

Newark Rotary Committees 2024-2025

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ALWAYS IN OUR MEMORY 2015-16 PRESIDENT ERIN KENNEDY (1960-2015)

DISTRICT GOVERNORS FROM NEWARK ROTARY

•FRANK L BEGGS: 1927-28 •ROBERT C. BATTAT: 1970-71 •DONN E. ALSPACH: 1988-89
•DARREL JONES: 1957-58 •THEODORE D. GRILEY: 1976-77 •ROBERT H. MCGAUGHY: 2003-2004
GARY BAKER: 2024-25

DIRECTOR, ROTARY INTERNATIONAL

THEODORE D. GRILEY: 1990-1992

TRUSTEE, ROTARY INTERNATIONAL FOUNDATION

THEODORE D. GRILEY: 2001-2005

ROTOGRAM

2024-2025

Rotary



WEEK OF NOVEMBER 24, 2024

All Meetings At Noon Tuesday

THIS WEEK'S MEETING

Licking County Land Reutilization Corporation



Presented by David Deibel, Director of the Board of Revision with the Licking County Auditor's Office and Co-Executive Director of the Land Bank

David Deibel will join us to discuss the nonprofit community improvement corporation called the Licking County Land Reutilization Corporation, otherwise known as the Licking County Land Bank. The mission of the organization is to acquire vacant, abandoned, tax-delinquent properties and make them productive again.

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

**December 3rd – Rod Cook
Red Cross and the New Plasma Donation Center in Newark**

**MEETING LOCATION ON DECEMBER 3RD:
DOUBLETREE BY HILTON, DOWNTOWN NEWARK**

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LAST WEEK'S MEETING NOTES

President Janice LoRaso rang the bell. **Tom Slater** and **Peter Larson** started the group singing R-O-T-A-R-Y. **Eschol Curl** led us in the moment of inspiration and Pledge of Allegiance. **Tom Slater** and **Peter Larson** led us singing an additional song of "Rotary's A Grand Old Name".

Guests: **President-Elect Brendan Underwood** introduced today's guest, Kyle Smith.

Sergeant-at-Arms: **Pat Jeffries** fined anyone not wearing a pin or badge; anyone who has a push-button phone in honor of National Push-Button Phone Day; **Eschol Curl** on his upcoming 50th wedding anniversary; **John Wilson** for his successful Beat Michigan Bash; and **Deb Dingus** for the United Way's recognition dinner, **Molly Ingold** for winning a lifetime award at last year's event and **Eschol Curl** for winning the award at this year's event.

Last Week Reporter: **Kim Manno**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Jack Neely** reminded everyone that Third Thursday will be at BW3's in Heath.
- **Pat Prescott** reminded everyone that our November service project is to assist the Look Up Center with their Thanksgiving food drive. Emails will be sent out soon to the people who signed up to be a driver on Thanksgiving morning.
- **Nate Adams** reminded everyone to purchase a square for the OSU-Xichigan football raffle.
- **Molly Ingold** welcomed **Brendan Underwood** as a new Paul Harris Fellow.

PROGRAM

District Governor Gary Baker introduced today's speaker, Bill Grindle, District 6690 Foundation Chair.

Bill started by explaining that the Rotary Foundation's mission is to enable Rotarians to advance world understanding, goodwill, and peace by improving health, providing quality education, improving the environment, and alleviating poverty.

For 16 consecutive years, it has been a four-star nonprofit as rated by Charity Navigator.

There are three different funds: PolioPlus, the Annual Fund, and the Endowment Fund. Our district has a goal of raising \$200,000 for PolioPlus, \$300 for the Annual Fund, and \$500,000 for the Endowment Fund this year.

Every dollar donated at the local level gets invested at the international level for three years, and then it comes back to us to use at the district level.

Global grants are available to support large, long-term projects. They range from \$30,000 to \$400,000. They must have sustainable, measurable outcomes and involve international partnerships.

District grants are available to support local or international projects Clubs are required to complete training, and then the district will provide a match of up to \$2,000 for the club's investment.

PolioPlus launched in 1985. More than 2.5+ billion children in 122 countries received the vaccine. The vaccine costs \$0.60, but for every dollar donated to the Rotary Foundation is matched by the Gates Foundation 2:1.

The Rotary Peace Fellowship is designed for leaders with work experience in peace and development. Our fellows are committed to community and international service and the pursuit of peace. Each year, The Rotary Foundation awards up to 50 fellowships for master's degrees and up to 80 for certificate studies at premier universities.

Disaster Relief is also extremely important. Funding for disaster relief is distributed in three phases: immediate relief, short-term assistance, and long-term rebuilding.

There are multiple ways to be recognized by the district for your giving to the Rotary Foundation, including the 125 Club, PolioPlus Society, Paul Harris Fellow, Paul Harris Society, Major Donor, and the Bequest Society.

THOUGHT OF THE WEEK

*"We make a living by what we get, but we make a life by what we give."
- Winston Churchill*