



This Week at Rotary

MONDAY, September 9, 2024

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"Miami Valley Meals: Feeding Dayton"



Executive Director, Amanda DeLotelle will be focused on raising awareness about Miami Valley Meals and the progress they have made since she last spoke at Rotary (via zoom in 2021). She will also talk about the needs of our community and some of the challenges and opportunities they face as an organization. And lastly, she will speak about ways to get involved during Hunger Action Month.

Chair of the Day: Lisa Grigsby

This Happened Last Monday...

The meeting was opened by President Randy Domigan. Words to live by and the Pledge of Allegiance were done by Bill Nance. He then shared the news of the day. We had several visitors today. Kristina Scott introduced David Kittredge. Holly Wiggins introduced Gabby Morgan. Tracey Tomme introduced Taylor Hoffman. Tom Carlisle was our guest on Zoom.

Sarah Hippensteel-Hall, our club's secretary, then made club announcements as well as celebrated Gary Gottschlich's birthday! Happy Birthday, Gary!

Some club announcements included upcoming Peace Walks, which are Wednesday's at 6pm. The end of the month is the final stretch for "Stuff the Bus". Here is the link to donate directly to our donation page. <https://p2p.onecause.com/2024-stuffthebus/dayton-rotary-club>

Make sure to sign up for Committees! We need participants on nearly every committee.

Penny Wolff made an announcement about Rotary Reads. Rotary Reads works with Dayton Leadership Academy. Kim Spurgeon leads this committee. This is done in the mornings, and they serve 2nd & 3rd graders. It runs October-Mid-May. Sign-up will be on Sept. 16th.

September 21st is our Dayton Rotary Summerfest! We will also be announcing our signature grant winner at the Festival and presenting the Irv Bieser Peace Award. Remember to comment and share our social media posts! This really helps to boost the club!

Rotary Rewards were given to Gary Gottschlich, for his birthday.

Day-Tens

Kim Bramlage gave a day \$10 in honor of hosting Rotary's exchange student, Elaine, from Uganda.

Susan Hayes gave a day \$200 for her birthday and 48-year anniversary.

MaryLynn Lodor gave \$100 for the Taylorsville Dam and hosting Congressman Turner. She also gave \$50 for her late brother and his birthday.

Kathleen Carlson gave a Day \$10 for recruiting of members for the Coats Plus Committee.

Donna Childs gave a Day \$10 for the Levitt and War & Treaty.

Nancy Farkas gave a day \$100 in honor of her birthday.

Dave Williamson gave a day \$10 for his performance at The Dayton Theatre Guild on Wayne Avenue.

Gary Gottschlich gave a day \$100 in honor of his birthday.

Steve Naas gave a day \$100 (\$50 for Stuff the Bus and \$50 for his brother who is joining Rotary)

Rachel Jessup gave a day \$200 for her 2-year anniversary for life-saving brain surgery.

Dick Meyer gave \$100 for introducing Doug Naas as our newest Rotarian. (for Doug's Paul Harris).

Surendra Singhvi gave \$20 for the Peace Committee.

Sarah gave her water fact: It's World Water Week! We are looking for a service project with the Kettering Rotary. Possibly a river cleanup?

President Randy was introduced and brought up Frank Scott to present a Paul Harris Fellowship Reward. He presented to Carolyn Rice (her 9th PHF award). Brian Martin received his 4th PHF award.

New member introduction with Dick Meyer. He welcomed Doug Naas! Doug is a structural engineer. He designed several fire stations, libraries and the Henny Penny building in Eaton, OH.

Bill Nance then did our member spotlight interview with Jack Omer. Jack is the CEO of SICSA. He also spent many years serving on senior living. He was born and raised in Dayton, OH. He also facilitated several cemeteries and funeral homes. He served on Sicsa's Board of Directors from 2012-2018. He just adopted his 4th animal from SICSA. He has a hobby of cooking. He spoke about shelters being full all the time. Please adopt, don't shop. They are always looking for volunteers & fosters.

Carolyn Rice introduced Shelley Dickstein, City Manager for the City of Dayton. Shelley has helped to manage over \$1B in city funds and over 2,000 employees. Dayton uses a Place-Space Development Strategy for the City of Dayton. This involves infrastructure, inclusivity, private investment & partner activation. Brown Street was a large partnership to transform that corridor. The Dayton Arcade was a \$137M project that utilized the place-space development strategy.

The Greater Downtown plan is the longest strategy & vision.

- Adding more housing unites
- Increasing leveraged investment & jobs
- Investing in key public spaces & recreational amenities
- Activating downtown storefronts & adding entertainment amenities
- Boosting walkability, connectivity & mobility

Club Leaders



Randall K. Domigan
President



Linda Groover
President-Elect



Steven Conklin
Treasurer



Sarah Hippensteel-Hall
Secretary



Kelly Marie Lehman
Vice President



Kimberly M. Bramlage
iPast President

Birthdays



Joanna McCord
September 1st



Kathy Harper
September 3rd



Nancy A. Farkas
September 4th



Judy Ann Budi
September 4th



Gregory A. Birkemeyer
September 6th



Emily Broughton
September 9th



Roger J. Vanderhorst
September 9th



Ian Butt
September 9th



Donna G. Childs
September 14th



Deborah A. Lieberman
September 15th

Speakers

September 09, 2024

[Red Ribbon Committee Meeting @ 11AM](#)

September 09, 2024

[Amanda DeLotelle](#)
Miami Valley Meals

September 16, 2024

[Lance Detrick](#)
Goodwill Easter Seals
Miami Valley

September 23, 2024

[Alice Young-Basora](#)
International Peace Museum

September 30, 2024

[Michelle Lovely](#)
The Dayton Foundation

October 07, 2024

[Chief Justice Sharon Kennedy](#)
Ohio Supreme Court

October 14, 2024

[Makiedah Messan](#)
Advocates for Basic Legal Equality

October 21, 2024

TBD

October 28, 2024

[Chris Kershner](#),
[Dayton Area Chamber of Commerce](#)

Evolution of the Dayton Ara Business Community

November 04, 2024

TBD

November 11, 2024

NO MEETING - VETERAN'S DAY HOLIDAY

November 18, 2024

[Pam Plageman and Michael King](#)

Update on the Montgomery County Convention Center

November 25, 2024

[Natalie F. Hudson](#),
[Professor of Political Science at the University of Dayton](#)

- Boosting workably, connectivity & mobility
- Creating a hub of arts, entrepreneurship & creativity
- Preserving our historic fabric through adaptive reuse
- Leveraging the development financing toolbox

Collaboration is vital for city development & asset-based development. Downtown has had many advancements:

- Housing Investments (\$520M, 988 Units of Housing)
- Economic Development Investments (\$323M Economic Investment- 17,826 Jobs impacted & \$86,500 is the average salary)
- Infrastructure/Public Investments (\$17.7M in public investment. Installation of bike paths, pedestrian enhancements, roadway improvements)

Northeast Dayton (Investments since 2021) :

- \$21M in Infrastructure
- \$700M in Economic Development
- \$20M in Housing Development
- \$40 in Community Development

Dayton International Airport:

- DAY has seen a 9% increase in passenger traffic, outpacing the national average.
- DAY/DEN 90% load factor, adding 2 flights to DC
- Fiscal overview at DAY is strong
- Capital investments continue
- "FlyMyAirport" online booking platform-powered by Kayak.

Airport Development:

- \$5.5M in Development
- \$460M Investment Value
- Jobs Created: 2,717; \$63M Payroll
- Current DAY Developments: Sierra Nevada Corporation- \$195M; 250 jobs. Joby Aviation - \$500; 2,000 jobs.
- Wright Brothers Airport- Under construction
 - Sq/ft development - \$1.76M
 - Investment Value- \$146M
 - Jobs created, 5615

Queen of Hearts drawing:

Rachel Jessup's ticket was drawn. She pulled for 7 of diamonds. The pot is now over \$2500.

[Link for Meeting Recording](#)

Queen of Hearts Drawing

Queen of Hearts 50/50 Raffle

Weekly at Monday Meetings to benefit the Dayton Rotary Foundation

\$1 per ticket/\$5 for 6 tickets

Weekly winner draws a card from the deck if they draw the Queen of Hearts the winner takes 1/2 the pot. If the card is not the Queen of Hearts card then the card is destroyed & we try again next week. Meanwhile the pot continues to grow.

CURRENT POT: \$2594

See Secretary Sarah or Laura for more information.

ATTENTION ZOOM PARTICIPANTS

****For those members who would like to participate via zoom - please let Laura know ahead of time or place your request in the chat prior to the start of the meeting and we will assign you ticket numbers and bill your foundation account.

RULES FOR THIS ROUND

- You must be present to win and/or purchase tickets (either in person or on zoom)
- The drawing is for members of the Dayton Rotary only.
- The winner will need to complete a W-9 form and will be issued a W2-G form.
- The drawing will go to the very last card.



Welcome to Dayton Rotary!

NEW MEMBER PROFILE



Doug Naas is a lifelong Dayton area resident growing up in Huber Heights and currently living in Fairborn. He graduated in 1994 from the University of Dayton with a Civil Engineering degree specializing in structural engineering. After graduation, Doug started working for Richard Meyer at Shell + Meyer Associates as an Engineer-in-Training. Doug passed the examination to become a Registered Professional Engineer in the State of Ohio in 1998. He is currently a project manager and officer for the firm.

At Shell + Meyer Associates, Doug has been the structural engineer of record and successfully completed a variety of projects from schools, industrial facilities, libraries, and commercial buildings to providing consulting to homeowners for small renovation projects. Most of these projects are located in the greater Miami Valley area.



area.

Doug married fellow University of Dayton graduate Kettering native Jenny in 1997. Jenny currently works for Butt Construction as a construction estimator. In their spare time Doug and Jenny enjoy traveling, spending time with family and friends, and visiting many of the local hiking trails. Doug and Jenny have two sons and are residents of Fairborn.

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Dayton Rotarian Becomes Positive Peace Activator

August 24-26, 2024, Rotary International and their global partner, the Institute for Economics & Peace, convened a cohort of 50 members of Rotary and Rotary Peace Fellows from North America and the Caribbean in Evanston, IL for a “Positive Peace Activator” workshop.





Kelly Marie Lehman was honored to represent the

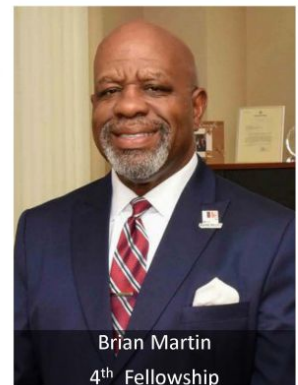
peace efforts of Rotary District 6670 in general, and Rotary Club of Dayton, specifically, as the first Club in our District to become an official "Peacebuilder Club," thanks to the dedication of our Peace Committee who've been on this journey together since 2015.



Paul Harris Fellowship Recognitions



Carolyn Rice
9th Fellowship



Brian Martin
4th Fellowship

Paul Harris Fellowship Recognitions

Congratulations to Carolyn Rice on receiving her 9th Paul Harris Fellowship and to Brian Martin on receiving his 4th Fellowship. Frank Scott presented all with their new pins at the meeting of Monday, August 26th.

Save the Date for Dayton Summerfest



Saturday SEPTEMBER 21 3-8 pm at Levitt Pavilion

Rain date: Sunday September 22

This family-friendly event will feature:

• LOCAL MUSICAL ARTISTS • FOOD TRUCKS • VENDOR + ARTISAN BOOTHS • RAFFLE DRAWING • BEER+ WINE + SOFT DRINKS

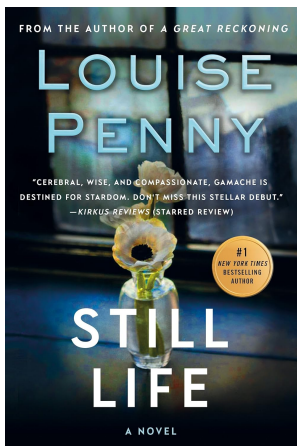
Plan to enjoy a wide range of music in the heart of Dayton with: AND MORE!

FREE ADMISSION

Sponsorship packages are now available to local businesses and individuals who are interested in partnering with the Rotary Club of Dayton on this first-of-many special events for the community

Book Club Sets the Next Two Books

The next two books are:

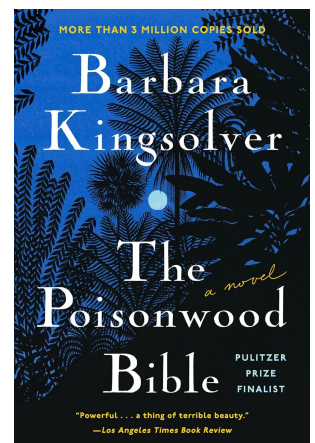


10/8/24 - **Still Life** (Book 1 of 19) Chief Inspector Gamache Mysteries by Louise Penny.
Meet at the home of Susan Hayes.

12/10/24 - **Poisonwood Bible** by Barbara Kingsolver
Meet at the home of John Lyman

Dr. Susan Hayes, Book Club Chair
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Breakout Games
8120 Washington Village Drive
Centerville

\$22 to participate
October 2nd 6:00 – 7:00 pm



ESCAPE THIS!

Join your Fellow Rotarians for an evening of fun breaking out of an **Escape Room**, followed by good food and fellowship!



Join us for dinner at
The Chop House
7727 Washington Village Drive
in Centerville @ 7:15 pm



We will be ordering from the menu and dinner will be on your own. The Rotary Social Committee will provide a sampling of appetizers for the group.

Spouses and Guests are welcome! Reservations are limited to 20 people. Please reserve your spot now

and make your reservations with Laura.

Rotary Dines Out at the Meridien

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Rotary Dines Out



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