

Rotary

Club of Columbus



Join Us on Tuesday

Join us on Tuesday, March 11th at The Boat House to hear from OSU urologist Dr. George Koch!

Dr. Koch is going to share about flesh eating diseases - and the work done to combat them. He is also an avid researcher and international philanthropist, working to improve access to surgical care in developing countries around the world.

You won't want to miss this fascinating topic!



Soles4Soles

Each year, as part of the President-Elect Training Seminar (PETS), Rotary hosts a joint service project competition with the other 5 districts in Ohio to provide some meaningful assistance to a local charity. This year, the recipient is Soles4Souls, a charitable organization that provides new athletic shoes and clothing to children experiencing homelessness.

Our District 6690 has won the trophy for most money raised almost every year we have participated - and we want to keep this streak going, especially to recognize the hard work of our very own District Governor Elect Sandy Knoesel!

This is the last week to donate before PETS next weekend!

Speakers

March 11, 2025

[Dr. George Koch](#)
Flesh Eating Disease

March 18, 2025

[Rhett Ricart, Ricart](#)
[Automotive Revolution in the Automotive Industry](#)

Birthdays

Donald A. Turner
March 8th

David D. Alspach
March 15th

Theodore M. Beegle Jr.
March 16th

Katherine N. Gatterdam
March 21st

Walter V. Johanni
March 28th

Mark Bober
March 29th

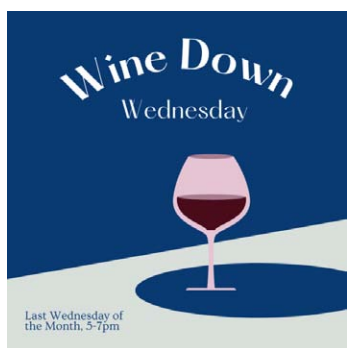
Paul M. Shepard Jr.
April 4th

Years of Service

Michael S.

Help Sandy take home the trophy and contribute to a great cause here:
<https://charity.pledgeit.org/allohioPETS/teams/@district6690>

Wine Down Wednesday



The schedule is set for Wine Down Wednesdays for the rest of this Rotary year! View them on the club calendar and RSVP today for the last Wednesday of every month from 5-7pm at the following locations:

March 26 at The Walrus: [Register](#)

April 30 at High Banks: [Register](#)

May 28 at Jackie O's: [Register](#)

June 25 at Land Grant: [Register](#)

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.

Ohio Goes to the Movies Event

Rotarian Molly Kreuzman shared a fantastic upcoming event with us at Tuesday's meeting - the Great Ohioans Reception and Presentation at the Ohio Statehouse on April 2nd from 6-8pm.

As Molly explained, three exceptional Ohioans that she nominated will be celebrated at this event: Clark Gable, Dorothy Dandridge, and Paul Newman. This event is free to join, but requires an RSVP. [Click here.](#) or on the image below, to RSVP.

Schoedinger
04-01-1992
33 Years
Amanda E.
Bowen
03-16-2016
9 Years
Jon T Davis
03-26-2018
7 Years
Nancy P Day-
Achauer
03-11-2019
6 Years
Doug T
Eastman
04-01-2019
6 Years
Anthony
Rosati
03-22-2022
3 Years
Elfi Di Bella
04-01-2024
1 Year



OHIO GOES TO THE MOVIES™

PLEASE JOIN US

Wednesday April 2, 2025
At the Ohio Statehouse Atrium
From 6-8pm

To honor the Capitol Square Foundation and Capitol Square Review and Advisory Board's 2025 Great Ohioan Inductees.

Ohio Goes to the Movies, a signature event of America 250-Ohio, is thrilled to celebrate the incredible legacies of three of Ohio's most illustrious stars: Clark Gable, Dorothy Dandridge and Paul Newman!

We have a very special evening planned with distinguished guests who will be joining us to share their stories of these amazing Ohioans, including Paul Newman and Joanne Woodward's daughter Melissa Newman, with a heartfelt tribute providing an intimate glimpse into his life and work.

This promises to be a night of nostalgia, admiration and celebration of Ohio's cinematic heritage and the bright future of Ohio's movie industry going forward.

Refreshments will be served and a cash bar will be available.

RSVP for the event by March 26, 2025. Simply scan the QR code or click anywhere on this image to take you to the form.

We encourage business casual attire.



**DOROTHY
DANDRIDGE**
(CLEVELAND 1922-1965)

**CLARK
GABLE**
(CADIZ 1901-1960)

**PAUL
NEWMAN**
(SHAKER HEIGHTS 1925-2008)



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