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# **Rotary Club of Miamisburg**

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The latch string is **ALWAYS OUT** at Miamisburg Rotary.

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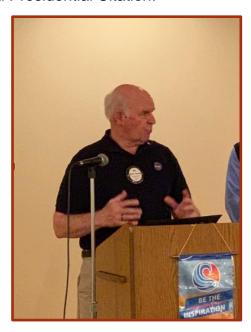


#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Brian Yeakley – Auction tickets are distributed. Get auction items to Brian as soon as possible.

Ted Fink – Bucket of Cash – toss money in the bucket. This items always goes BIG \$\$\$.

Bill Skudlarek – Attended the District Conference in Cincinnati. He represented our club and accepted awards in Jeff Nestor's place for increasing membership and the official Presidential Citation.



Jeff Nestor—he has free tickets to attend CPAM performance on May 9. See him for details.

# **Meeting Notes**

President Jeff Nestor opened the April 17 meeting of the Rotary Club of Miamisburg at The Baum Opera House. He welcomed 35 astute members.

Greeter: Doug BArry

Gong: Bob Faulkner

Prayer: Eric Flasher

Song: Bob Adams

Visiting Rotarian: None

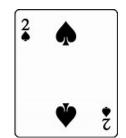
Guest: Don Pabst / Jim DeYoung

Bob Kilpatrick

Prspect. Mem.: David Back /

Jeff Nestor

#### **Top Dog \$256**





Ted Fink drew four of Clubs.

## **Upcoming Schedule:**

	<u>Greeters</u>	<u>Prizes</u>	<u>Upcoming Programs</u>
4-24-19	Keith Basinger	Elise Hafenbrack	Representative Mike Turner
	Bob Bell		tbd
5-01-19	Phil Callahan	Bill Hogan	Shannon Graham & Sheila Hinton
	Dick Church		Rotary Youth Leadership

## **Trivia**

Q: From 1969-72 NASA had two missions per year except for 1970. Why is that?

A: Apollo 13 service module malfunction and the Space program required introspection.

# Program

Tim Gaffney – longtime Miamisburg resident and director of the National Aviation Heritage Area gave the program. He said we are celebrating the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Apollo Mission's beginning.



The quest for landing a person on the moon started on May 25, 1961 when President John F. Kennedy announced the goal to reach the moon before the end of the decade.

Tim said that the United States program owes its history to Ohio in several ways.

Astronauts: John Glenn, Neil Armstrong, Jim Lovell

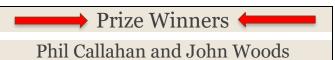
The Apollo program was named by Abe Silverstein from the Lewis Space Center in Cleveland.

The fourth stage engine that propelled space craft outside of Earth's orbit was developed at Lewis. The technology enabled the use of liquid oxygen and liquid hydrogen for lightweight fuel.

The enormous tractor that moves modules to the launch pad were developed and manufactured at Marion Steam Shovel in Marion, Ohio.

Tim reminded everyone that without energy research and development at the Mound labs, much of the space program would not have succeeded.

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## **Happy Dollars**

Phil Callahan watched Godfather I for the first at the Plaza. He also was going to Plaza to see the Apollo documentary for \$5. Can't beat the deal.







Eric Cluxton toured the Green Diamond baseball museum in Montgomery and heard "Mr. Perfect" Tom Browning speak.

Dave Back was happy for the great weather.

Al Scott was happy to have been gone a couple of weeks busy redacting. He also was happy that he and Paula have matching Easter sweaters.

Jeff Nestor gave a CROP dollar for Bill Skudlarek attending District Conference.







Bill Skudlarek was happy to have attended the conference.

Brent Ashcraft paid a self-imposed fine for missing his greeter's post and gave a Happy Easter greeting.

Phil Callahan was again happy – he attended a seminar at Watermark restaurant on How to Stock a Fancy Bar. And most importantly, since last Sunday, he has skewered three moles in his yard.

#### **Club Meeting Info**

When: Wednesdays at noon

Where: Baum Opera House

15 S. First Street

Miamisburg, OH 45342

## **Find Makeup Locations online:**

Rotarydistrict6670.org/our-clubs/where-clubs-meet/

## **Happy Dollars**

Keith Basinger was happy for OSU Spring Football.

Doug BArry was happy his oldest son is participating in the high jump on the high school Track and Field team for the first time. He keeps improving so each meet he sets a new person record (PR).





Rick Melton gave a scooter dollar.

Justin Kohnen was happy that the guest was instrumental in Justin's interest in local history or something along those lines.

Vanessa White repaid Shon Myers for fronting her \$1 last week. Also, she was happy to care for a baby bunny.

Shon Myers is happy that he finally got his boat out of storage. It's a new boat delivered this winter, so this is the first time he is actually seeing it.







Judy McCartney was happy to have visited Vero Beach which is beautiful, but also, she went to Mexico Beach where the hurricane recently did major damage.

Jan Runkle was happy to have visited grandkids in California, and she was happy about the blue sky.

Ted Fink was happy he's able to spend Easter with his family.

## **April Celebrations**

#### **Member Birthdays**

Name	Date
Church, Dick	Apr 06
Frizzell, Doc	Apr 06
Harrison, Joe	Apr 06
Miller, Clair	Apr 16
Dempsey, Jack	Apr 24
Qualls, Frankie	Apr 24

#### **Spouse Birthdays**

Name	Spouse of	Date
Brenda Ashcraft	Brent	Apr 01
Sherry Callahan	Phil	Apr 03
Colin Gatland	Lori	Apr 18
Wilma Nicholas	Tom	Apr 27
Jim Montavon	Jen	Apr 29

#### **Anniversaries**

Name	Spouse Name	Years
Church, Dick	Judi	52 years
Skudlarek, B	ill Teri	48 years
Euse, Karen	Joe	44 years

### **Date Joined Rotary**

Name	Years	Date
Skudlarek, Bill	22 years	Apr 09 1997
Dunn, Jim	16 years	Apr 23 2003
Kohnen, Justin	1 year	Apr 25 2018
Hampton-Montavon,	Jen 9 years	Apr 28 2010
Smith, Ronald	22 years	Apr 28 1997

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