



This Week at Rotary

MONDAY, October 14, 2024

"The Beautiful Ones Are Not Yet Born: The Unfinished Journey"



Makiedah Nessam, Executive Director, Advocates for Basic Legal Equity, will focus on the value of Community Service. *note the title is not a typo

Chair of the Day: Karla Garrett Harshaw

Club Leaders



[Randall K. Domigan](#)
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Birthdays



[Vince C. Lewis](#)
October 14th



[David E. Bowman](#)
October 20th



[Andrea Wall](#)
October 20th

Speakers

October 14, 2024
[Red Ribbon Committee Meeting @ 11AM](#)

October 14, 2024
[Makiedah Messan](#)
Advocates for Basic Legal Equality

October 21, 2024
[Dr. David Lawrence](#),
Superintendent,
Dayton Public Schools

October 28, 2024
[Chris Kershner](#),
Dayton Area Chamber of Commerce
Evolution of the Dayton Area Business Community

November 04, 2024
[Restaurant Panel Discussion](#)

November 11, 2024
NO MEETING -

This Happened Last Monday...

President Randy Domigan called the meeting to order and called on Bill Nance for **Words to Live By, Pledge to the Flag and News of the Day.**

The 7-Ups Words to Live By Bill Nance shared these 7-Ups: Wake Up and decide to have a good day; Dress Up and put on a smile; Look Up to the Lord; Reach Up to something higher; Lift Up your prayers; Brighten Up someone's day; Never Give Up, when one door closes, another opens. **News of the Day** Bill Nance presented the day's news and spotlighted the work of Rotarians helping disaster victims suffering from the aftermath of Hurricane Helene.

Guests and Visiting Rotarians: Monica Snow introduced members who brought visitors and guests: Frank Scott, Chuck Shonkwiler, visiting Rotarian from the Fairborn Club and District Governor Nominee; Steve Naas's guest, Phil Parks, former Dayton Rotarian; Amy Radach's guest, Lauren Sears, Americorps volunteer for Rebuilding Together. Tom Carlisle, visiting Rotarian, joined us on zoom.

Birthdays Secretary Sarah Hippensteel Hall recognized Lonnie Franks whose birthday is October 8th.

Upcoming Events and Service Opportunities "Peace Walk Sarah reminded Rotarians of the weekly Peace Walk 6 p.m. Wednesday, October 9, RiverScape, followed by a Peace beer.

"Rotary Dines Out, November 1 Nancy Farkas announced the next social event 6 p.m. Friday, November 1 at Jay's Seafood Private Dining Room for 20 guests.

"Cheesemaking, Wine and More, November 21 Annie Foos announced an opportunity to support the Gem City Market, a prior major grant recipient from Dayton Rotary Foundation, on Thursday, November 21 Gem City Market Mozzarella Making Class with appetizers, wine and other Gem City market goodies.

"Rotary Youth Exchange Interviews Contact Linda Goover if you can help interview student applicants for short and long-term outbound exchange programs: December 7 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., Fitz Center.

"Kettering Rotary Club Water Project Planning Discussion October 21 Sarah Hippensteel invited interested Rotarians to stay after the October 21 Rotary meeting to discuss a potential joint water project in 2025 with the Kettering Rotary Club.

Rotary Rewards Secretary, Sarah congratulated the courageous Rotarians who participated in the Break-Out Room social event.

Day Tens Rotarians made the following donations:

"Bill Nance \$10 for the Faith and Friends Radio successful chocolate festival fundraiser

"Nancy Farkas \$100 for the Bach Society's upcoming season. Nancy shared the performance schedule and ticket purchase information cards on our luncheon tables

"Matt Scarr \$100 for the Coats Project. The goal is \$6,000 and we Rotarians have contributed approximately \$3,000.

"Frank Scott \$100 for World Polio Day October 24, Frank presented Randy Domigan, President with a Rotary International Certificate honoring the Dayton Rotary Club for reaching its annual goal of \$1,500 to eliminate polio.

"Emily Broughton \$25 Bottom Line Ribbon Cutting and Open House October 17, 4-5 p.m. 118 W. First St., Suite 850 Dayton; Emily was also the featured speaker at the Centerville Rotary Club. Their Club sings. Emily is happy that our Club does not.

"Jeff Schiavone \$20 for 27th Annual Clay Shoot for Scouting This event raised \$85,000 for Miami Valley scouts (\$10 for the event; and \$10 for forgetting to announce the amount of his Day Ten). The event was a sellout and will be extended for an additional day next year, October 2-3, 2025.

"Chuck Watts \$10 for Empathy Surplus, USA's fundraiser an evening with Timothy Snyder, author of On Freedom 7 p.m. October 18 at the Murphy Theater in Wilmington, Ohio; and Kudos to CET-TV for the debut of their documentary on internationally renowned artist, Bing Davis.

"Heath McAlpine \$25 for the purchase of their new EV vehicle, a 2024 Chevy Equinox; Heath also spoke at the Lebanon Rotary Club about coin collecting

"Nicole Sturk, \$68: \$39 for her birthday last week; \$15 for her 15th wedding anniversary and trip to El Salvador; and \$14 for negotiating to get lost cell phones back from locals in El Salvador

"Lonnie Franks \$100 for the Anderson Fund for his birthday

Thank You Rotarians

Sarah's Water Fact Five Rivers MetroParks and Wagner Subaru Outdoor Experience event was held this past weekend at Eastwood MetroPark. Sarah Hippensteel thanked Club members for their prior \$50,000 Signature grant to build the seating area at Eastwood MetroPark. Dayton Rotary's banner was on display at this popular event. The Mad River is one of the most popular recreation rivers in Ohio and the seating area at the park remains a real asset in our community.

VETERAN'S DAY
HOLIDAY

November 18,
2024

Red Ribbon
Committee Meeting
@ 11AM

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

December 02, 2024
TBD

December 09, 2024
Holiday Sweepstakes
& Elections

December 11, 2024
Social Event - Caroling
at Bethany Lutheran
Village @ 6PM

December 16, 2024
Holiday Program

December 23, 2024
NO MEETING -
HAPPY HOLIDAYS

December 30, 2024
NO MEETING -
HAPPY HOLIDAYS

...and of the partnerships that assist in our community.

Adam Horseman, Montgomery Insurance and Investments **60-Second Vocational Spotlight** Adam's job as a commercial insurance expert is to protect the things that we care about. He asked for a show of hands from Rotarians who volunteer on nonprofit boards; if these nonprofits have board insurance; and if we understand the scope of protection that these policies provide.

Featured Speaker Chief Justice Sharon L. Kennedy, Ohio Supreme Court was introduced by Chair of the Day, Scott Kayser.

Sharon L. Kennedy was elected Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Ohio in November 2022. She is the eleventh Chief Justice and the second woman to serve in the role. Chief Justice Kennedy was first elected to the Court in 2012 to fill an unexpired term. She was elected to her first full term in November 2014 and re-elected in November 2020.

Prior to her term on the Court, she served at the Butler County Court of Common Pleas, Domestic Relations Division beginning in 1999 and as administrative judge of the division from 2005 until December of 2012. Chief Justice Kennedy began her career in the justice system as a police officer at the Hamilton Police Department. She received her law degree from the University of Cincinnati College of Law, has managed her own private practice and also worked as special counsel for the Ohio Attorney General.

In her talk, Justice Kennedy said that she has spoken at many Rotary Clubs throughout Ohio and thanked Rotarians for their many generous initiatives that have improved local and global communities. She noted that the Rotary's Four Way Test is aligned with the values of our nation's Founding Fathers.

Her talk centered on the three key elements that comprise an independent judiciary.

Element 1 Fidelity to the separation of powers presupposes there is a proper role for each branch of the government.

Element 2 The judiciary must adhere to a set of principles both in procedural matters and in interpreting the law. Procedural principles focus on only what is necessary to decide a case. Interpreting the law falls on a continuum of judicial precedence ranging from textualism to contextualism.

Element 3 When the rule of law is tested, it can be restored by the legislature or by the judiciary overturning a prior decision.

Chief Justice Kennedy shared enlightening references to the Federalist Papers and examples from history and Ohio case law to illustrate each element. Chief Justice Kennedy also emphasized that Ohio citizens have the power to overturn a decision of the Ohio Supreme Court. She urged us to read the Federalist Papers and at least two Ohio Supreme Court decisions each year.

Queen of Hearts Drawing Mollie Houser drew the winning ticket but did not draw the Queen of Hearts for the raffle which is approximately \$3,000 prior to the October 7 ticket sales.

Next Week's Featured Speaker The Executive Director of ABLE Law

Chuck Shonkwiler, visiting Rotation, led the **Four-Way Test**.

President Randy Domigan adjourned the meeting.

[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: \$3128

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 W-2-G form.
- The drawing will go to the very last card.



Rotary Bowlers Needed

Rotary Bowling League starts on Monday, October 7th at 6:00 pm



Every Monday at Capri Lanes
2727 S. Dixie Drive

For More Information Contact

Steve Naas снаас@frontier.com or
Jack Lohbeck jlhbeck1949@gmail.com

No experience is necessary to participate



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Annual Coats+ Project Kicks Off

DAYTON ROTARY COATS + PROJECT

- Helping economically disadvantaged students attend school in appropriate attire that may include procurement of coats, hats, uniforms & more.
- 2024 Campaign Goal: \$6,000; Oct 30th deadline
- Supporting children enrolled in:
 - DPS McKinney-Vento Homeless Education Program
 - Salvation Army Dayton Kroc Center
 - Dayton Leadership Academy



[LINK TO DONATE ONLINE](#) (Look for the [Box Marked Coat Project](#))

Rotary Dines Out at Jay's Seafood

Rotary Dines Out



at



Jay's Seafood

225 East Sixth Street

Friday, November 1st @ 6:00 PM



*Gather with Fellow Rotarians
to Enjoy a Meal.*

*Pay your own Dinner tab.
Round of Appetizers is on
Dayton Rotary.*

Rotarians and Guests Welcome!

Reservations to
laura@daytonrotary.com

Space is Limited to 20 so
Reserve Early!
Deadline to RSVP 10/28



The Social Committee Presents...That's Amore Mozzarella Making Adventure

Mozzarella Class...That's Amore!

That's Amore Mozzarella Making Adventure

at Gem City Market's Professional Teaching Kitchen
324 Salem Avenue Dayton, Ohio

Thursday, November 21st

5:30-6:00 PM - Wine & Nibbles while you tour/shop the Market
6:00-6:45 PM - Hands On Mozzarella Making Adventure
6:45-7:15 PM - Noshing and Mingling



\$25 per person

*Includes 2 glasses of wine, cheese, salad & nibbles

Rotarians & Guests Welcome (Limited to 22 People)

RSVP to Laura

Please come ready to shop for any last minute groceries that you may need and support our Gem City Market.

World Polio Day is Coming ...October 24

**WORLD
POLIO DAY**

24 OCTOBER



One Day. One Focus: Ending Polio

World Polio Day is a time for Rotary members, public health advocates, and all who want a world free from polio to come together, recognize our progress in the fight to end polio, and talk about the actions we need to take in order to end polio for good.

All donations are matched 2:1 by the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation, tripling your impact!

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