



TOLEDO ROTARY SPOKE

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MONDAY, OCTOBER 21ST

In support of **HeForShe** UN Women Solidarity Movement for Gender Equality

Allyship IN ACTION

Empowered by: **Women of Toledo**

Moderator

Our Panelists

Julia Hage Director of Mission Advancement for Anne Grady Services	Vince DiPofi Chief Executive Officer for SSOE	Rodney Eason Vice President of Talent & Human Resources for Erie Home	Chuck Stocking Chairman of Principle Business Enterprises (PBE)
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[Zoom Link](#)
[Meeting ID: 628 349 736](#)



Meeting Location:
Huntington Center
Aquarium

Join us for a powerful conversation on how men can champion gender equality during our 2024 HeForShe Forum: Allyship in Action in partnership with **Women of Toledo** on Monday, October 21, 2024, at the Huntington Center Aquarium. Our local HeForShe will have a panel discussion on amplifying voices, breaking down barriers, and creating meaningful change through active allyship.

For our Rotarians, the price to attend remains the same as all luncheons - \$20 for lunch or \$5 for non-eater. No advanced RSVP required. To learn more about HeForShe in advance, you can watch this short video:

[HeForShe](#)

NOTICE: MEETING ROOM CHANGE FOR MONDAY, OCTOBER 21ST

Due to other event accommodations, the Glass City Center is moving us from our normal 2nd floor ballroom to **The Huntington Center Arena, in the 1st floor Aquarium**. For your GPS, type in: **"139 N. Huron, Toledo, OH 43604"**.

- You will want to park in the **RED lined spots ONLY**. The spots on the other side of the alley are not available to use for us Rotarians. Alternatively, you are always welcome to use a meter on the street near the arena.
- Guests are still more than welcome to attend this program & we will be offering Zoom.



Use this entrance



Thank you to our 2024-2025 Corporate Members!

We are grateful for your support of our club!

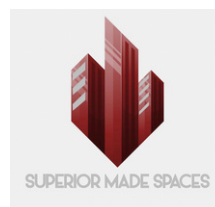


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For more details on the benefits of a corporate membership versus traditional membership, please contact Jaci directly.

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



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:





In Memoriam
John R. Ehrmin

Rotarian since 1986

The Rotary Club of Toledo Friendship Committee informs you with sadness that Toledo Rotarian John R. Ehrmin has passed on October 5th, 2024. He was 83 years old.

John has been a proud Toledo Rotarian since August of 1986. He prided himself on over 17 years of perfect attendance, and also was a long-time chair of our Community Services Committee.

He was an engineer by trade and worked locally for SSOE, as well as Rightmyer Johnson & Associates as a partner, then later at the University of Michigan as an Operations & Maintenance Engineer in Ann Arbor. John's love of community and service wasn't just with Toledo Rotary, but also a proud supporter of the local arts including being a founding member of the Toledo Area Glass Guild and more.

Our thoughts and prayers go to John's loved ones, including his wife, Irene, with whom he just celebrated his 60th wedding anniversary.

[John's full obituary can be read here, including service information.](#)



To help us eradicate Polio you can give here
my.rotary.org/en/polioplus-fund

MEMBER NEWS & EVENTS

Upcoming Monday Programs: Join Us!

10/28

Service Above Self Day - Sign Up Form
Coming Soon.

Visit this calendar page to sign up for a
project, and to claim your free Tshirt

11/04

Justin Moor
Re-Imagining Aging
Glass City Center

11/11

Veteran's Day
No Meeting

Thank you to October's Meeting Sponsor:



Thank you to Danberry Realtors
and to
Rotarian Max Reddish
for sponsoring this month's weekly meetings!

HAPPY HOUR JOIN US FOR A DRINK!

The Membership Committee is pleased to
announce our monthly Happy Hour!

Join us on Thursday, October 17th from 4-6 pm when
we meet at
The Casual Pint
3350 Executive Pkwy, Toledo, Ohio 43606

These are open to any current
club member and guests.

We encourage you to bring a prospective
member as well!

We host these on the 3rd Thursday of every month
from 4:00 - 6:00 pm.

Mark your calendar and join when you are able!

Service Above Self Day
Our next quarterly Service Above
Self Day is scheduled for Oct. 28th,
in place of our Monday Luncheon.



Click Here to
View this Month's
Projects to
participate in.

Fill out this form to receive a
complimentary Rotarian at
Work t-shirt.

MEMBER NEWS & EVENTS

From the Membership Committee:

Welcome to our newest Rotarians! We are happy to have you with us!



Dr. Ashley C Benson
Vice President for
Student Affairs
Lourdes University



Tim Menke
CEO
Lott Industries



Julie Woods
Business Development
Fastsigns Toledo & Maumee



Kate Sommerfeld
President & CEO
Greater Toledo
Community Foundation



Katie Williamson
Sr. Exec. / Benefits Consultant /
Broker
Andres, O'Neil, & Lowe
Insurance Agency



Chris Eischen
Director
Toledo Tech Loft LLC



Scott Wills
Vice President of
Advancement
Lourdes University



Nathan Lawson
Owner
Superior Workspaces LLC



Rodney Eason
Vice President of Talent &
Human Resources
Erie Home

Rotary Club of Toledo
NOVEMBER SOCIAL
HOLLY TROLLEY
BAR CRAWL
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 21ST
STARTING AT 6 PM
CONCLUDING AT 10 PM
Tickets on Sale Now!

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SCAN FOR TICKETS

Coffee Connection
Join us for coffee!

The Membership Committee is pleased to announce our monthly Coffee Connection!

Join us on Friday, Nov. 1st at 8-9:30 am
when we meet at
Earth Coffee House & Cafe inside TolHouse
1447 Summit St, Toledo, OH
These are open to any current club member and guests.

MEMBER NEWS & EVENTS



Cares for Kids Coat Drive
Joint Service Project between
Youth Services Committee & Community
Services Committee.

Coats can be dropped off at Rotary
Luncheons from now until November 25th.
Must be new coats.

To learn more about this drive, visit:
<https://icareforkids.org/events/care-for-kids-coat-drive-2024/>



The Peace Committee in partnership with the Neighbor to Neighbor initiative has declared October 28th–November 5th as Intentional Acts of Kindness Week.

“Let’s blanket our community with Acts of Kindness.”

For ideas click [Here](#)

RotaryWORKS



WEEKLY HIGHLIGHT

PROMOTING BUSINESS WITH LIKEMINDED ROTARY MEMBERS WHO SHARE VALUES AND ETHICS



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Ideal Client

Nonprofits, especially those who have struggled to receive funding



Key to Success

Dedication, a commitment to excellence, and not giving up. I took his place.



Which pillar of the 4-Way Test resonates most with your professional life and why?
Will it be beneficial to all concerned.

Having information and knowing when to divulge it or keep it under wraps at times can be difficult. Using Pillar #4 in the business world helps me make good decisions about how and when to share information that could potentially help or harm someone.



Be featured
 next!
[CLICK 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](#)

October 2024

SUN	MON	TUES	WEDS	THURS	FRI	SAT
	Sept. 30	1 <i>Annual Zoo Day Field Trip RSVP HERE</i>	2	3	4 <i>FAC at 8 am Glass City Center Futures Golf 11 am Ottawa Park</i>	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14 <i>Membership Committee 1 pm</i>	15	16	17 <i>Happy Hour Casual Pint 4-6 pm</i>	18	19
20	21 <i>Foundation Trustees Program Committee 1 pm</i>	22 <i>Enviro Committee 12 noon SAME Cafe</i>	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31	Nov. 1 <i>Coffee Connection TolHouse 8-9:30 am</i>	2