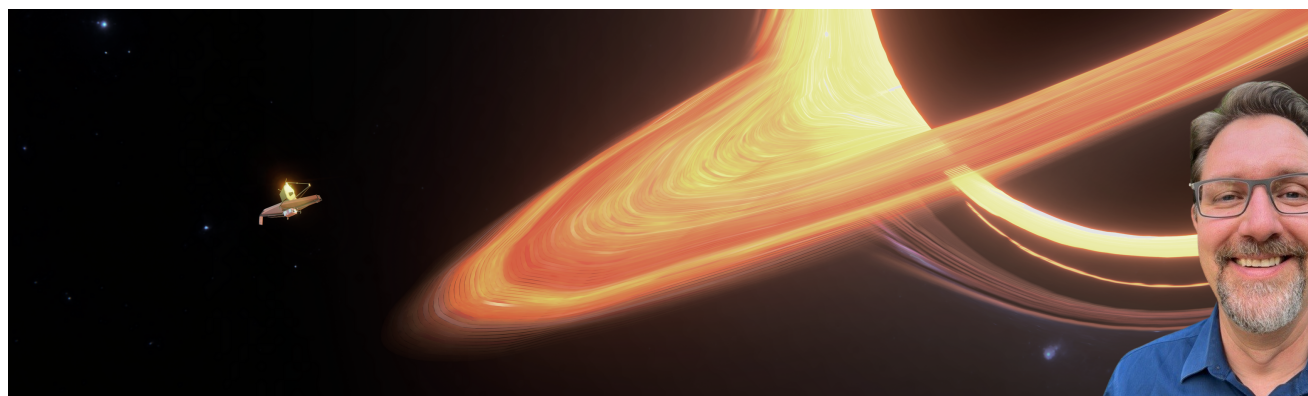




TOLEDO ROTARY SPOKE

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MONDAY, JANUARY 9TH

The James Webb Space Telescope: A New Window Into Our Origins

The launch of the James Webb Space Telescope (JWST) on Christmas Day 2021 opened a new and exciting window into our Universe.

Its 20 foot-diameter mirror and suite of instruments is allowing astronomers to study every phase of the history of the Universe ranging from the first galaxies to form after the Big Bang to the formation of solar systems like our own.

In this talk, Dr. Cushing will describe what makes JWST so unique and present some of its early findings including discoveries made by astronomers at the University of Toledo.

*Dr. Michael Cushing
Professor, UT
Director, Ritter Planetarium*

Zoom Link
Meeting ID: 628 349 736



SIGN UP TO LEAD THE REFLECTION AND PLEDGE AT MONDAY MEETINGS

*We are streamlining meetings and will be having
one individual lead both the reflection
and pledge of allegiance.
To sign up to lead this, view available
dates here: [Sign-Up Genius](#)*



**Meeting Location:
Glass City Center
Ballroom
2nd Floor**

*Find all details on the next
page, so that you are
prepared for Monday's
meeting at our new
home within the
Glass City Center.*

Toledo Rotary Monday Meetings Have Found a New Home!

The Rotary Club of Toledo will be hosting our weekly meetings at the Glass City Center [beginning this Monday! January 9th, 2023.](#)



*Glass City Center is located at
401 Jefferson Ave, Toledo, OH.
Parking will be accessible via garage
on Monroe Street.
Meetings will be in the 2nd Floor Ballroom*

*Pricing for Meetings beginning January 9th:
\$20 lunch, with parking included.
\$5 non-eater, which covers your parking cost,
and any beverages.*

Please bring your parking stub with you to the meeting for validation.

*We will be asking members to pay in cash at the door, or
prepay if you wish to pay via Credit Card. To prepay, contact Jaci directly.*

*Please be mindful of the non-eater rate. Some members are unaware of this policy,
but we do adhere to this at each meeting.*

(More parking and direction details on next page)

WATCH PAST MEETING VIDEOS HERE!

Have you missed a Monday meeting and would like to hear what our guest speaker had to say? Or perhaps you attended and want to watch the replay?

Not to worry! You can always view past meeting videos here: [Past Meeting Videos](#)



If you aren't following our Club's social pages yet, click here:





How to Find the Ballroom In Our New Home at Glass City Center

*If you've never been to Glass City Center
(or haven't been since it was previously the SeaGate Convention Centre),
we want to help you find our new meeting space.*



*Parking accessible via garage shown here.
Use Monroe Street to enter,
across from the ballpark.
Bring your parking stub for validation
with lunch purchase.*



*Once inside the parking garage, use the
set of stairs/elevator nearest the ballpark,
pictured here, and head to the 2nd floor.*



*From there, you will find the ballroom down
the long hallway, pictured here.
We will have greeters stationed throughout
the 2nd floor to assist with wayfinding.*



*Registration/Lunch Ticketing,
Guest Check-in, and
the Buffet Line will take place in this
common area outside of the ballroom.*

MEMBER NEWS & EVENTS

Upcoming Monday Programs - Join Us!

1/9

Dr. Michael Cushing, U.T. Professor of
Physics and Astronomy
First Meeting at Glass City Center!
Ballroom - 2nd Floor

1/16

NO MEETING
In honor of Martin Luther King, Jr. Day

1/23

Bob Savage
Toledo Tomorrow
Glass City Center
Ballroom - 2nd Floor

1/30

Meeting Details Still to Come
Glass City Center
Ballroom - 2nd Floor

We need you!

...to bring guests to our
Monday meetings!

As we move into our new home at
the Glass City Center for Monday
meetings, please invite your colleagues
and contacts to visit.

We are excited to grow and
welcome new members into
Toledo Rotary as we move into 2023,
and can't do it without you.

Guests get free lunch for their first visit.
For every Rotarian you sponsor to join,
you will be entered into a drawing for
free lunches for a year!

BECOME A MEETING SPONSOR

YOUR LOGO HERE!

We currently have the months of April and beyond available for monthly meeting sponsorship. For only \$375, your company will receive the following benefits during the month of your Sponsorship:

- Weekly Reminder email sent to all members Monday morning
- Logo featured weekly in the Monday meeting Power-Point
- Logo featured weekly in the pre-meeting Power-Point
- Logo featured on our website throughout the Rotary year with link to your website
- President announces your company/organization as this month's sponsor in his/her opening remark

Contact Jaci today if you are interested!

Thank you to January's
Meeting Sponsor:



Thank you to Kevin Mullan and
Ladder 419
for sponsoring!

MEMBER NEWS & EVENTS



Ladies, Save the Date!

Our next Women In Rotary social will be the evening of Thursday, February 9th.

Hosted by Rotarian JaneMarie Rahe.

More details to come in the next Spoke!



Let's Celebrate!

JANUARY BIRTHDAYS

JAN 1st	Stephanie White	17th	Matt Arnold
2nd	Bill McElheney	20th	Jeff Cole
3rd	Fran Anderson	21st	Matt Adkins
4th	Gary Corrigan	23rd	Rodney Eason
4th	Todd Michaelson	24th	Tom Uhler
6th	Marvin Whitfield	24th	Justin Moor
7th	Amira Gohara	24th	Kathy Selking
7th	Jason Kucsma	27th	PP Brad Rubini
10th	Jim Burnor	27th	Frank S. Viviano
11th	James Caldwell	29th	Bart Wagenman
13th	Sanford Lubin	30th	Mary Mancini
14th	Roy Cherry	31st	Dan Peffley
15th	Reggie Bradley		
17th	PP Alex Due		



Join us!

WALLEYE HOCKEY OUTING

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 3RD

GAME STARTS AT 7:15 PM

\$30 PER PERSON

WALLEYE MONEY FOR CONCESSIONS INCLUDED

ON SALE NOW - CLICK HERE

ONLY 25 TICKETS AVAILABLE!

BOOK CLUB

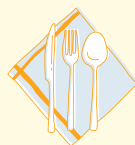
MEETING JANUARY 17TH

The first Book Club meeting in October was a hit!

The next meeting is Tuesday, January 17th, 2023 at 5:30 PM. Happening at Calvino's once again.

If you are interested and missed the first meeting, please email Mari Davies at mdavies@artstoledo.com.

All are welcome!



THE ROTARY OFFICE IS ROLLING OUT A LUNCH PUNCH CARD!

As we continue to improve our processes and streamline the check-in station at Monday lunches, we will now be offering a **Pre-Paid Lunch Card!**



This can be for non-eater too!

Members will be responsible for keeping their card with them each week.

If you are interested, please email Jaci directly for more details.

MEMBER NEWS & EVENTS

The Membership Committee is pleased to bring this Social Calendar to us, as a way to highlight activities for the entire month. Please note this is updated each week as changes come.

JANUARY 2023

TOLEDO ROTARY EVENTS

SUN

MON

TUE

WED

THU

FRI

SAT

1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9 International Serv. 11am Membership Disability Serv. Program	10	11	12	13	14
15	16 No Meeting In Honor of MLK, Jr. Day	17 Book Club 5:30 PM Calvino's	18	19 New Member Orientation 5:30 PM	20	21
22	23 Youth Services Envir. Services Const. Committee 1:00 P.M.	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31	Feb. 1	2	3 F.A.C. 8:00 AM Glass City Center	4