July 2020 Newsletter



Rotary Club of Massillon

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President's Message

Good morning,

I hope you all are doing well.

It has been a little while since my last official Rotary update, and I wanted to share some information with

August 6th !!!!

Back at The Eagles!



July Speakers

7/2	CANCELLED
7/9	CANCELLED
7/16	CANCELLED
7/23	CANCELLED
7/30	CANCELLED

Happy Birthday!

Jim Stanford	July 01
Jeff Walters	July 12
Stuart Kraft	July 20
Bill Leffler	July 28



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everyone. I am hopeful that we will be able to maintain our commitment to the organization and community without any material issues. Thanks again in advance to each of you for working hard to keep the Club moving forward.

We have received word from the Eagles that they will allow us to return for our weekly lunch meeting starting August 6th. There will be a few adjustments, including following social distancing guidelines, and the food and drink will need to be served by the Eagles staff (no more buffet style lunch for now).

The plan is to begin holding regular meetings again starting on this date and we will begin scheduling speakers. I would ask that you consider upon your return to make sure that you are healthy before returning to any meetings for the benefit of others that are at the meetings. I am sure we will be having ongoing conversations about attendance and ways we can include those who may not feel comfortable returning to normal meetings just yet.

Additionally, we have decided to postpone the annual fundraiser until 2021. While we would likely be allowed to hold such an event in August the thought was it would be wise for many reasons to not advertise and hold an event of this nature this year.

Finally, I will be preparing a letter to send to businesses in the community letting them know about all the good Rotary does and making them aware that we now have a corporate membership option. My goal is to help drive an increase in membership which allows our Club to continue to be strong and active in the community and I am hoping this will be a beneficial way to do so. I would like to include the names of current Rotary members as part of this letter as everyone in the community knows someone and if a potential member recognizes someone they know they are going to be more likely to reach out and ask questions and consider joining the Club. If you do not want your name included in this letter please let me know otherwise I will do so.

Of course, if you have any questions or concerns please let me know.

Take care, Matt

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The Massillon Rotary Foundation is proud to announce a joint project with the Massillon Main Street revitalization program.

The "Massillon Health and History Trails" (working title) is the creation of 4 new walking trails throughout the downtown area ranging from 1 to 2 miles each.

Bridging the old with the new, we are developing a mobile website that will allow walkers to:

- 1) Have guided tours narrated by Margy Vogt
- 2) Learn about the individual historic buildings through a data base of photos, old newspaper articles and archived info.
- 3) Access a podcast discussing topics pertinent to our history and current topics of interest.

The project is designed by; Marshall Weinberg, Pres., Weinberg Financial Services and Board member for the Massillon Rotary Foundation, Philip Elum, President Massillon Main Street and Margy Vogt, Margy Vogt Visions, LLC.

Website, Sound and Technical production provided by DesignersinPajamas.com , Studer Signs & Designs, Massillon Street Dept., Bill Dewald sound and Mandy Altimus Stahl, altmusstahlphotography.com

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ROTARY's Areas of Focus



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Russell-Hampton Co. Item #R89805M

Local Rotary Meetings

MONDAYS

Dover: Tuscarawas County Senior Center – 11:45 am Dalton: United Methodist Church – 11:45 am Malvern: Methodist Educational Building – 6:00 pm

TUESDAYS

Jackson Twp: La Pizzeria – 11:45 am Orrville: Aultman Orrville Hospital community Room – 11:45 am East Canton: Foltz Community Center – 7:30 am

WEDNESDAYS

Alliance: YWCA – 11:45 am Louisville: Paradise United Church of Christ – 12:00 pm Perry: Falcone's Tavern – 11:45 am <u>1st & 3rdWednesdays</u> Plain Twp: Skyland Pines – 11:45 am

THURSDAYS

Massillon: Eagles Club – 11:45 am Canal Fulton: Community Building – 6:30 pm North Canton: Arrowhead Country Club – 11:45 am Minerva: Minerva's Classic 57 – 7:30 am Canton South: McCall's Restaurant & Banquet Center – 7:30 am

FRIDAYS

Canton: Alex D. Krassas Event Center - 11:45 am

For a Complete Listing for District 6650: http://rotarydistrict6650.org/ClubDirectory

Rotary Club of Massillon

Officers:

President	Keith Nutter
President Elect/VP	Matt Hull
Past President (2016-2017)	Michelle Hartman
Treasurer	Richard Leffler
Secretary	Thomas Jingo

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2019-2020.....Joe Logan, Laura Tubo, Barb Schumacher 2017-2020.....Kim Edwards , Jim Stanford, John Shultz 2018-2021......Linda Litman, Richard Regula

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.....Dan Morgan morganrotary@gmail.com



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