



The SPOKE

Service Above Self
Doing Good In The World

Monday Meeting

5:30-6:30pm

Moo Duck Brewery
Chair Dave Peln
Vice-Chair Lori Funck

Monday Meeting Keynoters:

- Sept. 25 - Kate Mullen** Aaron's Acres
Enriching programs for children
with disabilities
- Oct. 2 - Kaycee Sharp** Dauphin County
Prison Correctional Officer
- Oct. 9 - David Clark** PaWSARA PA
Wilderness Search and Rescue
- Oct. 16 - Lynn Williams**
Elizabethtown Big E Boosters Club

The Rotary Club of Elizabethtown

President: Jeff Clark

Club # 5338, Chartered December 13, 1925
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Friday 12:00 pm Funk Brewing Co.

Monday 5:30 pm Moo Duck Brewery

Total Membership: 132

Group E: Elizabethtown, Mount Joy, Donegal, Lititz,
Eastern York Co (Wrightsville), Hempfield, Manheim
District # 7390 Zones 24 & 31

September 22, 2023

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Friday Meeting

12:00-1:30pm

Funk Brewing Co.
President Jeff Clark

Friday Meeting Keynoters:

- Sept. 22 - Ezra Smucker** Born Amish
- Sept. 29 - Jill Thomasson** ExHaLTT
Performing Arts Academy
- Oct. 6 - Ricky Schies** Asst. Dir. of Nursing
Masonic Village & author of
Dementia: the Experience
- Oct. 13 - District Governor Fred Gellert**
- Oct. 20 - Kristen Koch** Conoy Watershed

Years in Rotary

30 Cal Kent

27 Joe Rebman

Sept. Birthdays

- 1 Laura Reed
- 4 Tina Lutter
- 4 Bob Messick
- 5 Marc Hershey
- 5 Dan Stephenson
- 6 Jon "Norm" Norman
- 8 Cal Kent
- 8 Bob Switalski
- 9 Clair Baum
- 10 Bob Hollinger
- 15 Stacy Steinkamp
- 25 Scott Kingsboro
- 28 Cindy Telenko

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<https://register.etownrotary.org/pay/>

Watch previous Friday Meeting Speakers

NO MEETING

Nov. 24 & 27

Dec. 22, 25 & 29

Jan. 1

Feb. 2

May 27

June 7 & 28

July 5

Sept 2

THANK YOU!

For sponsoring a new
member this Rotary Year!

sponsor new member

Keith Yocum

Kim Yocum

BJ Reedy

David Wertz

Jeff Clark, President

Derek Lehman

Service Opportunities

September 30

9:00am - 12:00pm

Tree planting

click to [register](#)

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One Rotarian ... One Idea

**Everything in Rotary starts with
One Rotarian with One Idea.**

Think about it. Paul Harris had an idea which
turned into Rotary International.

One Rotarian had an idea to eradicate Polio.

What is your idea

to make our world a better place?

Create Hope in the World

A Message from our President, Jeff Clark

Our Club had a strong presence at the Rotary Leadership Institute this past weekend (myself, Glen, Debbie, Denise, John, and Dennis as instructor). It's a great opportunity to learn about what Rotary does for the world and locally, and how we can continue to improve our (already great) Club. Speaking of leadership, nominations for Club leadership positions should be made by October 1st – just let a past president know you're interested or would like to nominate someone.

If you'd like to learn more about what Rotary does, the Rotary Foundation Dinner is on November 4th at the Hershey Lodge. It would be great if our Club could get a table together to go. See the link on page 7 of this issue of the Spoke. We are a great club! Let's show the rest of the district who we are. Please join me November 4th in Hershey. Register today.



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Joke of the week from Dan Brill

Why does Waldo wear stripes?
Because he doesn't want to be spotted.



ROTARY INTERNATIONAL NEWS

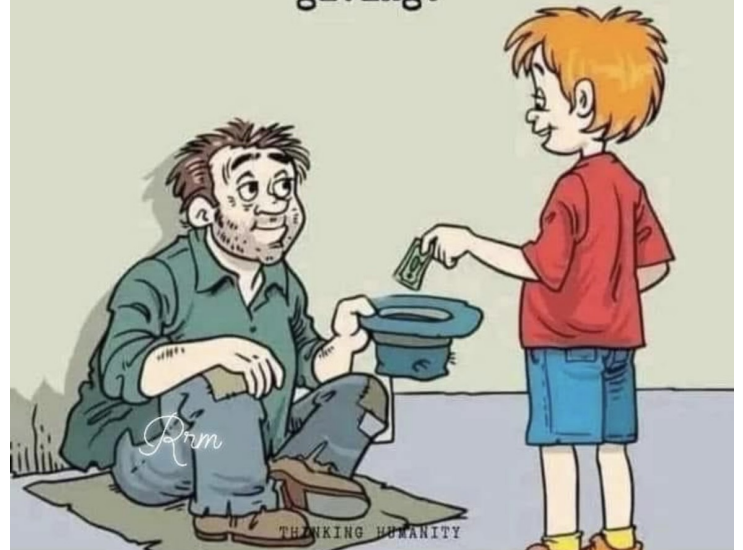


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When life blesses you
financially, don't raise
your standard of living.
Raise your standard of
giving.



**Rotary is so
much more!
Than club
meetings**

Click to learn more [Growing Local Economies](#)

Rotary Means Business

Thursday October 5, 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.



October 2023 RMB Registration

District 7390 Rotary Means Business and the Rotary clubs of Elizabethtown, Lancaster Hempfield, Lancaster Penn Square and Lititz will host the district's next RMB networking event on Thursday, Oct. 5. The event is sponsored by Waste Haulers, Caretakers Electric, Christian Brothers Automotive, United Zion Retirement Community, and the Lancaster Penn Square and Lititz Rotary clubs. The Holiday Inn Lancaster is the venue sponsor.

Attendance is FREE and will include light appetizers and a free drink coupon for use in the hotel bar. Parking in the Duke Street Garage will be FREE if you provide information about your car and license plate below.

Rotary Means Business is an opportunity for Rotarians to support each other, building stronger businesses, stronger communities, stronger members, stronger Rotary Foundation, stronger Rotary clubs, and ultimately a stronger Rotary International. We look forward to seeing you and your guests.

In person at Holiday Inn Lancaster, 26 E. Chestnut St., Lancaster

Free parking in the Duke Street Garage, 150 N. Duke St. in Lancaster, if you provide your license plate and car information with registration

As always, you and your registered guests will receive attendee contact information so that you can continue the conversation going forward

[Register](#)



INSTRUCTIONS ON HOW TO DONATE ONLINE

Go to Rotary.org

Sign in if you have login, if not get one.

Click on The **DONATE BUTTON** at the top right

You can drill down to many choices for your donation.

Annual Fund or Polio Plus for example

Just answer the questions in the drop-down boxes

Select one time or re-occurring

Enter Credit Card Information

Your Done, YEAll

EVERY ROTARIAN EVERY YEAR

The
Rotary
Foundation



Rotary



is about the thousands of people
who want to do something good for
their community.
We help them do it.

OUR FOUNDATION'S ANNUAL FUND

Your gift to The Rotary Foundation's Annual Fund empowers Rotary members to take action and create positive change in communities close to home and around the globe. When you donate to Annual Fund-SHARE, your contributions are transformed into grants that fund local and international projects, scholarships, and other activities.

GIVE TODAY: rotary.org/donate

LEARN MORE: my.rotary.org/annual-fund

DONATE TODAY

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 and 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.

Etown Rotary!

We have been asked to work with the Tri-County Conewago Creek Association on a tree planting project along the Conewago Creek on September 30th. This will take place just north of Mount Gretna Road and the Conewago Trail at 200 Prospect Rd, Hershey.

We will be planting about 130 trees along a recent stream restoration project that finished up in June.

This will be a morning event (probably 9AM). If a little earlier or later, I will let everyone know. Please mark your calendars and sign-up to participate.

thanks,

Debbie



A Small Message :

- If the **heat** bothers you, plant a **Tree**.
- If the **water** bothers you, plant a **Tree**.
- If you like **fruits**, plant a **Tree**.
- If you like **birds**, plant a **Tree**.
- And if you like **life**, plant **many Trees**.

Don't miss the fun while Doing Good for our environment.

The 3rd Annual Ride to Eradicate Polio will be held on the York County Rail Trail October 22

Riders will need to meet in downtown York at the Lafayette Plaza at W. Philadelphia St. and Pershing St. at 2:00 p.m.

Plan to ride to the Howard Tunnel (6 mi.) and back or riders who wish to can ride the entire 22 mile York Rail Trail to New Freedom Railroad station. If you choose to ride the entire 22 miles, you can be transported back to York City by Rotarians.

The cost to participate in the ride is \$50. Your \$50 donation will go directly to The Rotary Foundation under your name. All registered participants get a Ride to Eradicate Polio t-shirt!

There couldn't be a better time for this fundraiser. The first case of polio in the United States in nearly a decade was detected in New York in 2022. Your donation helps Rotary, and its partners, reach every child with the polio vaccine. Thanks to the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation, your contribution will be tripled, getting us even closer to a polio-free world.

Visit www.endpolionow.org and learn more about what Rotary is doing to eradicate polio worldwide.

Thank you for your support!



[Click here to Register](#)



Celebrate Amazing Stories with Life-Changing Outcomes Locally and Globally.

Rotary Foundation Dinner

Saturday, November 4, 2023

Hershey Lodge

Cocktails at 5:00 p.m.

Dinner & Program at 6:00 p.m.

Live Musical Entertainment by New Frontier at 7:30 p.m.

\$65 per person

Register by October 31, 2023

**ROTARY
FOUNDATION
MONTH**

"I think a hero is any person really intent on making this a better place for all people."
Maya Angelou



Scan the QR Code to
Register TODAY!



www.rotary.org/donate

Don't miss this year's
Foundation Dinner

November 4

Don't wait

[Register](#)

NOW!

Cornerstone Youth Center



Friends in Action International will be hosting their annual awareness banquet on TWO different dates and locations.

See details below.

Be the reason why
people believe in
beautiful souls, kind
hearts, and good
energy. Never stop
being a good person.



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ELIZABETHTOWN EMERGENCY SHELTER 2023- 2024 WISHLIST

OFFICE HOURS FOR DROP-OFF

Monday - Friday
8:00am - 4:00pm

**VISIT OUR AMAZON
WISHLIST FOR OUR
CURRENT NEEDS!**



Donations provided to ECHOS are given free of charge to the families and individuals in our programs.

Please only donate items in new or gently-used condition. We reserve the right to refuse items that do not directly benefit our clients.

*Please note, we do not accept clothing donations beyond what is listed. All clothing donations can be coordinated directly through The Clothing Barn in Elizabethtown. *We are not affiliated with the Elizabethtown Community Cupboard. We do not accept food items beyond what is listed.

FOOD/KITCHEN SUPPLIES

Cases of Water
Coffee Cups with lids
Coffee K-cups
Disposable Cups
Individually-packaged, non-perishable food
Paper Bowls
Paper Plates
Paper Towels
Plastic Utensils
Trash bags (large black, 30-40 gallon for laundry)
Trash bags (30 gallon for trash cans)
Ziploc Bags, gallon

HYGIENE ITEMS

Body Wash (travel size)
Chapstick
Deodorant
Razors
Shampoo (travel size)
Shaving Cream
Toilet Paper

CLOTHING ITEMS

Gloves (men's & women's, water resistant)
Men's pajamas (M-2XL, pants & shirts)
Men's underwear
Women's pajamas (M-2XL, pants & shirts)
Women's underwear (size 7+)

Contact Us



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Elizabethtown, PA 17022

To benefit:



6th Annual Great Turkey Chase 5k

**5K & Kids
Fun Run!**



Run, walk, and
stroller friendly!

Bring the whole
family for a
holiday tradition!



Kids Fun Run
sponsored by:



T-shirt for all participants
registered by Oct. 31st!

Important Race Information:

8:15am 5K Start Time
9:15am Kids Fun Run Start Time (FREE!)

Starting Point: Elizabethtown Brethren
in Christ (EBIC), 996 E. High St., Etown

Registration: \$30 (increases to \$35 on 10/1)
runsignup.com/Race/PA/Elizabethtown/GreatTurkeyChase

**Nov.
23rd**



Students of the Month: September 2023

Jillian Wivell

Parents:

Cindy and Jason Wivell

School Activities:

Key Club
Cross Country
Bible Club
Marching Band
Student Council (Co-President)

School Awards:

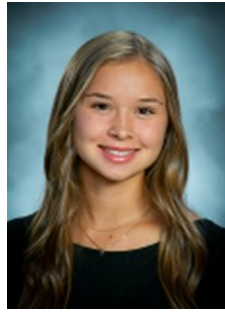
Underclassman Award for Honors English 9,
Honors Algebra II, Health 11, AP Language and
Composition
Honors Student

Hobbies:

Bullet Journaling
Outdoor adventures
Reading
Playing piano and cello

Future Plans:

Study biopsychology with a focus on children at a Christian
University to become a Child Psychologist



Carter Ketchum

Parents:

Beth and Neil Ketchum

School Activities:

Boys' Lacrosse
Swimming
Golf (9th & 10th grade)
Band
Mini-THON

School Awards:

National Honors Society inductee
Honor Roll in all marking periods
3 Varsity letters in both Lacrosse and Swimming

Community Activities:

2021 and 2022 LNP Student Journalism Contest
Winner

Employment:

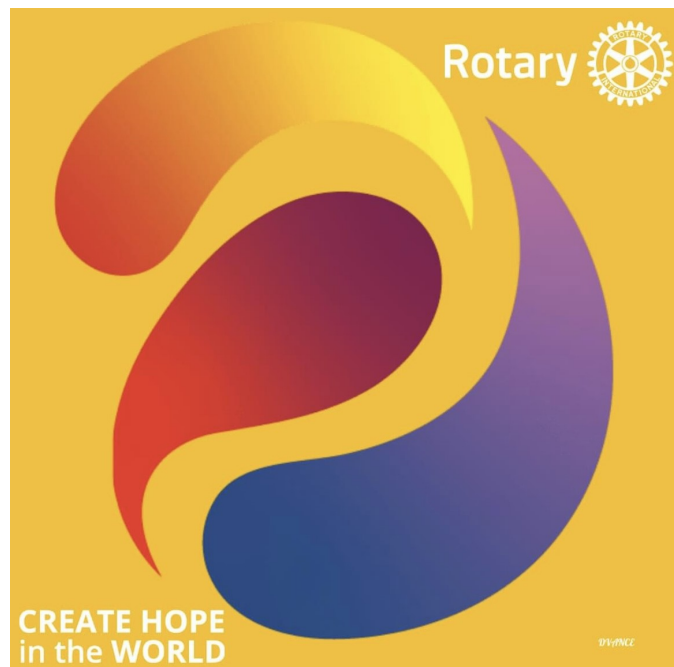
Willowood Swim Club
Masonic Village

Hobbies:

Pickleball
Golf

Future Plans:

Attend a 4 year college to study Economics
and/or Political Science



2023– 2024 BOARD

President	Jeffrey C. Clark (Fri)
President-Elect	Shaun McCoach
1st V- President	Denise Grove
2nd V- President	John Yoder
Alt Meet Chair	Dave Pelna
Alt Meet V-Chair	Lori Funck
Secretary	Mark Bruce
Treasurer	Ryan Yorty
"At Large"	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**Student Scholarships & Loans:** Deb 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:** Debbie 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:** John Yoder**Sheriff:** Bart Ziegler**MEMBERSHIP****Honorary:**

*Ann Reinhold	Bob Messick
Joe Murphy	+*Chuck Mummert
Betty Rider	
1959 *	Clair Baum
1966 *	Harold Engle
1969 *	Don White
1972	Walt Heisey
1973	Jake Olweiler
1977 +	* Paul Wolgemuth
1981 *	Noble Johnson
1985 *	Kevin Dolan
1986	John Smith
1988	Roger Hipple
1989	Jack Hostetter
	Barry Smith
1990 *	Bill Davis
	* Tom Labagh
1991 *	Ken Wolfe
1995 ^ +	* Dennis Zubler
1996 *	Joe Rebman
1997 *	John Martin II
1999	Barry Acker
	Tom Campbell
	Werner Fetter
2000	Matt Denlinger
	* Hob Kroesen (1980-91)
	Stacy Steinkamp
2001 +	*Ralph Detrick
2002 *	! Dan Brill
	* Deb Dupler
	Dave Hickernell
2003	Bob Hollinger
2004	Marty Thomas-Brummé
	Bart Ziegler
2005 *	Scott Cvek
	# David Halliwell (1981)
	Wayne Heisey
2006 +*	Kevin Engle
2007	Scott Kingsboro
	# Joe Lisi (1973)
	* ! Jeff Kline
2008	Tyler Smith
	* Michael Kalloz
2011	Stanley Mumma
2012 *	Tim Haak
	Ben Hoffman (1965-67)
2013	Michele Balliet
	* Jeff Clark
	Bill Moore (1974-81)
	* Michael Handshew
2014 *	Don Grabowski
	Andrew Schoenberger
2015	Jeff Nolan (97-2008)
	Del Becker
	Lori Funck
	Keith Yocum
	Ben Travis
2016	Mitch Forry
	Marc Hershey
	Jeff Marsico
	Tracy Miller
	Ed Thomas

2016 November**Began Monday Meeting**

Mike Brubaker
 Kristen Brubaker
 Robert "BJ" Reedy
 * ! Glen Bootay
 Scott Little (1998-2005)

2016-2017

	Deb Jones	
	Jennifer Koppel	
	Greg Grogan	
2017	Mark Bruce	2016-2017
	Sandra Bruce	
	! Wendi Grinnell	
	Allison DeArment	
	Trent DeArment	15
	Christian Zechman	
	John "Norm" Norman	
	Meshelle Pinzon	
	John Yoder	
2018	Shaun McCoach	2017-2018
	Matthew Blazi	
	Robert Switalski	
	Michele Switalski	
	! David Pelna	
	Ryan Yorty	
	Dustin Conrad	11
	Paul Metzger	
	Greg Grove	
	# Robert Sorozan	
	Rachel Clark	
	Jeffrey T. Clark	
2019	! Alyssa Roth	2018-2019
	Kevin Becker	
	Casey Greiner Miller	
	Ed Cunningham	9
	Denise Grove	
	! Steve Glick	
	# Calvin Kent	
	Kevin Schafer	
	Tina Lutter	
	# Rick Clark	
	Dan Stephenson	
2020	Nick Ressler	2019-2020
	Cody Atherton	
	Susan Grubb (2007-11)	
	Sawyer Neale	11
	Logan Hoover	
2021	Sergey Frolov	2020-2021
	Jeff Schickling	
	Angela Padulese-Schickling	
	David Wendel	
	Zach Carter	
	Kevin Gardner	
	Krissy Kimbark	
	J Craig Kimbark	9
	Caitlin Barton	
	Deb Handshew	
	Ben McCurdy	
	Austin Hilsher	
2022	Gary "Bud" Barton	2021-2022
	Darren Stine	
	Abby Huber	
	Lee Eckert	
	Tony Gobble	
	Cindy Telenko	
	Cindy Wivell	
	Nancy Sabb	12
	LauraJo "LJ" Funck	
2023	Laura Reed	2022-2023
	Jim Brandt	
	Toni Tice	
	Brittany Garner	
	Annie Weiler	6
	Kim Yocum	
	David Wertz	
	Derek Lehman	

* Past / Current President
 ^ Past District Governor
 + Past Assistant Governor
 ! Past/Current Alt. Club Chair
 # Joined Rotary- Another Club