

# TOLEDO ROTARY SPOKE

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**ISSUE 241** 

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Zoom Meeting ID: 628-349-736



MONDAY JUNE 22ND, 2020

ALEX MEJIRTSKI SPECTRA PHOTOPOLYMERS 3D PRINTING IN A TIME OF CRISIS







Alex Mejiritski, President and COO of Spectra Photopolymers will be our guest speaker next Monday. Spectra was founded by Toledo Rotarian Dr. Douglas C. Neckers in 1991. Its first objective was to print medical models for surgical planning from CT and MRI scans. Among early examples was the use of stereolithography to produce 3D models from CT scans of mummies collected by founders to the Toledo Museum of Art in 1906. The company has evolved into a full-on photoscience expertise provider.

Gov. Mike DeWine on Wednesday, April 15, announced an emergency initiative to manufacture swabs and swab kits needed to test for the coronavirus in partnership with several groups, including a Toledo-area 3D printing firm Spectra subsidiary of FormLabs.

The Millbury Ohio-based Spectra has developed an organic catalog containing more than 2,000 compounds and specializes in solutions in the photosciences, UV/EB radiation cure, and organic synthetic chemistry. The first order of 15,000 3D printed swabs for virus test kits were delivered to Ohio State, with a target of 200,000 swabs and swab kits to be shared in partnership with hospital systems in Ohio, allowing more people to be tested, the governor said. Doug Neckers believes that Spectra may be able to produce some 100,000 swabs per day utilizing their modern 3-D printers.

Alex lives in Bowling Green with his wife Kate and 2 children Rona & Aaron. Aaron attends Bowling Green High School (rising sophomore) and Rona is a rising junior at Bentley University, Waltham, MA. In his free time Alex likes to support his favorite hockey team Bowling Green Falcons, listen & write reviews of heavy metal albums and support his children athletic teams and activities.

#### TOLEDO ROTARY CLUB FOUNDATION

# **2020-2021 Dues Response Form**

During these uncertian times, Toledo Rotary is announcing a ONE YEAR change in our dues structure for the 2020-21 Rotary Year. Annual dues remain the same, but there are now several payment options. This year we are offering the option of paying annually, semi-annually, or monthly. However, dues for the first half of the year are optional - meaning that due to current circumstances you may choose not to pay dues for the first half of the year (*available for current members only*). We are offering this choice in order to provide support for our members during these unprecedented times.

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Option III—Current circumstances impact first six months dues COVID circumstances option \_\_\_\_\_\_; I understand I will be invoiced for the 2nd half Rotary dues January of 2021

## **Call To Service!**

## **Toledo Rotary Committee Sign-Up**

*Committee Selection Form for 2020/21* 

COMPLETE BEFORE JULY 1ST, 2020



#### **TOLEDO ROTARY CLUB**

# **Website Navigation**

# How to pay your dues



With the new Rotary year ahead of us, there are a few changes to our website. At the top right, it now says "Dues Payments". This is where you will click to pay your dues. You will then be directed to the dues page. Then, click "Club Payments" to check out. You will be directly connected to Square where you can pay your dues and entrance fees. An icon has been created for each option and each level as presented for Rotary year 2020-2021.

# How to find the Monday Meeting ZOOM LINK



The link for the Monday Zoom Meetings is always easy to access from the Home Page of our website, www.toledorotary.org. To find the link, click the "Member Info" at the top of our webpage. The FIRST option in the drop down box is "Monday Zoom Link". Click this link to be directly connected to Zoom. The Zoom link for Monday is ALWAYS the same and accessible in 3 areas: the Spoke, Monday Morning Emails and the website. The meeting ID is also the same each week. ID: 628349736

# How to login to Dacdb



The "Member Login" for Dacdb has moved. To sign in to your Dacdb profile please choose the drop down box "Members Info". The second option is "Member Login". Click on "Member Login" and this will take you directly to the login for Dacdb. If you have any questions, email Abbey: asachs@toledorotary.org.

# Where to find The Spoke & Past Meeting Videos



To find the Spoke, go to the home page of our website and click on the "Calendar News" drop down box. The SECOND option is "Member Newsletter". Click here to be directly linked to the newsletter page with the most current Spoke at top of listing, followed by each week's Spoke. To find a past meeting video, click on the same drop down box and the FIFTH option is "Past Meeting Videos". Click here to be linked to the page where all past meeting videos can be found. Meeting videos can also be found on YouTube each Tuesday.

## MONDAY, JUNE 15TH RECAP

#### **EQUITY & SOCIAL JUSTICE OPEN DISCUSSION** LEAD BY PRESIDENT TIM RYAN

On Monday Rotarians hosted a roundtable dicussion regarding social justice and systemic racism affecting people throughout the world during these changing times. The discussion was opened by President Tim who read the following statement drafted by several members of the Peace Committee: Toledo Rotary has no tolerance for racism. Racism is real. Racism is not political. Racism is a human rights issue. Promoting respect, celebrating diversity, demanding ethical leadership, and working tirelessly to advance peace are central tenets of our work. The Toledo Rotary's Peace Committee, made up of Rotarians and non-Rotarian community leaders, has and will continue to support organizations taking action to promote social justice.

President Elect Alex Due shared his commitment to our Club to continue these conversations at a deep level with a strong focus on diversity and inclusivity. Peace Committee Chair, Rachel Hobson offered insight and the future direction of our Peace Service Committee. Featured presenter was Diana Patton, Social Justice Advocate & Author. (Visit her site at www.risewithdiana.com) Diana also referenced the Community Solidarity Response Network of Toledo as a resource. Visit their site here: https://csrntoledo.weebly.com.

Diana shared insight and action steps individuals can take to begin the transformation of true equity for people of color. Diana emphasized that it is our time to initiate dialogue, be empathetic and most importantly to LISTEN to others. She referenced a few books to consider reading in an effort to better understand the perspective of people of color. Included below is a link from the NY Times books for your consideration.

#### The Rotary 4-way Test states the following:

- Is it the **truth**?
- Is it fair to all concerned?
- Will it build goodwill and better friendships?
- Will it be beneficial to all concerned?





Tim Ryan President, Rotary Club of Toledo



Rachel Hobson Chair, Peace Committee Rotary Club of Toledo



Diana Patton CEO, Diana R. Patton Consulting, LLC.

Diana Patton

Motivational Speaker, Social Justice Advocate, Author, Attorney, Consultant Founder and CEO of the RISE program

Click the graphic above to be directed to Diana's website; www.riseswithdiana.com. Click the graphic below to see the New York Times Social Justice Book List

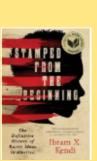




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ROBIN DIANGELO

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Watch Meeting

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#### **TOLEDO ROTARY CLUB**

## Vocational Services Committee Call For Nominees 20 Under 40

#### 20 UNDER 40 Leadership Recognition Program Seeking Nominations by July 13

Nominations for the 25th annual 20 Under 40 Leadership Recognition even that salutes young, dynamic leaders under the age of 40 will be accepted through July 13, 2020. The 20 Under 40 program focuses on individuals in northwest Ohio and southeast Michigan who have distinguished themselves in their careers and/or as volunteers in their community.

Nominating is fast, easy and a great way to recognize deserving young leaders. To submit your nomination, go to www.20under40toledo.com and complete the electronic form by Monday, July 13, 2020. Minimal information is required—name, company and email address. To be eligible, candidates must be under 40 years of age as of June 30, 2020.

For the 25th consecutive year, Chrys Peterson, former WTOL news anchor, will serve as master of ceremonies at the 2020 recognition/awards event on Thursday, October 29, 2020 at The Valentine Theatre, 410 Adams St. at Superior, Toledo, Ohio 43604.

**Social Media** 

#### Don't forget to like us or share Toledo Rotary Club social media pages with friends and YouTube family. Also, if you have an idea or a picture for a social media post, please share! Send to Abbey asachs@toledorotary.org **Rotary Monday Program Meetings Committee Meetings** June 22nd June 29th June 25th **Finance Committee Adam Levine Foundation Trustees 1 PM Toledo Museum of Art**

July 6th **NO MEETING** 

July 13th **Changing of the Guard** 

June 24th **COVID-19 Task Force 3 PM** 

June 23rd

**Board Meeting** 

**8 AM** 

## JUNE PROGRAM SPONSOR



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June 29th **Investment Committee 1 PM** 

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