



Rotary This Week!

Utica, NY, USA

Dec. 2, 2024

Our speaker likes to resolve disputes & engage in dialogue

Our speaker this Thursday, Dec. 5, is Timothy Lyon, director of the Community Dispute Resolution Center at Empowered Pathways. The program meeting starts at noon at the Mid-York Library, 1600 Lincoln Ave., Utica.

Timothy is a graduate of SUNY Oswego, and a Mohawk Valley native from Dolgeville. He lives in Little Falls, where he also serves as an elected alderman on the City Council.

Timothy has been working in dispute resolution and community dialogues since 2019 when he completed a service year as an AmeriCorps member with the Community Mediation Service Corps. He is a certified facilitator of a variety of dialogue methods including Mediation, Restorative Practices, and Conciliation. He is also a state certified trainer in these areas.

Timothy has been an active member of the Utica community. He has served on



United Way's Emerging Leader's United Steering Committee, is an active member of the Greater Utica Chamber of Commerce and is a 2023 graduate of Leadership Mohawk Valley.

Timothy says he is dedicated to enhancing community dialogues in Utica and the Mohawk Valley and helping people of this area work towards resolutions that work for them.



NEEDED: Water Station coordinator

President Travis Rabbers says the club is looking for a Water Station coordinator for the Boilermaker next July. Anyone interested may reach out to Travis, Cindy Dardano or Clyde Vanderpool.

Deadline for next newsletter (12/9) is Saturday, Dec. 7 at 3 p.m.; submit to news@uticarotaryclub.org.

Editor Robert Stronach

Red Kettle volunteers so far

President Travis Rabbers expressed his appreciation for all who quickly volunteered for Salvation Army Red Kettle shifts on Saturday, Dec. 14, at Chanatry's Market on French Road, Utica.

Those volunteering so far:

10:00-11:00 Tina Pavlot with Lynn and Shelby

11:00-12:00 Robert Stronach, Irene D'Onofrio and Jennifer Depasquale

12:00-1:00 Elizabeth Nassar with Mary Ann Hallak-Serwatko and her husband

1:00-2:00 Joseph Abraham

2:00-3:00 Yuliya Karpov

3:00-4:00 Ed Gibson and Jennifer Springer (Passalacqua & Associates)

"If anyone else is interested in volunteering and available to join either Joe or Yuliya on the 1:00-2:00 or 2:00-3:00 shifts, please email me," Travis said.



Calendar of Events

12/5 Meeting | Timothy Lyon
noon | Mid-York Library

12/11 Event | 'Not So Silent Night' auction
6-7:30 | Fort Schuyler Club

12/14 Service | Red Kettle 'Bell Ringing'
10-4 | Chanatry's

12/18 Board | Greater Utica Chamber
noon

12/19 Meeting | Jennifer Hagen
Catholic Charities
noon | Mid-York Library

1/23 Social | Rotary Ski Trip

NOT SO

SILENT NIGHT

GIFT AUCTION

Rotary Club of Utica

SAVE THE DATE

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 11TH

6:00-7:30PM

FORT SCHUYLER CLUB
254 GENESEE STREET
UTICA, NY 13502

Presented By:

MOHAWK VALLEY WELLNESS

Proceeds to Benefit:

Catholic Charities
DIOCESE OF SYRACUSE
Oneida/Madison County

Scan the QR Code to make a donation for the "Not So Silent Night" Gift Auction -- to benefit Catholic Charities' Christmas Assistance Program.

