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Elizabethtown Rotary Club

SERVICE ABOVE SELF | DOING GOOD IN THE WORLD

CELEBRATING 100 YEARS!

The Rotary clubs of Elizabethtown, Lititz, and Mount Joy invite you to join us on January 17, 2026 to mark the Centennial for these three great clubs. Please make your plans to attend. See Page 2 for more Gala Details



Rotary International President Elect Mário César Martins de Camargo from Brazil meets Elizabethtown President Elect Denise Grove at Mid-Atlantic PETS Denise is ready to lead our Rotary Club into our 100th year of Rotary, by *Doing Good in the World*, through Service Above Self. WE ARE PEOPLE OF ACTION! Mário here we come. We are with you.

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Club # 5338, Chartered December 13, 1925 | ShaunJude McCoach, PRESIDENT | **Total Membership: 128**PO Box 89, Elizabethtown, PA 17022 | elizabethtownrotary.org | etownparotary@gmail.com
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2024-2025 GOALS & CLUB NEWS

PRESIDENT'S 2024-2025 GOALS

I have a few things I would like to accomplish over the next year and hope that you can help me:

Goal 1 | REENGAGE YOUTH AND THE ELIZABETHTOWN AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT | Work with the EASD Administration and reactivate students in order to cultivate the next generation of service. Due by 1/1/25. Goal by 6/30/25 is to have an active INTERACT Club w/in EASD.

Goal 2 | PROJECTS TO FIT THE BUSY LIFESTYLE / FAMILIES | Work with existing members to develop (10) smaller service projects that can be handled by 2-5 members at a time. Projects will be completed by 6/30/25; reoccurring goal of (10) active projects at any time.

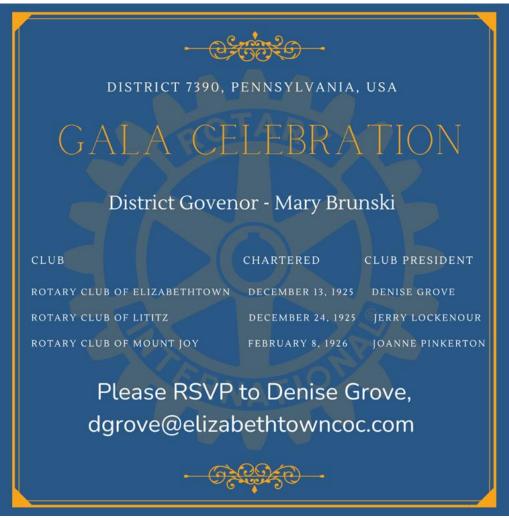
Goal 3 | MEET W/ MEMBERS, WHAT MATTERS TO YOU | Meet with each member of the Elizabethtown Rotary Club to uncover new ideas, passions, with the goal of re-engaging our member base. Due by 3/1/25 w/ a target metric of increasing meeting, committee, and service participation by 60% YoY.

Goal 4 | NEW MEMBER DRIVEN PROJECTS | This Pending Board approval, all new members from FY '24 and then grouped by initiation year, will develop a service project and run it from start to finish. The group(s) will receive a stipend from the Club / District to aide in project completion.

Goal 5 | COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS | Develop (2) new community partnerships for a collaboration of service and new member recruitment. Due by 6/30/25.



Past Dist. Governor Dennis Zubler had the privilege of meeting Rotary International President Elect Mário César Martins de Camargo



COMMUNITY EVENTS ETC





Now is the time to register for the Rotary International Convention in Calgary, AB, Canada! Join your fellow Rotarians for a spectacular Rotary gathering from June 21 to 25, 2025!



From the President...

Good Thursday Etown Rotary:

Just wanted to take a moment to stop and thank our Centennial Committee for all their hard work. The effort they have put forth to not only usher in the next 100 years of Service in Elizabethtown but also the connections they made to draw International Dignitaries is extraordinary. We are blessed to have such dedicated Servant Leaders within our number.

I look forward to what is in store beginning this upcoming Rotary year. Please put the January 17, 2026 gala in your calendar and make your plans to join us along with members from the Lititz and Mount Joy clubs! Don't miss this once in a lifetime event.

Yours in Rotary Service, President Shaun

MONDAYS | 5:30-6:30 PM

MOO-DUCK BREWERY
President ShaunJude McCoach

MAR 10 Marley Kreiser

Health Coaching

MAR 17 Doug Harbach

PA Gaming Commission

MAR 24 Kari Labagh

Acupuncture

MAR 31 Nikita Grove

Etown Farmers Market

FRIDAYS | 12-1:30 PM

PINE CREEK SPIRITS
Glen Bootay, CHAIR

MAR 7 Steve Groff

Industrial Hemp

MAR 14 Wade Amick

New Member Introduction

MAR 21 Glenn Musser

Mount Joy Club Global Grant

MAR 28 EAHS Students

4 Way Test Speeches & Essays

THANK YOU...

...for sponsoring a new member this Rotary Year

sponsor new member **Deb Dupler Wade Amick Kevin Dolan** Joey Lonardi **Dennis Zubler Dana Ramsey** Dennis Zubler Julia Mayberry **Dennis Zubler Curt Norris Paul Wolgemuth Robert Sholl James Brandt** Teresa Mullhausen

Don Grabowski James Mahler

Adam Hauptman BJ Reedy

We've gained 8 new members this year! Let's keep the momentum going.



Assist. Governor Carmen Calderon also invited Rotary International President Elect Mário César Martins de Camargo to attend our GALA Celebration on January 17, 2025.

VOLUNTEER | DONATE | SERVE | TRAIN

SERVICE CALENDAR

Scan or click the QR code above to access the club calendar. Click on the event in the calendar to sign up.

Future Service Opportunities

Central PA Food Bank | April 30 | 5:00 - 7:00 pm





Our own Past President Glen Bootay looking sharp in his Rotary shirt leads a session at the recent Mid-Atlantic President Elect Training Seminar (PETS). He did an excellent job leading the session.

Glen truly represents the quality of the Rotary Club of Elizabethtown.

MARCH

BIRTHDAYS

- 3 Alvssa Roth
- 13 Ben Hoffman
- 16 Glen Bootay
- 16 Christian Zechman
- 17 Julia Mayberry
- 25 John Marin
- 25 Teresa Mulhausen
- 27 Joseph Lisi
- 31 Mary Thomas-Brumme

RLI, Rotary Leadership Institute is for All Rotarians

You are invited to attend the RLI NEA session on March 22, 2025, at DeSales University Center, 2755 Station Avenue, Center Valley, PA 18034. They expect to offer Parts I, II, III, and Graduate.

Our club will reimburse members for Part I, Part II, Part III or Graduate level attendance. Please consider participating for your personal growth and development as a Rotarian.

Click the link below for more information and to register.

https://www.ismyrotaryclub.org/Register/index.cfm?EventID=77808495

JOKE OF THE WEEK

Dan Brill

My wife asked me the other day where I got so much candy.

I said, "I always have a few Twix up my sleeve."

MARCH 2025 STUDENTS OF THE MONTH



Haley
De Stefano

PARENTS
Kristin & Michael De Stefano

SCHOOL ACTIVITIESMini-THON – co-captain

Student Council Track team

Cross Country team

SCHOOL/ACADEMIC AWARDS

National Honor Society Honor Roll – grades 9, 10, 11, 12 underclass academic award for excellence in Honors General Science

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES/AWARDS

Do the Right Thing award GEARS – volunteer for events

EMPLOYMENT

CPRS Physical Therapy – therapist aide GEARS – assistant gymnastics coach Gymnastics Center of Hershey – gymnastics coach

CHURCH AFFILIATION/ACTIVITIES

Elizabethtown Church of the Brethren

HOBBIES

running, exercising, traveling, volunteering, spending time with family and friends

FUTURE PLANS

attend university to attain a bachelor's degree with a major in accounting



Steven McDonald

PARENTS
Everald & Susan McDonald

SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

Wrestling team Track & Field team Link Crew

SCHOOL/ACADEMIC AWARDS

National Honor Society Honor Roll – EAHS & LCCTC National Technical Honor Society Academic All-Star – wrestling

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES/AWARDS

Scouting America - Eagle Scout

EMPLOYMENT

Willowood Swim Club – lifeguard GEARS – lifeguard

CHURCH AFFILIATION/ACTIVITIES

Christ Evangelical Lutheran Church – youth group, worship assistant

HOBBIES

cooking, track and field, wrestling

FUTURE PLANS

attend Penn State University to major in nursing

2024-2025 PREVIOUS STUDENTS OF THE MONTH

Scan or click the QR code to visit the EAHS Rotary Student of the Month web page to learn more about previous months' students.



2024-2025 BOARD

PRESIDENT	Shaun McCoach (Mon)		
PRESIDENT-ELECT	Denise Grove		
1 ST VICE PRESIDENT	John Yoder		
2 ND VICE PRESIDENT	Scott Little		
ALT MEET CHAIR	Glen Bootay		
ALT MEET VICE-CHAIR	Lori Funck		
SECRETARY	Deb Dupler		
TREASURER	Ryan Yorty		
AT-LARGE MEMBERS	Dan Brill		
	Deb Handshew		

Brittany Garner

PAST PRESIDENT Jeff C. Clark

COMMITTEE CHAIRS

NOMINATING | Jeff C. Clark

FOUNDATION | Ken Wolfe, Dennis Zubler

MEMBERSHIP | Brittany Garner

FAMILY OF ROTARY | Shaun McCoach

INTERNATIONAL PROJECTS | Joe Rebman

STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS & LOANS | Deb Handshew,

Bill Davis

PUBLIC IMAGE/RELATIONS | Shaun McCoach

FUNDRAISING CHAIRS

CHRISTMAS TREE SALE | Glen Bootay, Mike Kalloz
GOLF MAJOR | Ben McCurdy
TASTE | Kevin Gardner
PINTS FOR POLIO | Denise Grove
GRANTS | Don Grabowski, Kevin Schafer

PROJECT CHAIRS

SERVICE COMMITTEE | Deb Dupler, Kristen Brubaker **4-WAY ESSAY/SPEECH** | Dave Pelna

COMMUNITY VOLUNTEERS | Dan Brill

RYLA | Wendi Grinnell

STUDENTS OF MONTH | Debbie Dupler

YOUTH EXCHANGE | Wendi Grinnell

100TH BIRTHDAY | Hob Kroesen, Dennis Zubler

CLUB SERVICE CHAIRS

INVOCATION COORDINATOR | Ben Hoffman CARING/CARDS | Lori Funck AV/IT & SPOKE EDITOR | John Yoder SHERIFF | Bart Ziegler

WEBSITE | Joe Rebman, Tom Labagh, Tim Haak

* past/current President

^ past district governor

+ past assistant governor

! past/current Alt. Club Chair

joined Rotary—another club

Wendi Grinnell!

Allison DeArment

Trent DeArment

MEMBERSHIP

Honora	arv			Christian Zechman		
1101101	Ann Reinhold *			John "Norm" Norman		
	Bob Messick			Meshelle Pinzon		20
	Joe Murphy			John Yoder		2017-2018
	Chuck Mummert * +		2018	Shaun McCoach *		.20
	Betty Rider			Robert Switalski		12
1050	Clair Barres *			Michele Switalski		•
1959 1966	Clair Baum * Harold Engle *			David Pelna!		
1966	Don White *			Ryan Yorty		
1973	Jake Olweiler			Dustin Conrad	10	
1977	Paul Wolgemuth * +			Paul Metzger		2
1981	Noble Johnson *			Greg Grove		2018-2019
1985	Kevin Dolan *			Robert Sorozan #		œ
1986	John Smith		2019	Alyssa Roth!		20
1988	Roger Hipple			Kevin Becker		19
1990	Bill Davis *			Casey Greinermiller	7	
	Tom Labagh *			Ed Cunningham Denise Grove	7	
1991	Ken Wolfe *			Steve Glick !		
1995	Dennis Zubler * + ^			Calvin Kent #		20
1996	Joe Rebman *			Kevin Schafer		2019-2020
1997	John Martin II *		2020	Rick Clark #		-2(
1999	Barry Acker			Dan Stephenson		22
2000	Tom Campbell			Nick Ressler		_
2000	Matt Denlinger			Susan Grubb (2007-11)		
	Hob Kroesen * (1980-91) Stacy Steinkamp			Sawyer Neale	9	
2001	Ralph Detrick * +			Logan Hoover		
2001	Dan Brill *!			Jeff Schickling		20
2002	Deb Dupler *		2021	David Wendel		20
	Dave Hickernell			Zach Carter		-2
2003	Bob Hollinger			Kevin Gardner		2020-2021
2004	Marty Thomas-Brummé			Krissy Kimbark		_
	Bart Ziegler			J Craig Kimbark	7	
2005	David Halliwell # (1981)			Caitlin Barton		
	Wayne Heisey			Deb Handshew		
2006	Kevin Engle * +			Ben McCurdy		
2007	Scott Kingsboro		2022	Austin Hilsher		20
	Joe Lisi # (1973)		2022	Gary "Bud" Barton Darren Stine		21
	Jeff Kline *!			Abby Huber		2021-2022
2008	Tyler Smith			Lee Eckert		22
2011	Michael Kalloz *			Tony Gibble		
2011	Stanley Mumma Tim Haak *			Cindy Wivell		
2012	Ben Hoffman (1965-67)	20 20		Nancy Sabb	11	
2013	Jeff Clark *	2012 2013		LauraJo "LJ" Funck		20
2013	Bill Moore (1974-81)	'	2023	Jim Brandt		
	Michael Handshew *	20 20		Toni Tice		-2
2014	Don Grabowski *	2013- 2014		Brittany Garner		22-2023
	Andrew Schoenberger			Annie Weiler	5	w
2015	Jeff Nolan (97-2008)	2014 2015		David Wertz		2
	Del Becker	4 5		Derek Lehman		2023-2024
	Lori Funck		2024	Nikita Grove		φ. 2
	Ben Travis	20 20		Jeff Kime		22
2016	Mitch Forry	2015- 2016		Anthony Sklareski	5	4
	Marc Hershey	- 1		Wade Amick		
	Jeff Marsico			Joey Lonardi		
	Tracy Miller			Julia Mayberry		20
	Ed Thomas		2025	Dana Ramsey		24
	November		2023	Curt Norris		2024-2025
Began	Monday Meeting			Robert "Duck" Sholl		22
	Mike Brubaker			Teresa Mullhausen		0.
	Kristen Brubaker			James Mahler		
	Robert "BJ" Reedy	2(Steve Goettler		
	Glen Bootay *!	21(Adam Hauptman		
	Scott Little (1998-2005)	5-2		Addin Haupunan		
	Jennifer Koppel	2016-2017				
2017	Greg Grogan Mark Bruce	7				
201/	Sandra Bruce					
	Wondi Grinnoll I					