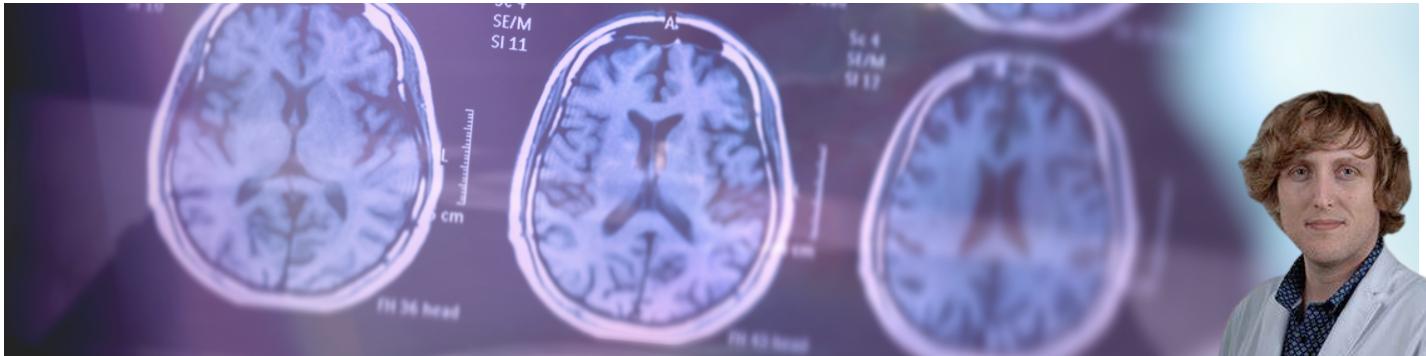




# TOLEDO ROTARY SPOKE

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## MONDAY, NOVEMBER 20TH

Join us on Monday, November 20th when we are joined by Dr. Dionis Kononov, the Medical Director of Senior Behavioral Health Unit at UT Medical Center. He will overview Alzheimer's and recent medical breakthroughs, as well as Parkinsons and Dementia.

Dr. Kononov has the following credentials:

- BA University of Missouri , Kansas City Missouri.
- DO, Nova Southeastern University, Davie Florida.
- Adult psychiatric residency at the University of Toledo Medical Center.
- Current medical director of the Senior Behavioral Health unit at the University of Toledo Medical Center.
- Also a staff psychiatrist for the Ryan White Infectious Disease Program.
- Areas of interest include dementia and mood disorders.

**Dionis Kononov, DO**  
**Psychiatry (Adult)**  
**Senior Behavioral Health**  
**UTMC**

[Zoom Link](#)  
[Meeting ID: 628 349 736](#)



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

## Toledo Rotary Foundation Annual Campaign Update:



**Current dollars raised: \$16,733**  
**13% of our Goal Reached**

## YOUR SUPPORT MATTERS!

*We invite all Rotarians to contribute to our Foundation.*

Donations of any amount are gratefully accepted, and Rotarians who donate \$250 or more annually will be a member of the President's Club.

We also offer the ability to set up recurring donations that will automatically process. It's easy! If you need help, please reach out to Jaci or a Foundation Trustee for more details.

Give directly using this link: [DONATE TODAY](#)



## Thank you to our 2023-2024 Corporate Members!

We are grateful for your support of our club!



For more details on the benefits of a corporate membership versus traditional membership, please contact Jaci directly.

\*Click on each logo to learn more about these companies directly on their website.



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## Your Ad Could Be Here!

We are pleased to offer Rotarians the chance to purchase paid advertising in the Spoke newsletter this year!  
(See Jason Harris's ad for example.  
Thanks Jason for your continued support!).

We continue to grow and this newsletter is distributed to nearly 300 members each week.  
If you are interested in learning more, please contact Jaci directly.

## 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:



## MEMBER NEWS & EVENTS

### Upcoming Monday Programs: Join Us!

11/27

No Meeting  
in Honor of  
Thanksgiving Holiday

12/4

Robert Sprague, Ohio Treasurer  
Glass City Center 2nd Floor Ballroom

12/11

Shocking Updates in the World of  
Substance Abuse in the US  
Glass City Center 2nd Floor Ballroom

Thank you to November's  
Meeting Sponsor:



Thank you to Greater Toledo  
Community Foundation  
and to  
Rotarian Keith Burwell  
for sponsoring this  
month's weekly meetings!

## BOOK CLUB

MEETING NOVEMBER 28TH

The next Book Club meeting is  
Tuesday, November 28th, at 5:30 PM.  
Happening at Poco Piatti on Central Avenue.  
All are welcome!

The book selection is  
Demon Copperhead by Barbara Kingslover.

If you are interested and missed previous  
meetings, please email Mari Davies at  
[mdavies@artstoledo.com](mailto:mdavies@artstoledo.com).

**NOMINATE YOUR FAVORITE NON-PROFIT**  
It's not just about making a donation, it's about making a difference!



#GIVINGTUESDAY

# GIVEAWAY

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THE BLADE

The Winning Non-Profit as Voted by Blade audiences will receive  
a \$5,000 Promotional Package for digital and print use in The Blade.

Winner will be announced on [toledoblade.com](http://toledoblade.com) on Tuesday, November 28, courtesy of Yark Automotive.  
Voters will be eligible to receive a \$100 cash donation, in their name, to their non-profit of choice.

Nominations run through November 12.  
Top Ten voting starts November 14.



Visit: [toledoblade.com/GTgiveaway](http://toledoblade.com/GTgiveaway)  
\*Must be a 501C3 to receive the promotional package.



Join Us for the Annual  
Toledo Rotary Club  
*Holiday Party*

Wednesday, December 6th  
5:30 PM - 8:00 PM

*Hosted at Registry Bistro*

with Free Parking in Commodore Perry lot  
105 N. Superior St, Toledo, OH 43604

All members invited with 1 guest. Free to attend.  
Wear your most festive holiday formal attire!  
Heavy hors d'oeuvres provided, & cash bar.

New this year: Please bring an unwrapped gift to be donated  
to Lucas County Children's Services, or a donation of gift-wrapping supplies.  
See accompanying list of most desired toys for LCCS.

RSVP HERE: [ToledoRotary.org](http://ToledoRotary.org)

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Invitation image  
to RSVP)

Here is a link to the list of most desired toys for Lucas County Children's Services. [LINK](#)

We will be hosting a "wrapping party" later in December, before we drop items off to LCCS. All Rotarians invited to the wrapping party! Snacks/drinks will be provided, and it's sure to be a great time!  
More details to come.



## MEMBER NEWS & EVENTS



### MENTORSHIP OPPORTUNITY!

OUR YOUNG PROFESSIONAL FRIENDS IN THE  
ROTARACT CLUB OF TOLEDO  
WOULD LIKE TO PARTNER WITH US FOR 1:1  
MENTORSHIPS!

WE HAVE 9 INDIVIDUALS LOOKING  
TO BE PAIRED WITH A MENTOR.  
IF YOU ARE INTERESTED, PLEASE  
EMAIL JACI AND I WILL WORK ON FINDING  
YOU A GREAT INDIVIDUAL!



### **Holiday Bell Ringing**

**Saturday, December  
2nd  
10 am - 6 pm**

**Walt Churchill's  
Market  
Both Maumee &  
Perrysburg**

**To Sign Up  
for Bell Ringing:  
Sign-Up Genius**

**We will be partnering  
with Rotaract this year.**



## A Toledo Rotary Holiday Tradition!

Join us for the Toledo Symphony Orchestra  
When they perform for us on  
Monday, December 18th  
at our Glass City Center luncheon.  
This is our last program before the holiday break.

RSVPs are required, for headcount purposes.  
You are welcome to bring a guest  
(spouse, child, friend who would enjoy the program).

**RSVP HERE**

## 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. This does not highlight the Monday Meetings, but rather Social Events and Committee Meetings. Please note this is updated each week as changes come.*

Thanks to Rotarian Curt Church for creating a Google Calendar for you to sync to your personal calendars! Here is the link: [GoogleCal](#)

## November 2023

SUN	MON	TUES	WEDS	THURS	FRI	SAT
			1	2	3	4
5	6 Program 1 PM	7 Coffee Connection 8 am @ SIP New Member Orientation 5:30 pm	8	9	10	11
12	13 Vocational 11 AM Membership 1 PM	14 Community Service Mtg. 4:30 pm Carlos Poco Loco - Adams St. All are welcome!	15	16 Holly Trolley Happy Hour Click for Tickets	17	18
19	20 Youth Peace 1 PM	21	22	23 Happy Thanksgiving! 	24	25
Rotary Office Closed - 11/22 thru 11/27						
26	27 NO MEETING In Honor of Thanksgiving	28 Book Club 5:30 PM Poco Piatti on Central	29	30	Dec. 1st	2
Rotary Office Closed						