

Rotary

Club of Northville



Events

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Birthdays

- Marilyn T. Price
April 4th
- Michele Denise Kelly
April 11th

Club Meeting

Northville
Meets at First Presbyterian Church (2nd and 4th Tuesdays only)
200 E Main St
Northville, MI 48167-1680
Time: Tuesday at 12:05 PM

Rotary Round-Up

A between-meetings collection of what's happening with our Club, District 6400, and Rotary International.

Tuesday, April 8, 2025 – Club Meeting

Our next meeting is Tuesday, April 8, 2025 at 12:05 p.m. Lunch will be provided by Genti's

Click here to RSVP: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0F4CACAB2FABF4C70-55525403-club>

Lunch is \$15. Cash preferred; Venmo available @NorthvilleRotary.

Upcoming Speaker: Nicole Lindsay from Detroit Hives: <https://detroithives.org/>

In alignment with Rotary's April Environment Month, which emphasizes the conservation and protection of natural resources, we are pleased to highlight *Detroit Hives*, a Detroit-based non-profit organization dedicated to creating sustainable communities and supporting bee populations. *Detroit Hives* transforms vacant lots into pollinator-friendly spaces, providing safe habitats for bees and revitalizes urban areas. Through their efforts, they not only contribute to environmental conservation but also educate the public on the vital role of pollinators in our ecosystem.

Meetings this year:

Date	Speaker
April 8, 2025	Nicole Lindsay, DetroitHives.org
April 22, 2025	Salomé's exchange experience and an update on the Cemetery Restoration Project ahead of Memorial Day
May 13, 2025	Brandon Beuter, Marquis Theater
May 27, 2025	Mayor Brian Turnbull and David Kibbey from the Northville Concours d'Elegance
June 10, 2025	Membership Meeting: Club will sponsor Mission BBQ: Bring a friend, neighbor, or co-worker. Year in Review! Gear up for Golf de Ville on June 16, 2025.
June 24, 2025	German Reyes-Villanueva: SAMPE

Rotary ReCap: March 25, 2025 Meeting Summary

<https://youtu.be/UyyxK0GtqSo?si=KtZE9jWEWQ8hU3TW>

At our meeting on March 25, 2025, Rotary Club of Northville was honored to hear from Sara Thompson of Ronald McDonald House Charities Ann Arbor, whose heartfelt presentation reminded us why service to families in crisis is so critical. With 43 rooms running at full capacity and a growing waitlist, RMHCAA provides vital support to inpatient families—offering comfort, meals, and a sense of home near hospital care. Sara highlighted that families staying at the House save an average of \$6,300 during their 36-

night stay, thanks to services like Hospitality Carts, comfort care bags, and volunteer-prepared meals. The above link is one family's story.

Reminder: Fundraising Milestone: We Did It—Now Let's Go Bigger!

Congratulations, Northville Rotarians! We have officially reached our original goal of \$6,000 (\$4,000 raised by our club, plus a \$2,000 match from the Rotary Foundation)! This is a tremendous achievement, but let's not stop here.

We're challenging the club to raise an additional \$4,000, which will turn our club's **\$10,000** into a total impact of \$30,000 through matching funds.

"April Showers" Drive

With a nod toward Spring, Rotary Club of Northville will sponsor an "April Showers" shower curtain set drive to benefit the non-profit House N2 Home, an organization we heard from earlier this year. A simple shower set—curtain, liner, and hooks—can turn a place into a home.

How to Give:

- Use HN2Home's [Amazon Wishlist](#) to see what kind of shower products there are looking for (basically, inexpensive, but durable).
- If you're on an Amazon diet, try these other retailers:
 - [Costco – 3-Piece Shower Curtain Set](#)
 - [Bed Bath & Beyond – Shower Curtains & Accessories](#)
 - [Macy's – 9-Piece Complete Bathroom Set](#)
- Donate by April 30 by bring sets to Club meetings. We will arrange some other drop-off locations too.

Looking for host families!

Looking for host families! Please consider welcoming our club-sponsored Rotary Exchange student for 2025-2026 into your family for a few months. This year, the Dogonski and Mazzitelli families are hosting Salomé from France. You do not have to be a Rotarian to host a student on our behalf. The main criteria is to be close enough to Northville High School for the student to attend their junior or senior year. Spread the word to families and friends!

Upcoming Events & Initiatives: <https://northvillerotary.org/?p=calendar>

- Service: Ronald McDonald House (4/14): Meal Prep
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0F4CACAB2FABF4C70-54596866-ronald#/>
- Golf de Ville (6/16/25): Save the date for our annual Golf de Ville event. The sponsorship menu is now available, so start spreading the word and securing your spot to support this fantastic fundraiser.



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TO **CREATE** LASTING
CHANGE ACROSS THE GLOBE
IN OUR COMMUNITIES AND IN OURSELVES



