccinations, Bryan England \$30 UA Varsity Basketball team (Go Bears!), David Jones \$50 second vaccine shot, Meg Talmage \$20 for the great weather, Pat Stewart \$20 UA Schools reopening, Carol \$30 schools reopening going well, keeping cases down with quarantine process and for Andy Geistfeld for his work and being able to postpone next school levy another year, Debbie McLaughlin \$20 for taking son to medical specialist in Florida, and Bob Argo \$20 for his vaccination.

Speaker: Joe Henderson introduced speaker Derek Grosso Founder and Owner of Columbus Young Professionals Club and UA resident.

Scrapbook

Officer Nominations:

Vice President – Tim Mardas

Directors – Bryan England & Carmen Savarino

Renewing Terms:

Secretary – Doug Torrance

Sergaent-at-Arms – Melissa Basil

Treasurer – Mark Murphy

Voting is scheduled for Wednesday, March 17th.

View from Last Week

Invocation: David Jones provided insight on world hunger and Rotary support with food and water initiatives doing our part to help one another.

Visiting Rotarians: Brian Stanfill

Guests: Speaker Derek Grosso

Announcements:

Reminder Food Drive ends Sunday, March 14

Sign-up for axe throwing social with New Albany Club

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0D48ADA92EA2FE3-food1>



Derek provided information on the Club, with 35,000 members it is the largest membership club in the nation. The Club focuses on social and business networking, rec sports, leadership and giving back. Young professionals are age 21-45 and the Club operates with six employees and over 150 volunteers. They coordinate the Grandview Hop and Polaris Night Market and are seeking other social opportunities. A night Market is a mix of music and various vendors providing art, food, and drinks.

Additional Club initiatives include: Citypulse Columbus, Impact Academy, Next Up Columbus Awards, Who's Hiring Now, Wonderful Workplaces for YP's. The Club has a broad reach in the community.



Networking is transitioning from virtual to hybrid. The Young Professional Week had 3,000 virtual attendees with 30-50 in-person attendees.

