

# Rotary

## Club of Columbus



## Don't Miss Tuesday's Program!



Brave the cold weather with us on Tuesday, January 21 for an exceptional program featuring Judge Laurel Beatty Blunt, on the topic of "Civility."

In 2009, Governor Ted Strickland appointed Judge Beatty Blunt to serve on the Franklin County Court of Common Pleas. In that capacity, Judge Beatty Blunt has jurisdiction over felony criminal cases, administrative appeals, and civil matters in which the sum or matters in dispute exceed \$15,000. She has presided over a variety of issues from sentencing on murder and rape case to multi-million-dollar civil litigation. Judge Beatty Blunt was overwhelmingly elected in November 2010, earning 68% of the vote in Franklin County and re-elected in 2016 to a second term.

In November 2018, Judge Beatty Blunt was elected to the Tenth District Court of Appeals which hears appeals from the court on which she previously served, as well as appeals from the other divisions of the Franklin County Common Pleas- Probate, Domestic Relations, and Juvenile- in addition to appeals from the Franklin County Municipal Court, the Ohio Court of Claims, and various state administrative agencies.

You don't want to miss her talk!

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## Serve Breakfast at Ronald McDonald House

### Speakers

**January 21, 2025**

Judge Laurel Beatty  
Civility

**February 04, 2025**

Garin Veris  
Preparing for and  
Playing in the Super  
Bowl

### Birthdays

Nancy P Day-Achauer  
January 18th

Savvas P Sophocleous  
January 18th

Linda Diane Stephens  
January 20th

Christian E Tamte  
January 26th

Coimbatore K.  
Satyapriya  
January 27th

Todd Ambrosia  
January 30th

Nina I Webb-Lawton  
January 30th

Carol L. Garner  
February 2nd

Kenneth B. Ackerman  
February 12th

Karen J. Morrison  
February 15th

### Years of Service

Daniel L. Wander  
02-17-1997  
28 Years

Steven M. Weiler  
01-21-2002  
23 Years

Galen H. Graham

On Saturday, January 25, 2025, we need 15 people to help prepare and serve breakfast to the families staying at the RMH while their children seek medical care at Nationwide Children's Hospital. These families travel from the US and other countries to help their children.

Let's lessen the family's worries by coming together and helping prepare a healthy, nutritious breakfast.

*Ronald McDonald House Charities  
Breakfast Service Project*

**Date:** Saturday, January 25, 2025

**Time:** 7:00 am – 9:30 am

**Location:** 711 E. Livingston Ave, Columbus

**Parking:** Gated parking lot across from the RMH

**Sign up with:** Jon Davis

**Email:** [jtdavis5425@gmail.com](mailto:jtdavis5425@gmail.com)

02-11-2008

17 Years

Samuel J. Agresti Jr.

02-01-2010

15 Years

Savvas P Sophocleous

02-01-2014

11 Years

Emily Elizabeth

Chapman

01-27-2020

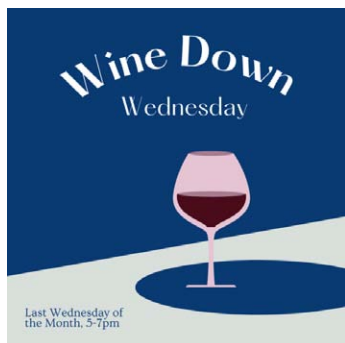
5 Years

Christian E Tamte

02-12-2024

1 Year

## Wine Down Wednesday



Join us for the first Wine Down Wednesday of 2025 on January 29 at Pins Mechanical (downtown)!

This is an agenda-free social event where we get to know our fellow Rotarians better. It's also a great way to introduce guests to Rotary!

[RSVP using the link on the club calendar.](#) and contact Amanda Bowen with any questions.

WHEN: January 29, 5-7pm

WHERE: Pins Mechanical downtown location, 141 N. 4th st.

## Register for District 6690 Winter Assembly

When Rotarians work together, we dream big and accomplish great things. Plan to join District Governor Elect Sandy Knoesel, Past District Governor Steve Heiser and Rotarians from clubs in central and southeast Ohio at the District 6690 Winter Assembly on Feb. 22 at the OSU Reese Center in Newark. The assembly runs from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. where you will learn innovative ideas and valuable information to explore from Rotarians who are making their clubs stronger by working together for their community.

Special breakout sessions are planned on:

- Membership Breakthroughs with Zone ARC Jenny Stots and District Membership Chair Barb Quackenbush
- Sharing Fundraising Success with DGN Terry Rataiczak
- Engage Your Members through Service Projects with PDG Price Finley
- District Grants and Training at your Fingertips with District Foundation Chair Bill Grindle and DGND Darnell Perkins
- What you Need to Know about DACdb with District Secretary Fran Veverka

Past district governor David Uhl will also facilitate a session on Join the District Leadership Team. DG Gary Baker, PDG Craig Maxey and I will give updates on upcoming Zone and district events.

The cost is just \$25 for a continental breakfast and lunch. To register, go to [www.rotary6690.org](http://www.rotary6690.org) and click on Register Now at the top of the home page. [Read More](#)

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