TOLEDO ROTARY SPOKE

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MONDAY, FEBRUARY 13TH

Native Plants and Habitat Restoration

Jake Schoen is the Wild Toledo Coordinator at the Toledo Zoo. He works to conserve and restore our local ecosystem by installing and maintaining urban prairies and native landscapes.

Wildlife habitat restoration is commonly known to occur on public lands such as metro parks, nature preserves, and wildlife refuges. Given that approximately 60% of land in the United States is privately owned, it is important that we extend these conservation efforts to privately owned backyards and businesses as well. Learn the different ways in which you can support local wildlife on your own land with native plantings of various styles and scales.

Jacob Schoen (no headshot avail.) Wild Toledo Coordinator Toledo Zoo

> 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



Did you know as a
Rotarian you are always
invited to attend the
Annual Convention?
This year's event is in
Australia and a group
from District 6600 is
going!

If you are interested, please click the image at the right, or email Jaci for more details.

(Next year's event is in Singapore, and the following years's is in Calgary.)

DISTRICT CONFERENCE - MAY 12-14TH



Similarly, on a local level all Rotarians are invited to attend the District 6600 Conference.

This year's conference is in Cleveland, with special events at the Rock & Roll Hall of Fame.

For more details and to register, please visit:

<u>This link</u>

And this link

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: <u>Past Meeting Videos</u>



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











Upcoming Monday Programs - Join Us!

2/20

NO MEETING In Honor of President's Day

2/27

Professor Barry Jackish - Ukraine Update Glass City Center Ballroom - 2nd Floor

3/6

Brooke Schlageter - Partners in Education Glass City Center Ballroom - 2nd Floor

3/13

Tami Norris and Ann Ebbert - Cherry Street Mission 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 May 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 February's Meeting Sponsor:



Impact Employment Solutions

Thank you to Gary Murphy and IES Corp for sponsoring!



HAPPY HOUR

THU, FEB. 16TH

4:30 PM - 6:30 PM MYWAY BISTRO, SYLVANIA, OH

Toledo Rotary is proud to sponsor a new Rotaract Club for area Young Professionals.

Join us at this Happy Hour to meet Rotarians, Rotaractors, and see what we are all about!

We invite you to bring a non-perishable product to this event. Donations to benefit St. Paul's Community Center.

Can't make it, but interested in learning more? Email info@toledorotarv.ora







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At the present time, in additional to our regular shelter operation, we are open for Winter Crisis. This program is open for 90 days, we have an additional 35 guests each night, for a total of 3150 Winter Crisis guest for the season. We are in need of additional food and non-food items for our Shelter and Winter Crisis guests.

Food items:

- Pasta
- Rice
- Canned goods
- Condiments
- Seasonings

Creamer

- Coffee
- Sugar

Non-Food items:

- Forks, knives, spoons
- "To Go" Plates
- Disposable Plates
- Disposable Bowls
- Disposable Cups



Help us spread the word to area young professionals who may be interested in the Rotaract group!

Rotaract focuses on the development of young adults as leaders in their communities and workplaces.

This group specifically is for individuals ages 18-30 in the Toledo area.

For our Toledo Rotarians, we hope you'll join us for this regular monthly happy hour and meet some new community members!

Thanks to Toledo Rotarian Joe Habib, Pres. & CEO of St. Paul's Community Center, we have received this list of urgent needs the shelter has at this time.

> Please bring one to the **Happy Hour event** if you are able!



UNIVERSITY OF TOLEDO BASKETBALL GAINE



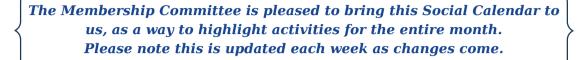
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 21ST

GAME STARTS AT 7:00 PM

FIXEE TO ATTEND!!

FOOD AND NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES INCLUDED

SIGN UP HERE TO CLAIM A <u>TICKET!</u>
EVENT FOR MEMBERS AND SPOUSES





TOLEDO ROTARY EVENTS

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
				2	3 F.A.C. @ 8 am Walleye Game @ 7:15 PM	4
5	6	7 Coffee Connection SIP Coffee 8:00 PM	8 Past President's Luncheon 12 noon	9 Women's Social 4:30 pm 5/3rd Building	10	11
12	13 Membership Program 1:00 PM	14	15	16 Happy Hour 4:30 PM MyWay Bistro	17	18
19	20 NO MEETING in Honor of President's Day	21 FREE UT Basketball Game 7:00 PM	22	23	24	25
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