

### MONDAYS | 5:30-6:30 PM

MOO-DUCK BREWERY

LauraJo (LJ) Funck, Alt Meeting Chair

OCT 13 Judge Randall Miller  
Magisterial District Judge

OCT 20 Paul Wolgemuth  
About Me

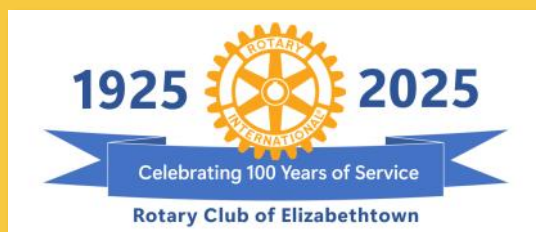
OCT 27 Susan Ewing  
United States of America's  
Mrs. Harrisburg

NOV 3 Dennis Zubler  
The Rotary Foundation

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### FRIDAYS | 12-1:30 PM

HENNIGAN'S REST. & BAR

President Denise Grove

OCT 10 Judge Randall Miller  
Magisterial District Judge

OCT 17 Paul Wolgemuth  
About Me

OCT 24 Sherri Gorman  
Freedom Outfitters/Armory

OCT 31 Justin Risser  
Farming Today

### NO MEETINGS

NOV 28 | DEC 1, 12, 15, 26 & 29

WATCH PREVIOUS  
FRIDAY SPEAKERS

### THANK YOU...

...for sponsoring a new member  
this Rotary Year

sponsor new member  
Elizabeth Wolf Michael Porr

We've gained 1 new member this year!  
Let's keep the momentum going.

**NEW FRIDAY  
MEETING LOCATION!**  
**Hennigan's  
Restaurant & Bar**

### From the President ...

You may have heard me yelling last Thursday!

Our Global Grant has been approved! After 4 long years of working diligently with the medical clinic, the Rotary Club in Accra, and Rotary International we are ready to get that medical equipment purchased, delivered, and installed.

What a wonderful way to celebrate 100 years!

This is all possible because of YOU and your generous giving throughout the years and I can not thank you enough.

I do need one more thing from you though. The money in part is coming from our legacy fund. You can read more about this on page 3 of this issue. In order to release those funds we need to get the membership to vote yes!

We will be voting this Friday and at the two meetings next week. If you are able to attend one of those meetings to cast your vote it would be greatly appreciated.

We are making a difference locally and globally!

***Yours in Rotary service,  
President Denise Grove***

P.S. Reminder that Monday meetings now start at 5:50 to give more time to our speakers. As before, the doors open at 5:00. Starting October 6th the bell will ring at 5:50 to officially start the meeting.

## OCTOBER

### BIRTHDAYS

- 7 Barry Acker
- 8 Tyler Smith
- 12 Casey Greinermiller
- 15 J Harold Engle
- 24 Wendi Grinnell
- 29 Roger Hipple



**ONLINE PAYMENT &  
ACH SETUP LINK**

[register.ETownRotary.org/pay](https://register.ETownRotary.org/pay)



### JOKE OF THE WEEK

from the Editor

*A quick shoutout to all the  
sidewalks out there...*

*Thanks for keeping me off the  
streets.*

Club # 5338, Chartered December 13, 1925 | Denise Grove, PRESIDENT | Total Membership: 120 Active, 5 Honorary

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

# 2025-2026 GOALS & CLUB NEWS

## PRESIDENT'S 2025-2026 GOALS

My goals for the year are simple but powerful :

Goal 1 | BE A GOOD HUMAN

Goal 2 | BE A GOOD ROTARIAN

Each of us has something unique to offer—our time, our talents, our resources. Let's give generously from that "box" we each carry, and together, let's make an unforgettable impact.

## ROTARIAN CODE OF CONDUCT

**As a Rotarian, I will:**

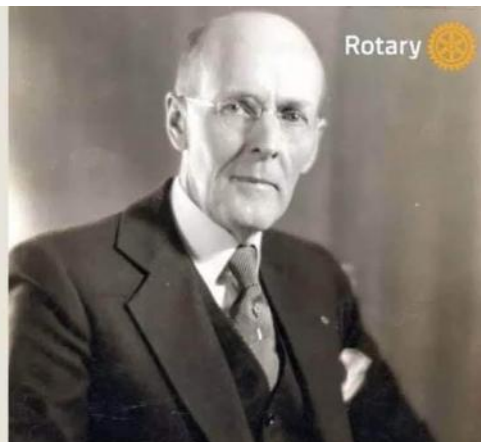
- Act with integrity and uphold the highest ethical standards.
- Deal fairly with others and treat every person with respect.
- Mentor young people—especially by leading through example.
- Extend care and support to those with special needs.
- Work to improve quality of life and well-being in my community and across the world.

**Be Trustworthy.  
Lead by Example.**



"This is a changing world; we must be prepared to change with it. The story of Rotary will have to be written again and again."

**Paul Harris**  
founder of Rotary



## 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

- Etown Famers Market | October 15
- Central PA Food Bank | October 29 5:00-7:00 pm
- Lancaster County Project for the Needy Food Delivery | December 20, 2025



## IMPORTANT NOTICE

### Elizabethtown Rotary Club Legacy Fund Vote

The Elizabethtown Rotary Club Legacy Fund was established after our club donated \$75,000 to a new turf field at the high school in 2013. The purpose was to create a sustainable source of funding to use for large high impact projects in our community and internationally. The Fund continues to grow with money allocated to the Legacy Fund each Rotary year by the board. The current fund balance is approximately \$52,000.

At the August board meeting, the board approved using up to \$39,000 of the Legacy Fund for the Ghana Medical Clinic project. These funds would be used in conjunction with a grant from the Rotary Foundation to purchase and install medical equipment in the newly constructed facility. After Board approval, any distributions or commitments from the Fund over \$10,000 are subject to a majority vote from the club members.

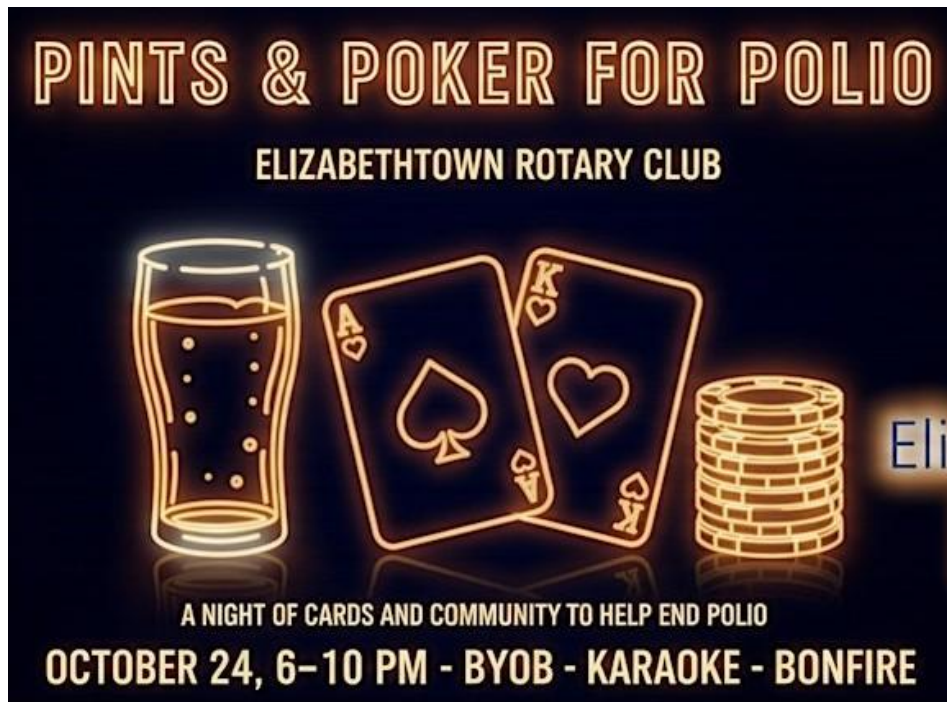
**We will be voting at the meetings held the weeks of October 6<sup>th</sup> and October 13<sup>th</sup>.**

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY, SAVE THE DATE!

Saturday December 13, 2025 is Elizabethtown Rotary Club's 100th Birthday! We will celebrate on that Saturday morning with a combined meeting with breakfast at Hennigan's. There will be no meetings on December 12th or 15th so don't miss this once in a lifetime chance to celebrate this incredible milestone on the very day!



## COMMUNITY EVENTS



Elizabethtown  
**Rotary**  
Club



Bring the crew and your lucky card face—Elizabethtown Rotary is throwing a **FREE**, fall BYOB night with all the good stuff: poker tables, karaoke, a cozy bonfire, and s'mores. We'll have coolers to keep your drinks cold, every dollar raised goes towards supporting Rotary's efforts to End Polio.

Free to attend • BYOB (21+ to consume alcohol). Coolers on-site to keep beverages chilled.  
Cash poker buy-ins and a 50/50 raffle. Karaoke all night (power ballads encouraged)  
Bonfire + s'mores station

### When & Where:

Thursday, October 24 • 6:00–10:00 PM  
Whispering Willows Homestead  
680 Cloverleaf Road, Elizabethtown, PA

### Why it matters:

Every hand, high note, and toasted marshmallow supports Rotary's End Polio efforts. Come for the fun—stay for the impact.

### What to bring:

Your favorite beverages. CASH for poker and the 50/50 raffle  
Friends who sing off-key with confidence

### Good-to-know:

All are welcome—players and cheerleaders alike  
Outdoor elements are weather-permitting; we'll adapt if needed! Please drink responsibly  
Ready to shuffle up and deal for a great cause?

**Grab your free RSVP now! Click or scan the QR Code above or follow this link**

<https://tinyurl.com/42msvjtw>

# SEPTEMBER 2025 STUDENTS OF THE MONTH



**Annale  
Nguyen**

## PARENTS

David Nguyen  
Jessica Nguyen

## SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

Class President  
Mini-THON – overall chair  
Student Ambassador  
Jump Start – mentor  
mathematics tutor  
swim team  
orchestra – violin  
chorus

## SCHOOL/ACADEMIC AWARDS

underclass academic award for excellence in US History  
National Honor Society  
College Board's National First Generation Recognition

## COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES/AWARDS

- EAC (Elizabethtown Aquatic Club)
- Mount Joy Lions Swim Team

## EMPLOYMENT

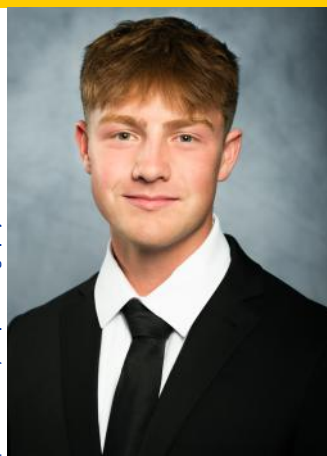
- Willowood Swim Club – lifeguard, swim instructor

## HOBBIES

spending time with family & friends, crocheting, playing guitar,  
playing piano

## FUTURE PLANS

- attend college to pursue a bachelor's degree in engineering



**Lex  
Hershock**

## PARENT

Erica Hershock

## SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

band – marching (section leader), concert, jazz  
orchestra – symphony, musical pit  
soccer team  
track & field team  
cross country team  
lacrosse team  
Student Council  
Mini-THON  
Future Business Leaders of America  
Fellowship of Christian Athletes  
Bible Club  
Key Club  
Link Crew – student mentor

## SCHOOL/ACADEMIC AWARDS

National Honor Society  
LLMEA County Band  
underclass academic award for excellence in Band, Health,  
Computer Science, Career & Finance, Spanish I, Honors  
Geometry  
Superintendent's Advisory Committee – Certificate of Achievement  
*Do The Right Thing* award

## COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES/AWARDS

- Rotary Youth Leadership Conference
- Willowood Blue Fins swim team
- club soccer (Donegal)

## EMPLOYMENT

- Willowood Swim Club – front desk associate
- Adventure Sports – customer service associate

## CHURCH AFFILIATION/ACTIVITIES

EBIC (Elizabethtown Brethren in Christ) – youth group

## HOBBIES

spending time with family & friends, anything sports-related

## FUTURE PLANS

- attend a four-year college while participating in music and sports

2025-2026 PREVIOUS

STUDENTS OF THE MONTH

Scan or click the QR code to visit the EAHS  
Rotary Student of the Month web page to



# OCTOBER 2025 STUDENTS OF THE MONTH

photo courtesy of Epic Photography



## Kendal Huggins

### PARENTS

Emily & John Huggins

### SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

Student Council – president

Class Vice President

lacrosse team

Future Business Leaders of America – president

Link Crew – commissioner

### EMPLOYMENT

■ East Hanover Township Parks and Rec – camp counselor

■ Starbucks – barista

■ Sloan's Pharmacy – pharmacy intern

### CHURCH AFFILIATION/ACTIVITIES

Hope Community Church – youth group

photo courtesy of Epic Photography



## Dominic Hemsch

### PARENTS

Robert & Bianca Hemsch

### SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

band – marching (drumline captain), concert, jazz

orchestra – symphony, musical pit

Model UN – president

Roots & Shoots – media manager

Key Club

Human Rights Club

Book Club

### SCHOOL/ACADEMIC AWARDS

National Honor Society

underclass academic award for excellence in Speech & Band

AP scholar

PMEA District 7 Band, Jazz Band

LLMEA County Band

LLMEA County Orchestra

### COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES/AWARDS

■ Masonic Village Encore Band

### EMPLOYMENT

■ self-employed musician

### HOBBIES

writing & playing music with his band (*Doctor G and the Electric Hands*), spending time with family & friends

### FUTURE PLANS

■ attend university with double majors in music and business

■ pursue a law degree to practice copyright law or music management

## Choosing STUDENTS OF THE MONTH

**Debbie Dupler** | STUDENT OF THE MONTH CHAIR

All EAHS faculty and counselors have the ability to nominate students throughout the year based on four areas: character, academic achievement, leadership, and community service. Students may also apply to be considered for selection. An EAHS counselor leads the committee of 15-20 faculty/staff who meet three times each year. They discuss in depth each student nominated. Multiple votes are held during the process with a final "secret ballot" vote. The end result is a group of outstanding and well-deserving students that we have the pleasure of meeting and getting to know.

Introduce yourselves to the students when they are in attendance at our Friday meetings. If you attend Monday meetings, try to attend a Friday meeting and meet these very special young men and women. Though it seems very cliché, they **are** the future!

### 2025-2026 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.



## 2025-2026 BOARD

<b>PRESIDENT</b>	Denise Grove
<b>PRESIDENT-ELECT</b>	John Yoder
<b>1<sup>ST</sup> VICE PRESIDENT</b>	Wendi Grinnell
<b>2<sup>ND</sup> VICE PRESIDENT</b>	Brittany Garner
<b>ALT MEET CHAIR</b>	LauraJo (LJ) Funck
<b>SECRETARY</b>	Deb Dupler
<b>TREASURER</b>	Ryan Yorty
<b>AT-LARGE MEMBERS</b>	Nancy Sabb Tony Sklareski Ken Wolfe
<b>PAST PRESIDENT</b>	Shaun McCoach

## COMMITTEE CHAIRS

**NOMINATING** | Shaun McCoach

**FOUNDATION** | Ken Wolfe, Dennis Zubler

**MEMBERSHIP** | Brittany Garner

FAMILY OF ROTARY | Shaun McCoach

## INTERNATIONAL PROJECTS | Joe Rebman

STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS &amp; LOANS | Deb Handshew

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 Perna

COMMUNITY VOLUNTEERS | Dan Brill

**RYLA** | Wendi Grinnell

STUDENTS OF MONTH | Debbie Dupler

**YOUTH EXCHANGE | Wendi Grinnell**

**100<sup>TH</sup> BIRTHDAY** | Hob Kroesen, Dennis Zubler

## CLUB SERVICE CHAIRS

**INVOCATION COORDINATOR** | Ben Hoffman

CARING/CARDS | Lori Funck

**AV/IT & SPOKE EDITOR** | John Yoder

**SHERIFF** | - -

**WEBSITE** | Joe Rebman, Tom Labagh, Tim Haak



## MEMBERSHIP

Honorary			Christian Zechman	
	Ann Reinhold *		Meshelle Pinzon	
	Bob Messick		John Yoder	
	Joe Murphy	2018	Shaun McCoach *	
	Chuck Mummert * +		Robert Switalski	
	Betty Rider		Michele Switalski	
1959	Clair Baum *		David Pelna !	
1966	Harold Engle *		Ryan Yorty	
1973	Jake Olweiler		<u>Dustin Conrad</u>	9
1977	Paul Wolgemuth * +		Paul Metzger	
1981	Noble Johnson *		Greg Grove	
1985	Kevin Dolan *		Robert Sorozan #	
1986	John Smith	2019	Alyssa Roth !	
1988	Roger Hipple		Kevin Becker	
1990	Bill Davis *		Casey Greiner-miller	
	Tom Labagh *		<u>Ed Cunningham</u>	7
1991	Ken Wolfe *		Denise Grove *	
1995	Dennis Zubler * + ^		Steve Glick !	
1996	Joe Rebman *		Calvin Kent #	
1997	John Martin II *		Kevin Schafer	
1999	Barry Acker	2020	Rick Clark #	
	Tom Campbell		Dan Stephenson	
2000	Matt Denlinger		Nick Ressler	
	Hob Kroesen * (1980-91)		<u>Susan Grubb (2007-11)</u>	8
	Stacy Steinkamp	2021	David Wendel	
2001	Ralph Detrick * +		Zach Carter	
2002	Dan Brill * !		Kevin Gardner	
	Deb Dupler *		<u>J Craig Kimbark</u>	5
	Dave Hickernell		Caitlin Barton	
2003	Bob Hollinger		Deb Handshew	
2004	Marty Thomas-Brummé		Ben McCurdy	
2005	Wayne Heisey		Austin Hilsher	
2006	Kevin Engle * +	2022	Gary “Bud” Barton	
2007	Scott Kingsboro		Abby Huber	
	Joe Lisi # (1973)		Lee Eckert	
	Jeff Kline * !		Tony Gibble	
2008	Tyler Smith		Cindy Wivell	
	Michael Kalloz *		<u>Nancy Sabb</u>	10
2011	Stanley Mumma		LauraJo “LJ” Funck !	
2012	Tim Haak *	2023	Jim Brandt	
	Ben Hoffman (1965-67)		Brittany Garner	
2013	Jeff Clark *	2012-2023	<u>Annie Weiler</u>	4
	Bill Moore (1974-81)		David Wertz	
	Michael Handshew *	2023-2024	Derek Lehman	
2014	Don Grabowski *	2024	Nikita Grove	
	Andrew Schoenberger		Jeff Kime	
2015	Jeff Nolan (97-2008)	2014-2015	<u>Anthony Sklareski</u>	5
	Del Becker		Wade Amick	
	Lori Funck		Joey Lonardi	
	Ben Travis		Julia Mayberry	
2016	Mitch Forry	2015-2025	Dana Ramsey	
	Marc Hershey		Curt Norris	
	Jeff Marsico		Robert “Duck” Sholl	
	Ed Thomas		Teresa Mullhausen	
<b>2016 November</b>			James Mahler	
<b>Began Monday Meeting</b>			Steve Goettler	
	Mike Brubaker		Adam Hauptman	
	Kristen Brubaker		<u>Bryan Baird</u>	11
	Robert “BJ” Reedy		Michael Porr	
	Glen Bootay * !			
	Scott Little (1998-2005)			
	Jennifer Koppel			
	Greg Grogan			
2017	Mark Bruce			
	Sandra Bruce			
	Wendi Grinnell !			
	Allison DeArment			
	Trent DeArment			

\* past/current President  
 ^ past district governor  
 + past assistant governor

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