



**THE SPOKE of the Rotary Wheel
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EAST JORDAN ROTARY CLUB for
OVER 75 YEARS**

P.O. Box 195
East Jordan, MI 49727
Tuesday 12:15pm
First Presbyterian Church

Tuesday, November 6, 2018

Date	Greeter	Invocation	Program
11/13/18	Mark Penzien	Cal Gotts	Debbie Manville
11/20/18	Gary C Roberts	Bill Lorne	Chip Hansen
11/27/18	Paul Michael	Gary W Roberts	Denny Aenis
12/4/18	Tami Vincent	Karen Brennan	Wrap Kid's Presents/Bring tape and scissors
12/11/18 Tuesday	No Noon	Meeting	Tuesday
12/12/18 Wednesday	Rotary Holiday Dinner	with Spouses	Grey Gables 600pm/Delfi Program
12/18/18	Kid's Holiday Party	With Santa	Harvest Barn
12/25/18	No Meeting – Merry Christmas!		

BIRTHDAYS **ANNIVERSARIES** **STUDENTS 1** **GUESTS 1** **ROTARIANS 15** **VISITING ROTARIANS 0**
11/13 Debbie Manville None Delfi Oviedo – Inbound JL Sumpter

Announcements

- The next Board is Monday November 12, 530p at the Police Station, come for a makeup and an understanding how the club runs.
- We have a perspective member, JL Sumpter, Edward Jones Representative, has returned his application
- District Grant update-We are working with the city to install 3 water bottle filling/pet watering stations in 3 parks, our application has been submitted (Tourist, Sportsman's and Memorial Parks)
- Calendars are available, sell for \$25, club nets \$10. Should make \$1000, Tami Vincent will be organizing and tracking the calendars and sales.
- Lingap is our international project for this year, please consider donating today.
- Red Sweater Project – They built new cabinets to help with organizing things with the \$1,200 donation we made.
- EREY – Currently at ~\$2200.00, mostly by a couple of donors – please support by donating \$100.00, New year, time to donate again, make your donations online, donating online is your only option going forward. There will be some education on the process in the future.
- Paul is always looking for Family Fare slips. He surpassed the \$150,000 needed in slips, he's gotten the \$1000 donation to the scholarship program, specifically the Voc-Ed scholarship. He is starting again.
- Delfi has a bucket list to do in Northern Michigan and would be happy to receive a call from Rotarians, etc that might be able to add her to any adventures. Karen read from the list this week.

Program: Judy Zorn – Petoskey Rotarian & Executive Director Great Lakes Chamber Orchestra (GLCO)

The GLCO is a professional regional group in its 18th Season. Their mission is to entertain, to educate, and to inspire. The GLCO is a 501C3 organization. GLCO is based in Petoskey. Antrim, Charlevoix, Emmett, Otsego, & Cheboygan counties represented. They are in a new location next to Beard's Brewery. 60 – 65 professional musicians are on the roster. They also have 40 chorus singers as well. They do 6 main stage performances and 6 smaller performances on Sundays events each year. The Musical Director and Conductor is Dr. Libor Ondras. Orchestras contribute \$1.8 Billion to the US economy each year. 2 of 3 Orchestras operate on \$300,000 budget or smaller. 25 million people will take in an orchestra concert each year. Arts improve wellbeing and are a positive, unifying experience in a troubled world. They strengthen the economy. Arts help reintegrate veteran's back into their communities and families. The term "Chamber" is used to describe a performance that was small & among friends. The GLCO does both small and large performances. GLCO did a European tour 2 summers ago. They have some education programs for children: "a day for music", "school outreach", "young children's library series", & "competition for students 18 & under". They would like to expand the number of musical scholarships they offer as well. Much of their funding comes through grants, corporate support, and donations. www.glcorchestra.org.