

# Rotary

## Club of Columbus



## Chefs in the City

Join us on April 1 at noon at The Boat House to hear from fan favorites, "Chefs in the City!"

Chefs in the City's Ann Fisher, Steve Stover, and Rich Terapak have created an exciting new podcast with the latest news and information on the Columbus restaurant scene. For 13 years, the three worked together as "Chefs in the City" on All Sides With Ann Fisher on WOSU 89.7 NPR News. You can find the podcast at [www.youtube.com/@ChefsInTheCity614](http://www.youtube.com/@ChefsInTheCity614), iHeart, or wherever you get your podcasts.

Ann Fisher retired from daily journalism in 2023 after more than 40 years in the business, covering primarily public affairs, including Ohio government and politics for the Toledo Blade. Her tenure at the Columbus Dispatch included reporting on Appalachia, a seat on the editorial board, state editor and metro columnist. She rounded out her career at WOSU Public Media where she was executive producer and host of All Sides With Ann Fisher for nearly 14 years.

Steve Stover and Rich Terapak have taught cooking for 43 years, and have reviewed restaurants and judged cooking for 40 years. They teach cooking at the Franklin Park Conservatory, and frequently cook for charity events and speak to community groups all over Central Ohio. In "real life," Rich is a "retiring" partner in the Columbus law firm of Porter, Wright, Morris & Arthur. Steve retired after serving as Administrative Director of the Supreme Court of Ohio and Legislative Counsel for the Ohio State Bar Association.



## Newark Rotary to host Be Our Guest District Conference April 25-26

Great speakers, informative breakout sessions plus loads of fun are in store for Rotarians who plan to attend the District 6690 Conference April 25-26 at the Cherry Valley Hotel, Newark.

**John Germ, Rotary International President 2016-2017** will kick off the event that starts Friday evening with a Rotary Foundation Gala dinner at 5 p.m. The Peter Larson Quartet will provide entertainment. Peter is a member of the Newark Rotary Club and has performed with such notable artists as Dionne Warwick.

Saturday's session starts with keynote speaker **Jason Browne**, a Rotarian

## Speakers

**April 01, 2025**

[Steve Stover and Rich Terapak](#)

**April 08, 2025**

[Steve Stivers, President and CEO, Ohio Chamber of Commerce](#)

**April 15, 2025**

[Corey Favor, Orange Barrel Media](#)

## Birthdays

Walter V. Johanni  
March 28th

Mark Bober  
March 29th

Paul M. Shepard Jr.  
April 4th

Jon T Davis  
April 8th

Frank A. Ingwersen  
April 8th

Ronald D. Harris  
April 9th

J. Terrance Davis  
April 11th

John L. Mariotti  
April 12th

James L. Budros  
April 14th

Cornell R Robertson  
April 17th

Donald A. Baur  
April 20th

Robert J. Weiler  
April 22nd

Samuel J. Agresti Jr.  
April 25th

Christopher M  
Angellatta  
April 25th

and motivational speaker who has collaborated with Microsoft, Facebook and Rotary International. **Jenny Stotts**, Assistant Membership Chair for Zone 30-31, will talk about "Take Action Around Mental Health" during her keynote address after lunch. Professionally, Jenny was appointed by Governor Mike DeWine to serve as Ohio's first Youth Ombudsman. As Ohio's Youth Ombudsman, she leads a staff who investigates and resolves complaints and concerns submitted by foster youth, including suspected violations of Ohio's foster youth bill of rights.

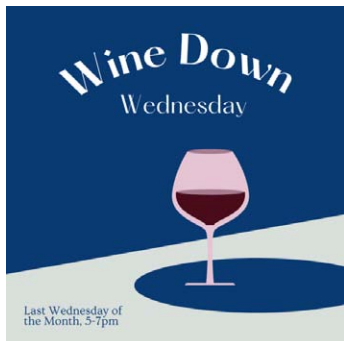
Attendees can choose to attend two breakout sessions, including a presentation by **Columbus Rotarian Dr. Terry Davis** on the Rafiki School and Orphanage. During Saturday afternoon, Rotarians will pack Hope Boxes for patients undergoing cancer treatment. The conference concludes with a dinner and a Parate of Rotary Club Presidents. Following dinner, comedian and ventriloquist Al Getler will perform.

The cost of the conference is \$199. Attendees can attend the Friday night dinner only for \$75 per person. To make a reservation, go to [www.rotary6690.org](http://www.rotary6690.org) and click on the District Conference box at the top of the home page.

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## Wine Down Wednesday



Thank you to everyone who joined us on Wednesday at The Walrus for our March Wine Down Wednesday! If you couldn't make it, you still have three more chances this Rotary year to attend a social event:

April 30 from 5-7p at High Banks: [Register](#)

May 28 from 5-7 at Jackie O's: [Register](#)

June 25 from 5-7 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.

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Jack R. Graf Jr.

April 26th

Judith Kimchi-Woods

April 26th

## Years of Service

Michael S. Schoedinger

04-01-1992

33 Years

Magdalena Fribley

04-27-2018

7 Years

Doug T Eastman

04-01-2019

6 Years

Elfi Di Bella

04-01-2024

1 Year