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Monday's Meeting October 19, 2015: **ROTARY ON THE ROAD @ Toledo Zoo Museum of Science**

Jeff Sailer—Toledo Zoo Master Plan

Mr. Sailer will highlight the next 10 year master plan for



the zoo with emphasis on creating a dynamic year-round visitor experience, driving tourism dollars in the region, and stimulating the local economy. Mr. Sailer received his B.S. in Zoology from Ball State University and his M.S. in Zoology from the University of Florida. Prior to being named as the Executive Director of

The Toledo Zoo in August, 2012, Mr. Sailer was the Director of City Zoos/Facility Director at the Central Park Zoo in New York City. He also served in several other capacities during his six year tenure at that institution. Prior to that, he was Curator of Birds at the Miami Metrozoo. As part of his avian research work, Mr. Sailer participated in several expeditions to Papua New Guinea and the Kingdom of Tonga. Mr. Sailer is a member of the Association of Zoos and Aquariums (AZA) and has served on a number of advisory groups and committees.

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OCTOBER 23RD & 24TH, 2015 – TOLEDO, OHIO

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Upcoming Meetings/Events

MONDAY, October 19—Rotary on the Road @ the Zoo Park in the Broadway St. lot and walk to the museum

Speaker: Jeff Sailer

Program: Toledo Zoo Master Plan

Greeters: Guisselle Mendoza, Majida, Mourad, Kevin Mullan, Dean Niese, Daric Peppers, Judy Potter, Brad Rubini, Hunt Sears, Neil Neukam

Committee Meetings:

1:00 pm Nominating @ the Zoo

WEDNESDAY, October 21

12:00 pm Foundation Trustees, Toledo Club

FRIDAY & SATURDAY, October 23 & 24— Rotary Lake Erie Water Conference Grand Plaza Hotel

MONDAY, October 26—Speaker: Erin Thompson

Program: Social Security Overview

Greeters: Jim Scheib, Joe Sharp, Paul Sullivan, Travis Tangeman, Lou Tosi, Keith Walker, Tom Waniewski, Zak Vassar, Dan Zimolzak

Committee Meetings:

11:00 am Program

MONDAY, November 2—Speaker: Chris Cooper

Program: TBA

Greeters: Matthew Adkins, Bob Amphor, Cindy Binkley, Linda Blackburn, Bill Buckley, Ed Caldwell, John Getchey, Erik Ibsen

Committee Meetings:

11:00 am Strategic Planning

MONDAY, November 9—NO MEETING

WEDNESDAY, November 11

7:30 am Joint Exec Committee, Original Pancake Central

5:00 pm Club Assembly

MONDAY, November 16—Speaker: Joe Napoli

Program: Hensville: A New Downtown Toledo Destination

Greeters: Bill Cook, Mary Ann Culpert, Janina Douglas, Mary Fedderke, Scott Fry, Tom Fry, Kristina Latta-Landefeld, Tony Ruth, Eric Jordan

Committee Meetings:

11:00 am Finance

1:00 pm Vocational

1:00 pm New Member



Internet Viewing: The past meeting can be viewed online at <https://vimeo.com/141486776>.

Rotary Lake Erie Watershed Conference October 23 & 24

Saturday 'full day conference' doesn't work for you?

Attend the Friday night kickoff dinner!

**Cameron Davis—Friday night Keynote
President Obama's "Great Lakes Czar"**

Cam Davis, Senior Advisor to the Administrator of the U.S. EPA for the Great Lakes, is the chief federal official in charge of cleaning up the Great Lakes. He oversees the Great Lakes Restoration Initiative, the largest funding mechanism for cleanup of the Great Lakes.

[Register here.](#)



Peter Elliott—U.S. Marshals Service: Yesterday & Today

Peter Elliott began the violent joint task force in this area. He is a third generation law enforcement officer who is the 26th marshal for northern Ohio and the longest to serve at 32 years. The Marshal Service began in 1789 and Ohio was split into two districts in 1855. There are 94 marshals nationwide who provide protection to courts, judges and the U.S. Attorney's Office.



Marshals also enforce court orders and administer the federal witness protection. Mr. Elliott declared that they have never lost a witness who followed the rules. They are also in charge of custody of federal inmates' health and housing. The marshals are also responsible for apprehending fugitives. Peter attributed their success with the strength of their partnerships. The U.S. Marshal Service has the widest power to arrest in the United States. He stated that there have been almost 40,000 arrests for the joint task force. In Toledo, 10,000 have been arrested and cleared 20,000 warrants. The joint task force is in the top three in the nation in arrests. Peter began the cold case unit and in just six months it has accomplished what others couldn't in six decades. Mr. Elliott was effusive regarding the great community partnerships with local news stations and *the Blade* which features the most wanted weekly. In addition, Clear Channel outdoor billboards are effective in identifying and catching sexual predators. In 2005, they began the Fugitive Safe Surrender program which encourages fugitives to peacefully surrender in churches, thus taking desperation out of the run and reducing the number of standoffs. Peter said that 60,000 fugitives have surrendered since 2005.

Rotary on the Road—Oct 19

The October 19 meeting will be at the Toledo Zoo's Museum. Please park in the Broadway Street lot, identify yourself as a Rotarian, and walk to the museum (indicated with red dots on map below). Lunch is \$15 and please bring cash.



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Member in the News

PP Riaz Chaudhary has been appointed the chief medical officer for St. Charles Hospital. "With Dr. Chaudhary's breadth and depth of medical expertise and his leadership among physicians, I am pleased he will be joining us formally as chief medical officer," said Jeff Dempsey, president and COO for Mercy St. Charles. Dr. Chaudhary, an internal medicine physician, has been practicing for nearly 40 years and founded the Oregon Clinic in 1976. Congratulations Riaz!!



Member Honored

Mark Makulinski was honored at a recent meeting for his generous donation to the relief efforts in Nepal. Jack Young, a Rotary past district governor and board member of ShelterBox USA, presented Mark with a commendation. Job well done!



Toledo Rotary Foundation Grant Recipient Update

The Toledo Rotary Foundation awarded Bittersweet Farms a \$10,000 grant to purchase a vehicle for Bittersweet Farms at Whitehouse. The grant request was to purchase a used car to transport individuals with autism from Bittersweet Farms to medical appointments and small group outings. The vehicle purchased is a 2011 Chrysler 200 with 57,000 miles. According to Bittersweet's Executive Director Vicki Obee, the money supplied by the Toledo Rotary Foundation "allows us to designate this new vehicle for transportation for all medical appointments. The purchase of a car means that individuals can go to their medical appointments, while other groups are using the vans for community activities. We are also thrilled to be able to use a more fuel efficient vehicle when transporting one or two individuals." For 32 years, Bittersweet, Inc. has been successfully serving adults and adolescents with Autism Spectrum Disorders across four locations in Ohio. Bittersweet offers unique support that encourage individuals with autism to grow and develop their abilities and talents in an agricultural setting. The Bittersweet community offers many products for sale to support employment and vocational opportunities for individuals with autism. The mission of Bittersweet, Inc. is to positively impact the lives of individuals with autism and those whose lives they touch.



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Describe your profession and what is your favorite part of it?

I am an executive-level public service employee in a field requiring me to lead and develop housing and personal development opportunities for the household we serve through the utilization of government and non-government funding. My favorite part of my job is going beyond its perceived requirements and working with individuals from other fields to achieve our agency's goals and surpassing what employees and observers thought we could achieve.

What do you like to do when you are not working?

Spend time with my family, play golf, travel, and read.

What is the most satisfying benefit you get from being a Rotarian?

The ability to be included in a select group of leaders committed to making a difference.

Tell us about your family.

My fiancée (marrying in April 2016) and I are the proud parents of a 15 year-old daughter.

Share one thing people do not know about you.

I was without a place to live for 3 months in 2007 and it was one of the most important experiences in my life.

Share some "words to live by" or your favorite quote.

Remind yourself nobody's built like you, you design yourself.

What would you be doing if you were not in your profession today?

I would be an athletic director at large university or a president of a university.

Outside of Rotary, please share other interesting civic or community involvement of which you are a part.

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The Ann Arbor Rotary is sponsoring a showing of the award-winning documentary, *The Shot Felt 'Round the World*. This one hour film captures Dr. Jonas Salk's heroic journey to the polio vaccine. It will play at noon and 2 pm on Sunday, October 25 at the Michigan Theater in Ann Arbor. Admission is \$7.

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October Birthdays

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Dianne Cherry (2)
Janina Douglas (2)
Hunt Sears (3)
Steve Smith (3)
Donna Burke (4)
Joseph Clarke (4)
Mary Fedderke (5)
Joshua Schuyler (5)
Jani Miller (7)
Reg Jackson (8)
Sharon Gaber (9)
Bob Harold (11)
Katrina Iott (11)
Steve Naseem (11)
Majida Mourad (12)
Jim Knapp (13)
Doug Miller (14)
Kent Bryan (15)
Darin Peppers (15)
Richard D. Arnos (17)
Delos Palmer, Jr. (19)
Dave DiManna (20)
Doug Kearns (20)
Frank Beans (20)
Dennis Johnson (21)
Frazier Reams, Jr. (21)
Jim Harpen (23)
Katherine MacPherson (23)
Ronald Kolodzaike (25)
Paul Schlatter (26)
John Hollister (27)
Joe Zvac (27)
Priscilla D'Anniballe (28)
Karen George (28)
Erwin Effler (30)
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