

The SPOKE

Elizabethtown Rotary Club

SERVICE ABOVE SELF | DOING GOOD IN THE WORLD

MONDAYS | 5:30-6:30 PM

MOO-DUCK BREWERY

Dave Pelna, CHAIR Lori Funck, VICE-CHAIR

APR 1 Don Hanes

Hanes Mechanical

APR 8 Greg Grove

Ghana Trip

APR 15 Joe Carter

Vista School

APR 22 David Crandall

Amtrak Police Officer

NO MEETINGS MAY 27 | JUN 7, 28 **JUL 5 | SEP 2**

March 29, 2024 | VOL 75, #13

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FRIDAYS | 12-1:30 PM

FUNK BREWING CO.

Jeff Clark, PRESIDENT

MAR 29 Shaun McCoach

APR 5 Emma Olofson

Four Diamonds

APR 12 Ed Cunningham

Mental Health Wellness

APR 19 TBA

TBA

WATCH PREVIOUS FRIDAY SPEAKERS

THANK YOU...

...for sponsoring a new member this Rotary Year!

sponsor

new member

Keith Yocum BJ Reedy

Kim Yocum

Pres. Jeff Clark Derek Lehman

David Wertz

Denise Grove

Nikita Grove

JOKE OF THE WEEK



from Dan Brill

Why don't wind turbines like county music? They are heavy metal fans.

From President Jeff Clark...

Man, did I ever have a great time hiding eggs for the GEARS Eggstravaganza during the deluge of rain this past Saturday! False Spring tricked me into thinking it was still warm out and my hands took quite some time to regain the ability to grasp things. In all seriousness, more people than I expected came to enjoy the festivities, and the kids had a great time. I think the adult egg hunt may actually have had more participants – perhaps they thought no one else would show and they could win all the prizes.

Thanks to all my fellow members who braved the weather and helped out! Thanks also to GEARS for continuing with this new community tradition.

The next service event is the Central Pa Food Bank on April 17th. Consider coming out to help!



MARCH

BIRTHDAYS

- 6 Alyssa Roth
- **Sergey Frolov**
- 9 Michele Balliet
- 13 Ben Hoffman
- 16 Christian Zechman
- 16 Glen Bootay
- 25 John Martin II
- 27 Joseph Lisi
- 31 Marty Thomas-Brumme

Club # 5338, Chartered December 13, 1925 | Jeff Clark, PRESIDENT | Total Membership: 124 PO Box 89, Elizabethtown, PA 17022 | elizabethtownrotary.org | etownparotary@gmail.com twitter.com/EtownRotary | facebook.com/etownrotary

2023-2024 GOALS & CLUB NEWS

PRESIDENT'S 2023-2024 GOALS

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

Goal 1 | 4 UNIQUE SERVICE PROJECTS | Please contact me, Debbie Dupler, or Kristin Brubaker if there are new ways to serve the needs of our community.

Goal 2 | START SERVICE PROJECT BREAKFAST MEETING | This will be a forum to bring ideas for service projects, organize, and implement. If you joined our Club to serve, this meeting will be for you.

Goal 3 | 90% ENGAGEMENT BEYOND MEETINGS & PAYMENT OF DUES | Volunteer for a service project or a fundraiser, donate money to a fundraiser, or attend a family of rotary or other social event.

Goal 4 | INCREASE MEMBERSHIP BY 5 NET MEMBERS | This will not only exceed the goal set by the District, but could make us one of the largest clubs in the District.

Goal 5 | REVITALIZE MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE | We need your talents – help us show our community what we do, reach out to new areas and new people, organize fun activities, help integrate new members.

CONGRATS TO OUR EXCELLENTFOUR-WAY TEST ESSAY WINNERS!



L-R 1st Place Benjamin Rittle, 3rd Place Maybelle Van Winkle & 2nd Place Kevin Rife

2024 – 2025 Rotary Year **ELECTED OFFICERS**

Denise Grove, PRESIDENT ELECT
John Yoder, 1st VICE PRESIDENT
Lori Funck, 2nd VICE PRESIDENT
Ryan Yorty, TREASURER
Deb Dupler, SECRETARY
Lori Funck, ALT MEETING CHAIR
LauraJo (LJ) Funck, ALT MEETING VICE CHAIR
Dan Brill, AT-LARGE BOARD MEMBERS
Deb Handshew, AT-LARGE BOARD MEMBER
Brittany Garner, AT-LARGE BOARD MEMBER
ShaunJude McCoach,
PRESIDENT ELECT 24/25

(already in the chairs, no vote needed)



MARCH 2024 STUDENTS OF THE MONTH



Keegan Miller

PARENTS
Kim & Brian Miller

SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

FCA | Fellowship of Christian Athletes – captain Mini-THON Bible Club Multiple Disabilities Class – volunteer soccer team lacrosse team

SCHOOL/ACADEMIC AWARDS

National Honor Society

Academic award for excellence in these courses: Honors Geometry,

Psychology, Honors Human Anatomy and Physiology,

Probability and Statistics, Health 11

Honor Roll every semester of high school

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES/AWARDS

GEARS Iddy Biddy soccer – volunteer GEARS lacrosse clinics – volunteer

EMPLOYMENT

Weis Markets - front-end associate

CHURCH AFFILIATION/ACTIVITIES

LCBC – youth group, Buddy Ministry volunteer for individuals with special needs

HOBBIES

reading, hiking, cooking, baking

FUTURE PLANS

attend Lock Haven University in the accelerated 3+2 Physician Assistant Program, obtaining a bachelor's degree in health sciences as well as a master's degree in physician assistant studies



Noah Locke

PARENTS
Arnold & Kathy Locke

SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

Student Lighthouse Team – founding member
FBLA | Future Business Leaders of America – co-president
Stock Market Club – co-president
soccer team
basketball team – captain
baseball team
Mini-THON
DDMP Financial Group internship

SCHOOL/ACADEMIC AWARDS

National Honor Society
Lancaster-Lebanon League -1^{st} team soccer all-star
FBLA competition -1^{st} place for regional marketing and regional financial systems/banking divisions

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES/AWARDS

Masonic Village – Outstanding Volunteer award

EMPLOYMENT

Masonic Village at Elizabethtown – food server landscaping/snow removal business – self-employed

HOBBIES

hanging out with friends, playing/watching sports, golfing with friends, going to the gym and to get food

FUTURE PLANS

attend Penn State University to major in business/finance

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.



VOLUNTEER | DONATE | SERVE | TRAIN

District 7390 Annual Conference

April 19 & 20, 2024 | **REGISTER TODAY!**

Join us for the Annual D7390 Conference!

Friday, April 19, will feature a kick-off event at the **U.S. Army Heritage and Education Center** (*950 Soldiers Dr, Carlisle, PA 17013*). The evening will have fun and fellowship, but the highlight will be the finals for the District Four-Way Test Speech Contest.

On **Saturday**, **April 20**, a District-wide service project will be held in the morning. At 2:00 pm, all Rotarians will gather at **Heritage Hills Resort** (*2700 Mount Rose Ave, York, PA 17402*) for some informational sessions until 4:30 pm. Immediately following the conclusion of the sessions, we will start our celebration of the 2023-2024 Rotary year with a cocktail hour and then the Governor's banquet.

Conference registration closes on April 10, 2024 at 12:00 noon—register TODAY!

Future Service Opportunities

- Central Pa. Food Bank, April 17, 2024 5:00 PM 7:00 PM
- Wittel Farm Growing Project, June 08, 2024 9:00 AM Noon

REGISTER



SERVICE CALENDAR



Elizabethtown Lions Club Military Banner Project



As of March 25, 2024 our Rotary Club has assisted our local Lions Club in hanging 180 banners to honor those in our community who have so selflessly served our country in the military.

It's so gratifying to see two great local service organizations come together to make this excellent project such a great success.

Many thanks to all who have assisted thus far.



COMMUNITY EVENTS ETC



Breweries, Wineries, & Food Trucks ... oh my! Plus, live music by Second Time Through

April 6 | 3pm – 7pm

Central Penn College Campus (600 Valley Road, Summerdale)

BENEFITS: Rotary Scholarships to High School Seniors, Local Charities, Food Pantries, and Libraries



TICKETS:

\$40 per person \$5 Designated Drivers (DDs get a \$5 food voucher)

Winery, Brewery ... interested in participating? Please contact: Ken Hugendubler: 717-319-5440 or hugendubler1@gmail.com

mechanicsburgnorthrotary.org



FREE family fun event!

Donations are encouraged

It's a boy! It's a girl!

Please join us for a FREE furi community event in preparation for our influx of springtime wild babies!

Games and activities, trivia, cool prizes, education, raffles, favors, refreshments, giveaways, crafts... for all ages!

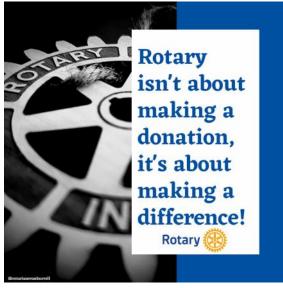
Event held at:

Columbia Crossing River Trails Center
41 Walnut Street
Columbia, PA 17512
Saturday, April 6th
11:00 am to 4 pm



Enjoy a presentation by our Wildlife Rehabilitator, about baby wildlife and does it really need rescuing?





2023-2024 BOARD

PRESIDENT	Jeffrey C. Clark (Fri)
PRESIDENT-ELECT	Shaun McCoach
1 ST VICE PRESIDENT	Denise Grove
2 ND VICE PRESIDENT	John Yoder
ALT MEET CHAIR	Dave Pelna
ALT MEET VICE-CHAIR	Lori Funck
SECRETARY	Mark Bruce
TREASURER	Ryan Yorty
AT-LARGE MEMBERS	Kevin Engle
	Greg Grogan
	Jeff Nolan
PAST PRESIDENT	Glen Bootay

COMMITTEE CHAIRS

NOMINATING | Glen Bootay

FOUNDATION | Ken Wolfe, Dennis Zubler

MEMBERSHIP | Jeff Marsico

FAMILY OF ROTARY | Shaun McCoach
INTERNATIONAL PROJECTS | Joe Rebman

 $\textbf{STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS \& LOANS} \mid \mathsf{Deb} \; \mathsf{Handshew},$

Bill Davis

PUBLIC IMAGE/RELATIONS | Shaun McCoach

FUNDRAISING CHAIRS

CHRISTMAS TREE SALE | Glen Bootay, Mike Kalloz
GOLF MAJOR | John Yoder
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 | Mike Handshew
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

CHAPLAIN | Clair Baum
CARING/CARDS | Lori Funck
AV/IT & SPOKE EDITOR | John Yoder
SHERIFF | Bart Ziegler

- * past/current President

 ^ past district governor
- + past assistant governor ! past/current Alt. Club Chair
- # joined Rotary–another club

MEMBERSHIP

		Ann Reinhold * Bob Messick Joe Murphy		2017	Jennifer Koppel Greg Grogan Mark Bruce	2016-2017
		Chuck Mummert * + Betty Rider			Sandra Bruce Wendi Grinnell ! Allison DeArment	
	1959	Clair Baum *			Trent DeArment 15	_
	1966	Harold Engle *			Christian Zechman	
	1969	Don White *			John "Norm" Norman	
	1973 1977	Jake Olweiler Paul Wolgemuth * +			Meshelle Pinzon John Yoder	20
	1981	Noble Johnson *		2018	Shaun McCoach	17-
	1985	Kevin Dolan *		2010	Robert Switalski	2017-2018
	1986	John Smith			Michele Switalski	18
	1988	Roger Hipple			David Pelna!	
	1989	Barry Smith			Ryan Yorty	
	1990	Bill Davis *			Dustin Conrad 10	
	1001	Tom Labagh *			Paul Metzger	
	1991 1995	Ken Wolfe * Dennis Zubler * + ^			Greg Grove	20
	1996	Joe Rebman *		2019	Robert Sorozan # Alyssa Roth!	-8
	1997	John Martin II *		2013	Kevin Becker	2018-2019
	1999	Barry Acker			Casey Greinermiller	19
		Tom Campbell			Ed Cunningham 7	
	2000	Matt Denlinger			Denise Grove	
		Hob Kroesen * (1980-91)			Steve Glick!	2
	2001	Stacy Steinkamp Ralph Detrick * +			Calvin Kent # Kevin Schafer	01
	2001	Dan Brill *!			Rick Clark #	9-2
		Deb Dupler *			Dan Stephenson	2019-2020
		Dave Hickernell		2020	Nick Ressler	0
	2003	Bob Hollinger			Susan Grubb (2007-11)	
	2004	Marty Thomas-Brummé Bart Ziegler			Sawyer Neale 9 Logan Hoover	_
	2005	Scott Cvek *		2021	Sergey Frolov	
		David Halliwell # (1981)			Jeff Schickling	20;
		Wayne Heisey			Angela Padulese-Schickling	2020-2021
	2006	Kevin Engle * +			David Wendel	20
	2007	Scott Kingsboro Joe Lisi # (1973)			Zach Carter	21
		Jeff Kline *!			Kevin Gardner Krissy Kimbark	
	2008	Tyler Smith			J Craig Kimbark 9	
		Michael Kalloz *			Caitlin Barton	
	2011	Stanley Mumma			Deb Handshew	
	2012	Tim Haak *	2012 2013		Ben McCurdy	2
	2012	Ben Hoffman (1965-67)	13 12		Austin Hilsher	2
	2013	Michele Balliet Jeff Clark *	·	2022	Gary "Bud" Barton Darren Stine	1-2
		Bill Moore (1974-81)			Abby Huber	2021-2022
		Michael Handshew *	20		Lee Eckert	2
	2014	Don Grabowski *	2013 2014		Tony Gibble	
		Andrew Schoenberger			Cindy Wivell	
	2015	Jeff Nolan (97-2008)	NN		Nancy Sabb 11	_
		Del Becker Lori Funck	2014- 2015		LauraJo "LJ" Funck	20
		Keith Yocum	40	2023	Jim Brandt	22
		Ben Travis			Toni Tice	-20
	2016	Mitch Forry	2		Brittany Garner	23
		Marc Hershey	21		Annie Weiler 5 Kim Yocum	
		Jeff Marsico	- 6-2		David Wertz	202
		Tracy Miller	2016-2017		Derek Lehman	Ϋ
	2016	Ed Thomas	7		Nikita Grove	2022-2023 2023-2024
2016 November Began Monday Meeting						
	negan	Mike Brubaker				
		Kristen Brubaker				
7		Robert "BJ" Reedy	201			
		Glen Bootay *!	2016-201			
I		Scott Little (1998-2005)	201			