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Peacebuilding and Conflict Prevention Month

This Week

JMU Debate Team Demonstration

Last Week

Sam Funkhouser, Executive Director Brethren & Mennonite Heritage Center



The Heritage Center, near HHS, is open Wednesday through Saturday, 10am-5pm. A tour will take two to 2-1/2 hours.

David Allen was inducted last week.



Next Week

Katie Cohen - Valley Interfaith Action

March 11th

Dr. Philip Frana, Ph.D - Insights on the rise of Artificial Intelligence

It is difficult to wake up someone who is sleeping. - Ghanaian proverb

Birthdays

John Mather 3/3

Anniversaries

Tom & Lori Mendez 2/27

Lynn & Dave Diveley 3/3

Service Anniversaries

Valerie Weaver – 12 years 2/27

DACdb essentials

For new members, and for those who aren't sure how to navigate our Club's online database, the folks in charge have created several videos that help guide you through the process. Check them out.

<https://vimeo.com/865665720>

<https://vimeo.com/866386685>

<https://vimeo.com/868742885>

<https://vimeo.com/873024235>

<https://vimeo.com/873869446>

Makeups

Makeups can be reported one of two ways: online using DACdb or you can email Michael. You can report a makeup anytime during a given calendar year to make sure your perfect attendance record remains intact.

Family of Rotary

As a way to acknowledge and encourage one another, the Family of Rotary Committee wants to know if something noteworthy has occurred in the life of a member such as a birth, marriage, promotion, illness, surgery, or death in the family. Please send information about you or others to Family of Rotary contact Valerie Weaver at 4rotaryfamily@gmail.com.



BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Rodney Alderfer, President	Ash Heatwole (2026)	Kelly Long (Satellite Rep)
Shannon Porter, President-Elect	Ken Horst (2024)	
Wayne Witmer, Past President	John Mather (2025)	Tom Mendez (2024)
John Rosenberger, Treasurer	Robyn Neupauer (2024)	Holly Ruff (2025)
Michael Neupauer, Secretary	Jeff Shank (2026)	Noah Yoder (2026)

The following represents the new Club Committee structure as we see it. Unless otherwise noted, all current committees were nested under the five major umbrella committees in this proposal.

I. Club Administration – Board Member Responsible: Current President

- A. Programs:
 1. Weekly Programming – Shannon Porter
 2. Audio/Visual – Michael Neupauer
 3. Invocation/Song – Ash Heatwole
 4. Code of Ethics Awards – Andy Vanhook & Lynn Diveley
 5. Club Scholarship Awards – Sue Totty & Mike Mendez
 6. Skelton-Jones Scholarships – Lynn Diveley
 7. 4-H/FFA Agriculture Awards - John Rosenberger
 8. YES! Economic Education Awards – Paul Cline
- B. Social Events – Wayne Witmer & TBD
- C. Member Communication and Attendance – Michael Neupauer
- D. Technology – Andy Miller
- E. Catering Contract Review – Tom Jackson
- F. Hospitality
 1. Family of Rotary – Valerie Weaver
 2. Welcome – Dan Rice

II. Membership – Board Member Responsible: Wayne Witmer

- A. New Member Attraction and Orientation – Robyn Neupauer
- B. Member Engagement - Ash Heatwole & Valerie Weaver
- C. Diversity, Inclusion, Equity – Michael Sharp; Noah Yoder liaison

III. Public Image – Board Members Responsible: John Mather

- A. Website – Michael Neupauer
- B. Social Media – Michael Neupauer (photos), John Mather, Mike Miriello
- C. Advertising and Marketing – John Mather
- D. Media Relations – Michael Miriello & Rodney Alderfer

IV. Services Projects – Board Member Responsible: Noah Yoder

- A. Club Service Projects – Noah Yoder
 1. At least one Polio Event – TBD
 2. ValleyFest – Andy Vanhook & Quinton Callahan
 3. Blacks Run Cleanup – Quinton Callahan
 4. Great Day of Sharing – Wayne Witmer
- B. Grants and Collaborative Projects – Quinton Callahan
- C. Youth Services – John Downey
 1. RYLA/Interact – Braydon Hoover
 2. Rotaract (both JMU and EMU) – Noah Yoder & Braydon Hoover
 3. Youth Protection Coordinator – Braydon Hoover

V. Foundation – Board Members Responsible: John Rosenberger & Ken Horst

- A. Grants administration – Corey Davies
- B. Fundraising – Les Helmuth

Other local clubs and meeting times and places:

Harrisonburg Satellite – 2nd Wednesday, 5:30pm, Beyond Restaurant, Harrisonburg

Harrisonburg-Massanutten – 1st & 3rd Thursdays, Noon, Spotswood Country Club, Harrisonburg

Rockingham County – Tuesdays, 7am, Hyatt Place, Harrisonburg

Bridgewater – 1st, 3rd, 5th Tuesdays, 6pm, Alexander Mack Room, Bridgewater Retirement Community, Bridgewater

