



The Gasser



Murrysville - Site of the First Commercial Gas Well

Week of October 8, 2018

Vocation Month

District 7330, Club 5241



Last week we celebrated a crab dinner at the Lamplighter with family and friends. We also celebrated Bob Neff's Birthday and Natalie Mitterder's year in France. President Gerry Cano, for the second week in a row, won the raffle.



**THE FOUR WAY TEST
OF ALL THE THINGS
WE THINK, SAY, AND
DO:**

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it build GOODWILL and better friendship?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

**2018-19
ACTIVE
MEMBERS**

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| Dave Beatty | Gene Gamble | Karl Schweisthal |
| Gerry Cano | Dennis Gounley | Pat Shaffer |
| Gene Ciafre | Brian Hart | Mike Silvert |
| Tyler Cox | John Hartman | Luke Stephens |
| Ellen Cruse | Bob Neff | Jim Walko |
| Nick Dorsch | Lane Neff | Ruth Wepfer |
| Tracey Dorsch | Ann Pauly | |
| Elaine Echols | Tony Pauly | |
| Andrew Ferri | Jamie Piraino | |
| | Bill Potter | |
| | Christa Rankenhohn | |
| | Charles Richards | |
| | Hilary Richards | |

**Join us at
The
Lamplighter,
Wednesdays**
Check schedule
below for time.

- 2018-19 Officers**
 Gerry Cano: President
 John Hartman: President-Elect
 : Vice President
 Lane Neff: Secretary
 Ann Pauly: Treasurer
 Andrew Ferri: Past President
 Dennis Gounley: Club Service
 Christa Rankenhohn: Community Service
 Gene Ciafre: Vocational Service
 Pat Shaffer: International Service
 Hilary Richards: Youth Services
 Jim Walko: PDG Advisor

- Committees**
 Foundation, Pat Shaffer
 Scholarship, Elaine Echols
 Miracle Field Pavers, Tony Pauly

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LOOKING AHEAD AT ROTARY ACTIVITIES

First & Third Week, 6:30 pm
Second & Fourth Week, Noon.

OCTOBER

October 10 - Lunch, Valentin Loritte, Exchange student from France.

October 10 - 6 pm Opening Ceremony of the Traveling Wall - those available Rotarians gather

October 10-14 - American Veterans Traveling Vietnam Wall
Murrysville Community Park

October 13-14 - Great Coat Giveaway, Laird Hall, Dave Beatty.

October 17 - Board Meeting

October 17 - Dinner, Outstanding Volunteer of the Year. Tony Pauly.

October 20 - Saturday, Chili Oktoberfest. Fireman's Pavilion.

October 24 - Lunch

October 27 - Halloween Parade

October 31 - Social

NOVEMBER

November 7 - Guy Fawks Night, Bonfire and party on the hill with the Brits! Hilary Richards & Jenny Hartman.

November 10 - Foundation Celebration. Nemaocolin Country Club, Beallsville, PA

November 14 - Lunch

November 21 - No Meeting, Thanksgiving.

November 28 - Lunch

DECEMBER

December 5 - Dinner

December 12 - Dinner, Clelian Heights Christmas Party.

December 19 - Dinner, Christmas Party, Wine paring at The Lamplighter.

Dinner 26 - Christmas Break, No Meeting

January

January 2 - New Years Break, No Meeting.

Open Program Dates in Red.

The finance committee meets the first Monday of each month.

Dear Rotarians and friends,

October 20 is the Chili Cook-off. In light of the Low Country Boil wash out, it is important to have a strong turnout for this event. Tony Paul has done a SUPER job organizing the events of August and September, the Concert in the Park sausage sell and the LCB. Watching Tony in action, I concluded he could make anything successful, but only the Lord controls the weather...next time, Tony, pray a bit more prior to the LCB. So we need a successful Chili-Cook-off. Please give freely of your time to help Tony with the event. **AND SELL TICKETS!!!**

There is the issue of MEMBERSHIP. The Club has a membership committee that will meet the first Tuesday of each month; its first meeting is 6:00 PM this Tuesday at Rivertowne Brewery. This committee will plan the strategy and the “how to make it happen” to attract new members. But you will need to help in the execution. One point: when anyone attends, either a guest or a program presenter, each of you needs to take it upon yourself to make our meeting INVITING. Also, at any event, such as the Chili Cook-Off, you need to exhibit Rotary while at the event. Simply, if talking to anyone, let them know that Rotary is not just fund-raising events, it is SERVICE ABOVE SELF. Remind them of all Rotary has done for the community such as the Miracle Field, the large pavilion at Townsend Park, and the ball field off Rt. 22 near Bondi’s Printing. Also remind them of the traditional and “looked forward to” Halloween Parade that provides fun for kids and families.

Blessings, - President Gerry