



TOLEDO ROTARY SPOKE

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MONDAY, DECEMBER 11TH

Shocking Updates in the World of Substance Abuse in the US

Join us on Monday, December 11th when we are joined by two guest speakers, Tamme Smith and Dr. Tanvir Singh, when they discuss the opioid crisis in our community and country.

A distinguished leader in the Public Service industry with an impressive track record spanning over 25 years, Mrs. Smith has made substantial contributions to the field. Many are familiar with her outstanding work as the D.A.R.T. Forensic Counselor at the esteemed Lucas County Sheriff's Office where she sets on numerous boards and committees, facilitates drug awareness workshops, participants in community outreach, as well as writes and facilitates the implementation of grants for the Sheriff's Office.

To read her full biography, please visit this link: [12.11.23 meeting](#).

Dr. Tanvir Singh completed medical school in Jammu, India, his residency at UPMC, and a fellowship in Child Adolescent Psychiatry also at UPMC. He is a Professor in the Dept. of Psychiatry at UPMC in the Child and Adolescent Division and serves as the Medical Director for both the Inpatient Detox Unit and the Child and Adolescent Unit. He is double board certified in addiction medicine and child and adolescent psychiatry. His special interests are mood disorders and psychopharmacology.

As always, guests are welcome at this program.

Please remember to submit your Election Ballot to info@toledorotary.org no later than 12/11/23 at 1 pm, or bring to this Monday program to insert into our ballot box. We thank you for participating in this year's election!

Tamme M. Smith,
MA. LSW,
LCDC III

Dr. Tanvir Singh
Psychiatry
(Child and Adolescent)
Recovery Services

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



Meeting Location:
Glass City Center
Ballroom
2nd Floor



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Watch Our Latest Foundation Testimonial Video today!

Foundation Trustee Brent Cousino states:
 "The work of the foundation and the club are inseparable. The power of what we can all accomplish together is amazing. We really want to bring every Toledo Rotarian on board as a supporter of the annual fund. It's a major enabler of our grantmaking that flows from the good work of our service committees. EVERY gift, whether \$25 or \$2500 makes an important difference in our ability to deliver more fully on our motto of "Service Above Self"."

Toledo Rotary Foundation Annual Campaign Goal Update:



Current dollars raised: \$25,421
20% of our \$ Goal Reached
22% of our Participation 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](#)

Use this QR code to donate now!



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.

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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!

12/18

Annual Holiday Program
Toledo Symphony Orchestra
Glass City Center 2nd Floor Ballroom

12/25

No Meeting
In Honor of Christmas Holiday

01/01

No Meeting
In Honor of New Year Holiday

Thank you to December's
Meeting Sponsor:



Thank you to Principle Business Enterprises
and to
Rotarian PDG Chuck Stocking
for sponsoring this
month's weekly meetings!

Gift Wrapping Social!

Wednesday, Dec. 13th

3 PM - 8 PM (or until we finish)

Hosted at the Toledo Building Services offices
2121 Adams St.,
Toledo, OH

Snacks and refreshments will be provided.

Come help us wrap holiday gifts for the
toys we collected at the Holiday Party.

Bring some extra wrapping supplies, if you'd like.

It is sure to be a fun time!

These toys will be delivered to
Lucas County Children Services by December 15th

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](#)

SIGN UP TO LEAD THE REFLECTION AND PLEDGE AT MONDAY MEETINGS



We invite you to lead both the reflection
and pledge of allegiance at a Monday program.
To sign up to lead this, view available
dates here: [Sign-Up Genius](#)

Toledo Rotarians Enjoy Annual Holiday Festivities



*Salvation Army
Bell Ringing, December 2nd*

Our Kettles brought in \$1,652.57 in total!



*Thank you to the Members and Guests that attended the
Annual Holiday Party on Wednesday, December 6th at Registry Bistro.
We hope you had a wonderful evening of fellowship!*

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](#)

December 2023

SUN	MON	TUES	WEDS	THURS	FRI	SAT
					1	2 Holiday Bell Ringing. Sign up here
3	4 <i>International Com.Serv both at 11 am Enviro at 1 pm</i>	5 <i>Coffee Connection 8 am @ Levi & Lilac's</i>	6 <i>Holiday Party at Registry Bistro 5:30 PM RSVP HERE</i>	7	8	9
10	11 <i>Membership Youth at 1 pm</i>	12	13 <i>Gift Wrapping Party for LCCS 3 pm - 8 pm 2121 Adams St.</i>	14	15	16
17	18 <i>Peace at 1 pm</i>	19	20	21	22	23
					<i>Rotary Office Closed - 12/22 thru 1/2</i>	
24	25 <i>NO MEETING In Honor of Christmas</i>	26	27	28	29	30
<i>Rotary Office Closed - 12/22 thru 1/2</i>						
31	Jan. 1st <i>NO MEETING In Honor of New Years</i>	2	3	4	5	6