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MONDAY, DECEMBER 18TH

Toledo Symphony Orchestra Holiday Performance

Join us for this long-standing Toledo Rotary Holiday Tradition!

We will be joined by players of the Toledo Symphony Orchestra on Monday, December 18th for lunch. Guests are more than welcome!

This will be our last meeting of the calendar year. We will return to programs at Glass City Center on Monday, January 8th.



<u>Zoom Link</u> <u>Meeting ID: 628 349 736</u>



Congratulations to our Newly Elected Club Officers!

Thank you to our members for participating in our election!

We are pleased to announce Candice Harrison has been elected as Vice President. She will be serving as Club President for 2026-2027.



We are also pleased to announce the following incoming board members for the 2024-2027 term.





Mari Davies



Casey Holck

2023-2024 Foundation Donors

Below is an updated list of current member donations, as of 12-13-23.

Chris Anderson Fran Anderson Pat Appold **Richard Arnos** PP Tom Backoff PP Cindy Binkley Jay Black Donna Bogan Pat Bowe Ed Caldwell Adan Cassi PP Riaz Chaudharv Roy Cherry Curt Church Greg Churilla Jeff Cole John Clement Gary Corrigan Brent Cousino Mari Davies PP Bob DiNardo

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Jim Lavman Sanford Lubin Mary Mancini PP Steve Martindale Mike McIntvre Steve Miller Kevin Mullan Gary "Murph" Murphy Dean Niese Mike Noble Dave Nottke PP Fr. Ron Olszewski John Roemer PP Brad Rubini PP Tim Ryan Bob Savage PP Chuck Schaub Cherie Sears Bob Seeman Nelson Shaffer

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Watch Our Latest Foundation Testimonial Video today!

Foundation Chairman Jim Layman states: "We're trying to foster a culture of giving in our Club that encourages every member to consider support for our fundraising efforts to be as much a part of their membership as attending the weekly meetings. We know our goals are ambitious, but we have a great team working on the Campaign and we are confident that you all, being the kind of people who join Rotary, will recognize the importance of this effort. Please join me in giving a gift that is right for you and enjoy the video that Phil has put together."

Toledo Rotary Foundation Annual Campaign Goal Update:



Current dollars raised: \$27,198 22% of our \$ Goal Reached 25% 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: <u>DONATE TODAY</u>

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. *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: <u>Past Meeting Videos</u>



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MEMBER NEWS & EVENTS

Upcoming Monday Programs: Join Us!



Make Your New Years Resolution to Join a Rotary Committee!

As we quickly finish the first half of our Rotary Year and embark on a new Calendar Year, we invite you to consider getting more involved in our Service and Social Committees. We need YOU to help make an impact on our community and committees are the perfect opportunity!

You can join a committee at any time. If you need help determining the best fit for you, please contact Jaci. She can go over your interests and connect you to our fellow leaders.

> To sign up today, please visit: <u>https://toledorotary.org/committee-selection-form/</u>



A Reminder Regarding Lunches:

The direct link to prepay for lunches is found here: <u>Lunch Options</u>

If paying via credit card, please always prepay. We do not accept credit cards on site. Cash is always accepted at the door. If paying by check, please make payable to "Toledo Rotary Club" 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!



If you have recently experienced a job change or need to update your contact info (primarily your email and mailing address), please inform Jaci by using this link: <u>Update Here</u>

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: <u>Sign-Up Genius</u>

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: <u>GoogleCal</u>

December 2023

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



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