September 2021 Newsletter



Rotary Club of Massillon

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President's Message

The following Rotarians achieved 100% attendance in the month of July 2021:

Chad Hartman Matt Hull Bill Leffler Kathy Shultz Dan Swartz Marshall Weinberg

Rotary Club of Massillon

Board of Directors Meeting

Tuesday, July 6, 2021

Members in attendance: Matt Hull, Kathy Shultz, Dan Swartz, Chad Hartman, Michelle Hartman, Keith Nutter, Bill Leffler, Dick Leffler

 Approval of minutes for June – Motion made by Kathy Shultz and seconded by Matt Hull. Motion approved.



SERVE TO CHANGE LIVE! September Speakers

9/2 Amanda Anschutz "Compassion Delivered"
9/9 Congressman Bob Gibbs
9/16
9/23 District Governor
9/30 ROTARY SOCIAL
© STONE HOUSE!

Happy Birthday!

| John Shultz | Sep 01 | |
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| Charles Cather | Sep 17 | |
| Chad Hartman | Sep 20 | |
| Keith Nutter | eith Nutter Sep24 | |
| Wendy Blosser | ndy Blosser Sep 30 | |



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- 2. Good News Board members went around the table to share good news in their personal and professional lives.
 - a. Special note of thanks to Kathy Shultz and Sherie Brown for their great work on the Induction Dinner. It was further noted that the serving staff really appreciated the animal name tags that designated the mean choices to make the serving easy!
- 3. Secretary's report—Tom Jingo provided by Chad Hartman in Tom's absence
 - a. Jay Bomze resignation Motion to accept with regret made by Dick Leffler, seconded by Dan Swartz. Motion to accept resignation with regret approved. (Tom, Please send out a note to Jay.)
- 4. Treasurer's report—Richard Leffler
 - a. Will schedule time to meet with Chad and any interested Board members in the coming weeks to go over this year's budget for Board approval in August. Dick will send out an invitation to the Board once a day and time is confirmed.
- 5. Club Service—Michelle Hartman
 - a. Purple Bag Michelle sent an email to Joy Dugan (Plain Rotary) to find a day and time to drop off the collected items.
 - b. Habitat for Humanity October date for service project in Massillon. Details to be provided to the Club as they are available closer to the date. Date is October 23, 2021 from 8:15 am – 2:30 pm (estimated).
 - c. Pipeline Other service topics discussed:
 - River Clean Up currently on hold until the Army Corps is done with levee in Massillon. Dan and Matt further reported that there are matching funds available for the clean up effort.
 - ii. Hammer & Nails will reach out to us when projects in Massillon are scheduled
 - iii. Chad is looking to revive Rotary Corps to help with providing more service projects in our service area.
- 6. Membership—Kathy Shultz

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- Kelly Hirshfelt received application, but no one has met her yet. Chad Hartman to sponsor and Kathy Shultz to reach out to her to invite her to upcoming meetings in July before any voting takes place on membership.
- b. Lauren Berbari Barb Schumacher to sponsor. She has been to a few meetings and is ready to join. Motion made by Michelle Hartman and seconded by Dan Swartz to approver her application and move forward with membership. (Tom, Please send out a note to the Club regarding this new member.)
- c. Pipeline Other topics
 - i. Kathy sent a note to Andrea S (Massillon Courts) to see if she would be interested in joining after the judges came to speak to the Club in June.
 - ii. Review Orientation materials to confirm that the financial obligations relating to a Leave of Absence is clearly stated; dues will continue to be paid, but no charges for meals or required attendance at weekly meetings.
- 7. Massillon Rotary Foundation—Joe Logan
 - a. Matt Hull has reached out to Vince Pedro to see when they will come to get their check from the Foundation.
- 8. International Bill Leffler
 - a. We are going to help finish the funding of the Global Grant to provide classroom libraries for elementary school children in the mountainous regions of Vietnam of \$1100. Motion made by Matt Hull and seconded by Dan Swartz. Motion approved. Bill & Dick will work together to get the funding submitted to Sieglinde Warren.
- 9. Programs update—Dan Swartz
 - a. Program help requested requirements are entertaining and interesting! If anyone has an idea for a speaker, please work with Dan Swartz to schedule.
 - i. Chad to check Google sheets doc as there seems to be different versions circulating causing an issue in scheduling speakers.
 - b. Working with Coach Moore for August program date currently.

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- c. Discussed ideas for 5th Thursday Social ideas included Cherry Street Winery, Massillon Museum – Dan is working to finalize a location for July.
- 10. President's report:
 - a. A/V TV purchased and used for induction and July meeting. Soundbar now purchased and to be installed soon.
 - b. Fundraising event Dan to start working on ideas for this Rotary Year. Barb Schumacher offered to help; Dan to connect with her.
 - c. Communication / Promotions Looking for a trifold to use as marketing material to pass out to people asking about Rotary at St. George's (Bill Leffler also offered to have some at his office as well!). The trifold will list Massillon Rotary specific information.
 - d. Board Members Chad to work with Tom Jingo to find out current Board members and then fill any open positions for voting in August to reset. It is believed the Todd L & Richard R's terms expired at the end of June 2020.

Motion made by Matt Hull and seconded by Bill Leffler to close the meeting. Motion approved.

11. Next Meeting August 3, 2021 at Kozmo'



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Lauren Berbari New Member





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Service Opportunities

1- MEALS ON WHEELS

Please let me know if you can deliver our Meals on Wheels route on the following dates:

August 20 September 3

Here is some information to help you decide!

When you arrive to MOW office on Nave Road, you get the cooler bags of hot and cold food and an iPad. The iPad provides turn by turn directions to the homes on the route, the instructions for delivering meals and a place to sign off that the meal was delivered. When I did the route in July, it took about an hour to deliver the meals and then approximately 15 minutes to and from the MOW office to the route start and end for a total time of 1.5 - 2 hours of community service! If you have never done it before and would like to have someone go with you the first time, please let me know and I will try to pair you up!

2 - HABITAT FOR HUMANITY

We also have a fantastic opportunity to partner with Habitat for Humanity in October right here in Massillon! Details are below:

- Date: Saturday, October 23, 2021
- *Time:* 8:15am-2:30pm (workday may end earlier depending on the speed of the volunteers)
- Meet-up Location: 1621 13th Street SE, Massillon, OH
- **Tasks:** Porch Rail / Cattle Rail (Installing deck and stair railing. This task requires standing, bending, and kneeling. No prior construction experience necessary)
- Number of Volunteers: 4-6
- Minimum Age: 18
- Notes:
 - No prior construction experience is required to volunteer with Habitat for Humanity. We provide all of the supervision, training, tools, and materials needed to complete the task. All we ask is that you wear closed toed shoes and be ready to learn!
 - Please know that Habitat will monitor local and federal health and safety guidelines and implement any applicable restrictions that may be in place on the day you volunteer.
 - Habitat for Humanity does not provide lunch. Volunteers can pack a lunch or sometimes groups will pickup / have food delivered to the site.

If you are interested in volunteering with Habitat, please let me know and I will send you the link to register. The deadline to register is October 12, 2021.

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Tales from the crypt

26 years on the bench

Judge Eddie





Massillon Rotarians Hanging out with

Dolly!



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ROTARY's Areas of Focus



Rotary THE FOUR-WAY TEST of the things we think, say or do Is it the TRUTH? Is it FAIR to all concerned? Will it build GOODWILL & BETTER FRIENDSHIPS? Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

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 $1^{st} \& 3^{rd}$ Wednesdays 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

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



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Rotary Club of Massillon

Officers:

| President | Chad Hartman |
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| President Elect/VP | Dan Swartz |
| Past President (2016-2017) | Matt Hall |
| Treasurer | .Richard Leffler |
| Secretary | Thomas Jingo |

Directors:

| 2019-2020 | Joe Logan, Dan Swartz |
|-----------|----------------------------|
| 2017-2020 | Jim Stanford, John Shultz |
| 2018-2021 | Richard Regula Todd Loxley |

Massillon Rotary Foundation: Joe Logan Club Service Chair: Michelle Hartman International Chair: William Leffler

District Governors:

.....Steve Wilder



Interested in Making a Gift?

The Massillon Rotary Foundation Trust (Tax ID# 34-1604220) will accept donations at any time. Contributions to the trust are tax deductible to the extent permitted by the IRS. Please see Wendy Blosser or Richard Leffler for more details.

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