

MONDAYS | 5:30-6:30 PM

MOO-DUCK BREWERY

LauraJo (LJ) Funck, Alt Meeting Chair

NOV 3 Dennis Zubler

The Rotary Foundation

NOV 10 Anne Marie Willis

LGH Blood Bank

NOV 17 Jennifer Wallitsch

PA Dept of Corrections

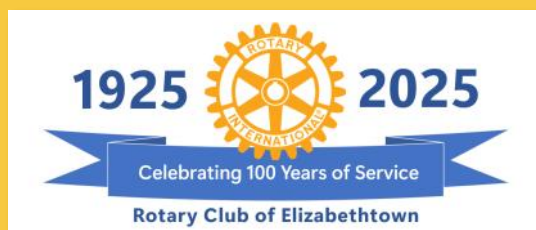
Training Academy

NOV 24 Jeb Musser

Lancaster Farmland Trust

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FRIDAYS | 12-1:30 PM

HENNIGAN'S REST. & BAR

President Denise Grove

OCT 31 Justin Risser

Farming Today

NOV 7 Dennis Zubler

The Rotary Foundation

NOV 14 Jennifer Wallitsch

PA Dept of Corrections

Training Academy

NOV 21 Damien Weaver

Mars Wrigley

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

Eric Frishkorn

Ben McCurdy

We've gained 2 new member this year!
Let's keep the momentum going.

WELCOME NEW MEMBER

A special welcome to our new member Eric Frishkorn who was approved by the Board and has cleared seven day notice. If you see Eric at a meeting, please introduce yourself and make him feel at home.



JOKE OF THE WEEK

from the Editor

Why did the pumpkin lose the
boxing match?

He let his gourd down.

From the President ...

Today is the last day to register for The Annual Rotary Foundation Dinner on November 15th at Milton Hershey School. Will you consider joining me? You can register today here:

<https://rotary7390.org/Events/annual-rotary-foundation-dinner>

Join us as we celebrate the outstanding work of the Rotary Foundation. Foundation awards from the 2024-2025 Rotary year will be presented, and we will hear inspiring stories highlighting the impact Rotary is making around the world. Our Club will be recognized for our contributions so I encourage you to attend to be a part of that recognition.

There is also an opportunity to attend a Rotary Means Business event with the District on November 19th at the Hershey Italian Lodge. More info is available on page 5 of this issue.

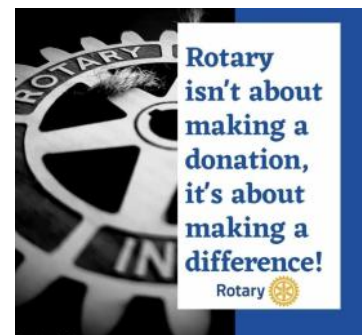
These are two great opportunities to be more involved, see what's happening in the District, and gain a larger picture of what Rotary is all about!

*Yours in Rotary service,
President Denise Grove*

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

Club # 5338, Chartered December 13, 1925 | Denise Grove, PRESIDENT | Total Membership: 113 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

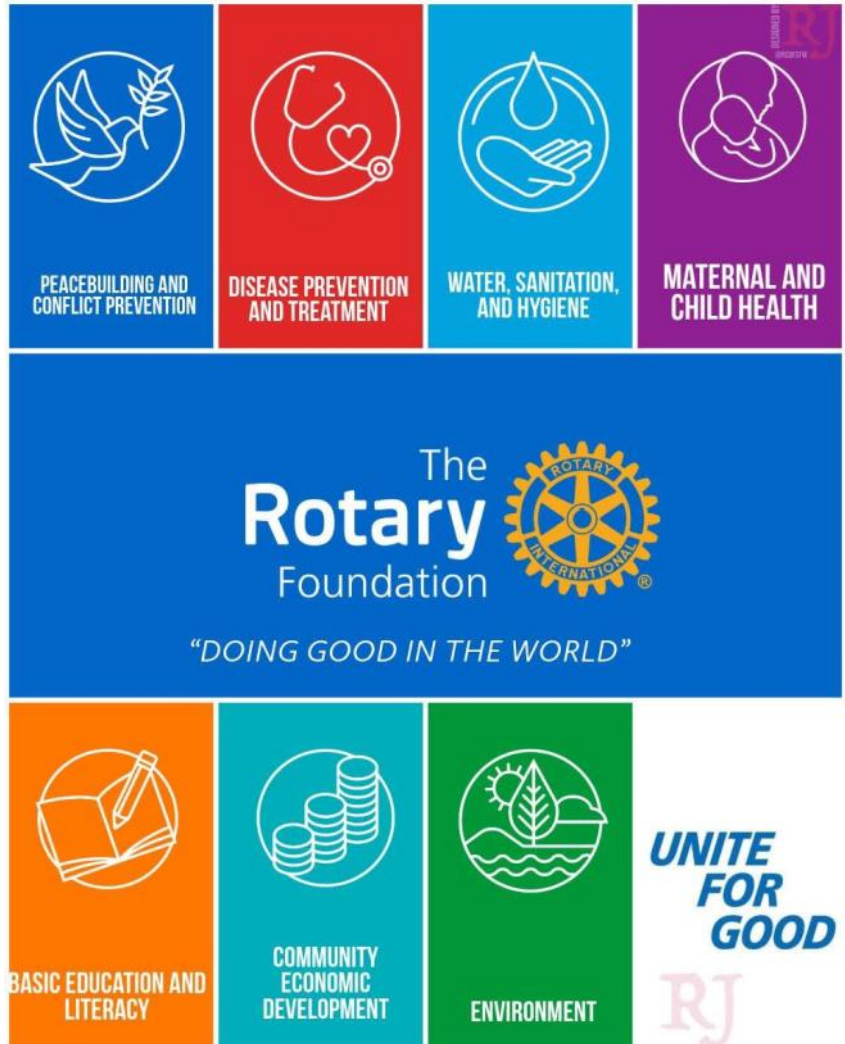
Each of us has something unique to offer—our time, our talents, our resources. Let's give generously from that "box" we each carry, and together, let's make an unforgettable impact.

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.**



HAPPY BIRTHDAY, SAVE THE DATE!

Saturday December 13, 2025 is Elizabethtown Rotary Club's 100th Birthday! We will celebrate on that Saturday morning at 8:30 am with a combined meeting with breakfast at Hennigan's. Sign up for this special meeting is coming soon.

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 for our club on the very day!

SERVICE CALENDAR



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

Tree Planting

What a great way to spend time with some Rotary friends, get some fresh air and help the environment, all at the same time!

Many thanks to our club members who were able to come out and volunteer their time for this worthy effort.

Meeting Speaker

Past President and long-time club member Paul Wolgemuth spoke to the Friday and Monday meetings about his background and his Rotary experience. Take Paul's advice. Just do it, don't wait. Time is passing you by.

Future Service Opportunities

- Lancaster County Project for the Needy Food Delivery | December 20, 2025
- Christmas Tree Sale Signup Coming Soon!



COMMUNITY EVENTS

■ Group E Rotary Clubs Invite You ■

5-Club Rotary Luncheon

Rotary club members and friends are cordially invited to attend!

■ **Date:** Tuesday, November 25, 2025

■ **Time:** 12:00 – 1:30 PM

■ **Location:** The Gathering Place, 6 Pine Street, Mount Joy, PA 17552

■ **Meal Service (12:00 – 12:45 PM)**

Enjoy a delicious Salad Station, Hot Food Buffet, and Dessert Buffet

■ **Cost:** \$19.00 per person

RSVP / Billing Counts Due: by November 21, 2025

Please contact Mount Joy Rotary President, **Joanne**

■ 717-653-5911

■ joanne@gatheringplacemj.com

■ **Meeting & Program**

12:45 – 1:00 PM – Meeting

1:00 – 1:30 PM – Program

Guest Speaker:

Rodney Garber, Owner of Activate Your Influence LLC, a comprehensive counseling firm located at 114 East Main Street, Mount Joy.

Rodney will be sharing stories from his cross-country journey by bike — an inspiring tale of perseverance and purpose.

COMMUNITY EVENTS



ROTARY MEANS BUSINESS

A NETWORKING FELLOWSHIP FOR ROTARIANS & FRIENDS

- Encourage Rotarians to support other Rotarians
- Find new vendors and customers to grow your business
- Create a network that shares the ethics of Rotary



Networking:
5:30 to 7:30 p.m.

Everyone who pre-registers
will receive a listing of all
participants.

Register today: [https://
form.jotform.com/2528741](https://form.jotform.com/2528741)



BUILDING RELATIONSHIPS TO GROW YOUR BUSINESS!



Wouldn't You Rather Do Business With A Rotarian?

The Rotary Club of Hershey will host and sponsor the 78th RMB Networking Event in Rotary District 7390 Chapter # 4 of the Rotary Means Business Fellowship history and fifth event of the RMB 2025 season on Wednesday, November 19 at the Hershey Italian Lodge, 128 Hillcrest Road, Hershey, PA in the Large Dining Room (ADA Accessible) from 5:30 to 7:30 PM. The event will include one FREE drink ticket from the bar and hors d'oeuvres. Additional drinks are available on a cash basis.

RSVP for the event **NOW!!** This will be another in a longstanding series of great business networking opportunities for both profit and non-profit organizations. Do not miss it. Also, please consider bringing potential Rotarian guests, Rotaractors, and Family of Rotary.

Rotary's Mission: We provide service to others, promote integrity, and advance world understanding, goodwill, and peace through our fellowship of business, professional, and community leaders.

Thank you to our Sponsors!

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POPEL SHAW CENTER
FOR RACE & ETHNICITY

Rotary
Club of Hershey



COMMUNITY EVENTS



100TH GALA SPONSORSHIP PACKAGES



Tickets on Sale Now!



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\$2500 EXCLUSIVE SPONSORSHIP

- A. Wine Sponsor - Logo on Wine Labels
- B. Listing in Program including Logo
- C. Digital Display at Event including Logo

PLATINUM

\$2000

- A. Bar Sponsor
- B. Listing in Program including Logo
- C. Digital Display at Event including Logo

GOLD

\$1000

- A. Dessert Table Sponsor
- B. Listing in Program including Logo
- C. Digital Display at Event including Logo

SILVER

\$200

- A. Listing in Program including Logo
- B. Digital Display at Event including Logo

BRONZE

\$100

- A. Listing in Program
- B. Digital Display at Event

SEPTEMBER 2025 STUDENTS OF THE MONTH

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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

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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

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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

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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

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

COMMITTEE CHAIRS

NOMINATING	Shaun McCoach
FOUNDATION	Ken Wolfe, Dennis Zubler
MEMBERSHIP	Brittany Garner
FAMILY OF ROTARY	Shaun McCoach
INTERNATIONAL PROJECTS	Joe Rebman
STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS & 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 Peln
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	- -
WEBSITE	Joe Rebman, Tom Labagh, Tim Haak

MEMBERSHIP

Honorary

	Ann Reinhold *
	Bob Messick
	Joe Murphy
	Chuck Mummert * +
	Betty Rider
1959	Clair Baum *
1966	Harold Engle *
1973	Jake Olweiler
1977	Paul Wolgemuth * +
1981	Noble Johnson *
1985	Kevin Dolan *
1986	John Smith
1988	Roger Hipple
1990	Bill Davis *
	Tom Labagh *
1991	Ken Wolfe *
1995	Dennis Zubler * + ^
1996	Joe Rebman *
1997	John Martin II *
1999	Barry Acker
	Tom Campbell
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
2005	Wayne Heisey
2006	Kevin Engle * +
2007	Scott Kingsboro
	Joe Lisi # (1973)
	Jeff Kline * !
2008	Tyler Smith
	Michael Kalloz *
2011	Stanley Mumba
2012	Tim Haak *
	Ben Hoffman (1965-67)
2013	Jeff Clark *
	Bill Moore (1974-81)
	Michael HandsheW *
2014	Don Grabowski *
2015	Jeff Nolan (97-2008)
	Del Becker
	Lori Funck
	Ben Travis
2016	Mitch Forry
	Marc Hershey
	Jeff Marsico
	Ed Thomas

2016 November

Began Monday Meeting	
	Mike Brubaker
	Kristen Brubaker
	Robert "BJ" Reedy
	Glen Bootay * !
	Scott Little (1998-2005)
	Greg Grogan
	Mark Bruce
	Sandra Bruce
	Wendi Grinnell !
	Allison DeArment
	<u>Trent DeArment</u> 11
	Christian Zechman
	Meshelle Pinzon
	John Yoder

2018	Shaun McCoach *
	Robert Switalski
	Michele Switalski
	David Peln !
	Ryan Yorty
	<u>Dustin Conrad</u> 9
	Greg Grove
2019	Alyssa Roth !
	Kevin Becker
	Casey Greinermiller
	<u>Ed Cunningham</u> 5
	Denise Grove *
	Steve Glick !
	Calvin Kent #
	Kevin Schafer
2020	Rick Clark #
	Dan Stephenson
	Nick Ressler
	<u>Susan Grubb (2007-11)</u> 8
2021	David Wendel
	Zach Carter
	Kevin Gardner
	<u>J Craig Kimbark</u> 5
	Caitlin Barton
	Deb HandsheW
	Ben McCurdy
	Austin Hilsher
2022	Gary "Bud" Barton
	Lee Eckert
	Tony Gible
	Cindy Wivell
	<u>Nancy Sabb</u> 10
	LauraJo "LJ" Funck !
2023	Jim Brandt
	Brittany Garner
	<u>Annie Weiler</u> 4
	Derek Lehman
2024	Nikita Grove
	Jeff Kime
	<u>Anthony Sklareski</u> 4
	Wade Amick
	Joey Lonardi
	Julia Mayberry
	Dana Ramsey
2025	Curt Norris
	Robert "Duck" Sholl
	Teresa Mullhausen
	James Mahler
	Steve Goettler
	Adam Hauptman
	<u>Bryan Baird</u> 11
	Michael Porr
	Eric Frishkorn

2012- 2013- 2014- 2015-
2016

2016-2017

2017-2018 2018-2019 2019-2020 2020-2021 2021-2022 2022-2023 2023-2024 2024-2025 2025-2026

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

Membership
Our Greatest Asset

