

2018 - 2019 BOARD

President	Mike Handshew
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	Ken Wolfe
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The Spoke



Friday Meeting Keynoters:

Dec 21 Special Program for the Holidays - Fun and Surprises -You don't want to miss it!
 28 NO MEETING
 Jan 4 Mike Atchie Williams Pipeline update

Friday Meeting Invocation

Dec 21 Dave Halliwell
 28 NO MEETING
 Jan 4 Wayne Heisey
 11 Stan Mumma
 18
 25
 Feb 1 Charlie Cobaugh
 8 Hob Kroesen

Table Set-up & Tear Down:

Dec 21 Hob Kroesen / Deb Dupler
 Jan 4
 Jan 11
 Jan 18
 Jan 25

Volunteers needed. We're staying here another month!

Keeping the Calendar

Feb 1 TASTE of Western Lanc County
 Feb 9 Leadership Penn State-York
 April 12-13 District 7390 Conference - Hershey
 May 12 Mother's Day 5K
 June 1-4 International Convention - HAMBURG



Family of Rotary Event...



Hershey Bears vs. Laval Rocket

January 26, 2019 7pm Game time
 Suite 29 **Help raise \$1000**
 \$75 per person \$25 food and drink
 \$50 offset C-mas Tree shed
 EASTERN MOBILE WASH is sponsoring the suite, each ticket, and suite parking!

Monday Meeting

5:30-6:30pm

Moo Duck Brewery
 Chair Anikka Brill
 Vice-Chair Glen Bootay

Monday Meeting Keynoters:

Dec 17 Kathryn Tucker
 Leukemia & Lymphoma Society,
 Student of the Year Program
 24 NO MEETING
 31 NO MEETING
 Jan 7 Nevin Lontz Classification

Monday Meeting Minute:

Have a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!
 See you at Moo Duck in 2019!

The Rotary Club of Elizabethtown

chartered 1925

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 Elizabethtown, PA 17022

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Friday 12:15 pm E-town BIC Church

Monday 5:30 pm Moo Duck Brewery

Total Membership: 132

Group E: Elizabethtown, Mount Joy, Donegal, Lititz
 Eastern York Co (Wrightsville), Hempfield, Manheim

Zones 24 & 32

District # 7390

Brenda Kreider Barlet, Editor

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'tis the season... for the ever-popular... Christmas trivia!

In 1647, the English parliament passed a law that made Christmas illegal. Festivities were banned by Puritan leader, Oliver Cromwell, who considered feasting and revelry, on what was supposed to be a holy day, to be immoral. The ban was lifted only when the Puritans lost power in 1660.

In the Thomas Nast cartoon that first depicted Santa Claus with a sleigh and reindeer, he was delivering Christmas gifts to soldiers fighting in the U.S. Civil War.

The cartoon entitled "Santa Claus in Camp," appeared in *Harper's Weekly* on January 3, 1863.

In an effort to solicit cash to pay for a charity Christmas dinner in 1891, a large crabpot was set down on a San Francisco street, becoming the first Salvation Army collection kettle.

Frustrated at the lack of interest in his new toy invention, Charles Pajeanu hired several midgets, dressed them in elf costumes, and had them play with "Tinker Toys" in a display window at a Chicago department store during the Christmas season in 1914. This publicity stunt made the construction toy an instant hit.

A year later, over a million sets of Tinker Toys had been sold.

In 1937, the first postage stamp to commemorate Christmas was issued in Austria.

During World War 2 it was necessary for Americans to mail Christmas gifts early for the troops in Europe to receive them in time. Merchants joined in the effort to remind the public to shop and mail early, thus the protracted shopping season was born.

In 1947, Toys for Tots started making the holidays a little happier for children by organizing its first Christmas toy drive for needy youngsters.

December Birthdays

11 Greg Grove
 13 Michael Kalloz
 19 Ann Reinhold
 23 Del Becker
 April 19 Brooke Nicodemus (student)
 April 10 Logan Vogalsong (student)

Contribution Options at each Meeting

Student Loan Fund (Happy \$) (Fun \$)

2018 - 19 ytd \$ 840.10

Pfautz Scholarship (Jars)

2018 - 19 ytd \$ 38.08

Pfautz Scholarship (50/50)

(The "pot" = 16 cards) \$ 567

2018 - 19 ytd \$ 30

E-town Club raised the most money for Polio Plus in District 7390!

MEMBERSHIP

Honorary:
Tess Fetter +*Chuck Mummert
*Ann Reinhold Bob Messick
Carl Strikwerda Joe Murphy
1959 * George Achom
* Clair Baum
1966 * Harold Engle
1967 * Dan Raffensperger
1969 * Don White
1972 * Dave Heisey
Walt Heisey
1973 Jake Olweiler
1977 +* Paul Wolgemuth
1979 Rick Erb
1981 * Noble Johnson
1982 * Ken Kreider
1985 * Charlie Cobaugh
* Kevin Dolan
1986 John Smith
1988 Roger Hipple
1989 Jack Hostetter
Barry Smith
1990 Bill Davis
* Tom Labagh
1991 Harold Hollinger
* Ken Wolfe
1992 Dane Whitmoyer
1995 +* Dennis Zubler
1996 Otis Kitchen (1965-85)
* Joe Rebman
1997 * John Martin II
1999 Barry Acker
Tom Campbell
Werner Fetter
Milton Good
2000 Matt Denlinger
* Hob Kroesen (1980-91)
Stacy Steinkamp
2001 +* Ralph Detrick
2002 * Dan Brill
Deb Dupler
Dave Hickernell
2003 Brenda Barlet
Bob Hollinger
2004 Deb Miller
Marty Thomas-Brummé
Bart Ziegler
2005 * Scott Cvek
David Halliwell (# 1981)
Wayne Heisey
2006 * Kevin Engle
Al Frank
Jim McCurdy
2007 Scott Kingsboro
Joe Lisi (# 1973)
* Jeff Kline
2010 Tyler Smith
Dan Robrish
* Michael Kalloz
2011 Stanley Mumma
Robert Cronin
2012 * Tim Haak
Ben Hoffman (1965-67)
2013 Michele Balliet
Jeffrey Clark
Bill Moore (1974-81)
Michael Handshew
2014 Don Grabowski
Andrew Schoenberger
2015 Jeff Nolan (97-2008)
Del Becker
Lori Funck
Keith Yocum
2016 Mitch Forry
Marc Hershey
Tracy Miller
Jeff Marsico
Ed Thomas
Anikka Brill
Mike Brubaker
Kristen Brubaker
Shannon Jordon (2014-15)
Robert "BJ" Reedy
Ben Travis
Glen Bootay
Scott Little (98-2005)
Deb Jones
Russell Lehman
Jennifer Koppel
Dale Ressler (2007-14)
Greg Grogan

* Past / Current President
^ Past District Governor
+ Past Assistant Governor
Joined Rotary- Another Club

MEMBERSHIP (cont.)

2017 Mark Bruce
Sandra Bruce
Wendi Grinnell
Allison DeArment
Trent DeArment
^ # George Biemesderfer
Greg Flury
Mary Aukers-Endres
Christian Zechman
Eric Tereo
Frank Telenko
Heather Hohenwarter
Joh "Norm" Norman
Meshelle Pinzon
John Yoder
2018 Shaun McCoach
* Chris Dellinger
+ # David Ritter
Shawn McPhee
Matthew Blazi
Robert Switalski
Michele Switalski
David Pelna
Nevin Lontz
Donita Sturgis
Darian Blauch
Ryan Yorty
Dustin Conrad
Paul Metzger
Matthew Lane
Carol Nelson
Jim Nelson
Christopher DiStasio
Ann Simonetti
Greg Grove
Robert Sorozan
Jennifer Leigh
Peter Graustein
Ryan Hipp
Rachel Clark
Adam Smith
Jeffrey T. Clark



The Rotary Club of Elizabethtown:

Vision Statement:

To be a dynamic club with an engaged, diverse membership serving humanity through local and global projects.

Mission Statement:

To support Rotary International by engaging and empowering a diverse community of Rotarians and others to improve humanity locally and around the world, through service, fellowship, and friendship.

It's an exciting time of year for the Elizabethtown Rotary Club with two of our big fundraisers, **Christmas Trees** and **TASTE**, happening back-to-back.

TASTE: Save the date for the 2019 Taste of Western Lancaster County! Friday, February 1, 2019. "Always the First Friday in February!"

Tickets for the 2019 *TASTE of Western Lancaster County* are now on sale through [Eventbrite](https://www.eventbrite.com/e/2019-taste-of-western-lancaster-county-tickets-52548535083) at this link... <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/2019-taste-of-western-lancaster-county-tickets-52548535083>.

◆ From **Thanksgiving until Christmas**, early bird pricing on [Eventbrite](https://www.eventbrite.com/e/2019-taste-of-western-lancaster-county-tickets-52548535083) will be **\$30** (plus processing fee).

◆ After **Christmas**, normal pricing of \$35 (plus processing fee) will begin. Purchasing tickets on [Eventbrite](https://www.eventbrite.com/e/2019-taste-of-western-lancaster-county-tickets-52548535083) is being strongly encouraged.

◆ A limited number of physical tickets will be available beginning in December at a cost of \$38 (\$35 +\$3 printing fee).

December Students of the Month

Brooke Nicodemus

Parents: Terese & Michael Nicodemus

School: Key Club; Bible Club; Roots & Shoots; Cross Country; Swimming; Track & Field

Awards: Honor Roll; Academic Excellence Awards: Honors English 11, Physical Education 9, History 10; Rotary – December Student of the Month

Community: Volunteering for Key Club; Volunteering for Bible Club

Employment: New York Fitness Club, Elizabethtown

Church: Bethesda United Methodist Church

Hobbies: Running, Photography, Drawing, Piano, Thrift shopping, Spending time with loved ones/friends and family

Future: Attend college, Explore the world

Logan Vogelsong

Parents: Kathy & Bill Vogelsong

School: Band: Section Leader of Percussion (2015-present); Tutor: Chemistry & Calculus (2017-18); President of Science Club (2015-18); Math & Programming Competition Club (2017-18); Interscholastic Math Competition – Dickinson College; Bloomsburg University computer programming competition

Awards: Energy, Power and Transportation Award of Excellence (2015); National Honors Society (2017-18); Rotary Student of the Month – December 2018; County Band (2017)

Community: DeMolay of Elizabethtown; Masonic Village Volunteer (2013-18 = 237.5 hrs. total) as a Volunteer Courier; Hershey Symphony Orchestra (2018) – Percussion; Bainbridge Community Band (2018) – Percussion; F1 in Schools: US National Champion 2016, 17th in World's Competition 2017

Employment: Masonic Village – Dining Attendant

Hobbies: Flying Drones, Programming in Python, Tinkering with Electronics

Future: 4-year College: major in Chemical Engineering or Materials Science & Engineering – specializing in nanotechnology with a minor of Math or Computer Science. Possibly work in pharmaceuticals, electronics manufacturing, failure analysis, or research new materials. I hope to also explore the fields of data science and complex analysis.

It's almost Christmas;
There's only 4 days left.



Help Santa
save some money;

buy your **TASTE** tickets **NOW**.

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RI President:
Barry Rassin
District Governor:
John May

District 7390 Conference
12-13 April 2019 Hershey
International Convention
1-5 June 2019



ROTARY of ELIZABETHTOWN

Committee Chairs

Nominating Tim Haak
Foundation Ken Wolfe
Membership David Ritter
Internat'l Projects Joe Rebman
Pfautz Scholarship Bill Davis
Public Image Dan Robrish
Student Loan Kevin Dolan
Website Tom Labagh, Tim Haak,
Joe Rebman
Family of Rotary Dan Brill

Fundraising Chairs

Christmas Tree Sale Tim Haak
GOLF Major Barry Acker
Don Grabowski
TASTE Kevin Engle
Mothers Day 5K Dan Brill
Grants

Project Chairs

Service Committee Deb Jones
Jeff Clark
4-Way Essay Don Grabowski
Adopt-a-Highway Tyler Smith
Group Study Exch Dave Halliwell
Paul Wolgemuth
Jr Achievement Debbie Dupler
Community Volunteers Dan Brill
John Martin II
RYLA Anikka Brill
Students of Month Debbie Dupler
Youth Exchange Dan Brill

Club Service Chairs

Chaplain Clair Baum
Memorial Lori Funck
Music Charlie Cobaugh, Don Grabowski
Sergeant-At-Arms Bob Hollinger,
Bill Moore, Stan Mumma, Charlie Cobaugh
Sheriff Bart Ziegler
The SPOKE Brenda Barlet