

Newark Rotary Committees 2015-2016

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DISTRICT GOVERNORS FROM NEWARK ROTARY

FRANK L BEGGS- 1927-28

DARREL JONES- 1957-58

ROBERT C. BATTAT- 1970-71

THEODORE D. GRILEY- 1976-77

DONN E. ALSPACH-1988-89

ROBERT H. MCGAUGHY- 2003-2004

DIRECTOR, ROTARY INTERNATIONAL - THEODORE D. GRILEY- 1990-1992

TRUSTEE, ROTARY INTERNATIONAL FOUNDATION- THEODORE D. GRILEY- 2001-2005

ROTOGRAM

Newark Rotary Club

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Be a gift to the world

Week of Aug. 9, 2015

Next meeting: Noon
Tuesday, Newark Doubletree Hotel, for Stephanie Johnson – Battelle education/KIPP school.

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Tuesday, Aug. 18, Newark Doubletree Hotel, for District Governor Tara Craaybeek.

Upcoming Programs

All meetings at Noon, Newark Doubletree Hotel, unless noted.

Aug. 11: Stephanie Johnson – Battelle education/KIPP school

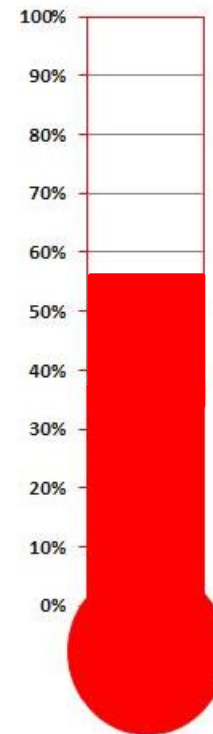
Aug. 18: District Governor Tara Craaybeek

Aug. 25: Adam Rhodes, Homestead Brewery

Sept. 1: Rotary Engagement Program Awards

100th Anniversary Project

55% participation



This week's meeting

Reporter: Michele Layman

President-Elect **Jack Neely** brought the meeting to order at 12:20 p.m. and **Tom Hall** started us singing R-O-T-A-R-Y. Rotarian **Brad Chute** led us in the invocation and Pledge of Allegiance. **Tom Hall** then announced that we get to take a break from singing and introduced Patrick Clemmins and Jenny Raugh from Weathervane Playhouse. Patrick, accompanied by Jenny, sang a number from the upcoming 2015 winter show called Chess. As always, it was fabulous and enjoyed by all.

Board Member **Jack Stickle** introduced our guests. Tom Hall had four guests including our performers as well as **Adam Carston**, artistic director at Weathervane and **Kaitlyn Brucker**, general manager at Weathervane.

Announcements:

- Auction Meeting was held Aug. 5 at **Erin Kennedy's** home.
- August Service Project - School Supplies for Newark City Schools
- A card was distributed to sign for Rotarian **Jim Murray** who had a stroke but is doing well

3 About Me: 1. Great, great grandfather was a Confederate soldier from North Carolina who had his ear shot off. 2. Went to India and China for a month with friends 3. Favorite childhood memory is riding a bike with no shoes and coming home with bloody toes making Mom mad. **Answer: Marcia Downes**

Sergeant-at-Arms: Pat Jeffries fined and welcomed back **Bob Frame** for returning after an extended absence; everyone participating in the LMH 5K walk as well as **Pattye Whisman** for being the honorary chair; **Jon Spahr** was fined for coming in second place at the Moundbuilders Country Club couple's championship golf outing finishing after Rotarian **Fred O' Dell** and his wife; **Laura Lewis** was fined for a quote regarding Park National which was in The Advocate; **Cheri Hottinger** was fined for being away so long, probably because she was so busy as the Licking County Chamber is now the largest Chamber in Central Ohio; all Ohio University grads were fined as OU is no longer the biggest party school; and Glenn Abel was fined because Illinois captured the ranking.

Program: Rotarian **Tom Cummiskey** then introduced today's speakers, Dan Risko, deputy director of regional representatives at Ohio Treasurer's Office and Frank Castoral to talk about transparency in the office.

Transparency in government finances has been a huge goal of Ohio Treasurer Josh Mandel. In 2014 Ohio ranked in 46th place for transparency and by 2015 Ohio is ranked number one in the United States. This has been achieved through an internally developed software and website called www.ohiocheckbook.com. This site can be accessed by anyone at no fee. This site contains data from 2008 to present and is easily accessible. A demo of the site was presented and the data it contains is extensive. It includes

expenses of all departments as well as the names of businesses under contract with Ohio departments. It is possible to pull up the invoice as well as the check number and how it was authorized. Comparables are easily accessed to be able to compare budgeting and costs between departments and how departments spend money over time.

Salaries are posted on the site also. This site has greatly reduced public rerecord requests because it is so easy to access. Responses to date have been very positive and between December of 2014 and August 3, 2015 there have been 267,000 searches from the site. Other information on the site includes data such as a glossary of terms, Ohio budgets, salaries and FAQ'S.

This is now being offered to all local government agencies at no charge including but not limited to villages, townships, schools, Port Authorities or any group using government money. It does not replace accounting software. To date 250 agencies have signed on to use the software and 350 have expressed interest.

Raffle: Sharad Thakkar won and donated it back to go to needy children!

Thought for the Week: "The only difference between death and taxes is that death doesn't get worse every time Congress meets." -- Will Rogers

This week's speaker: Stephanie Johnson, Battelle

Dr. Johnson is a renowned pastry chef, travel blogger, and long distance runner. Well, maybe in her dreams. Really, she thinks that all kids deserve a great education and has spent her entire career in education hoping to make that a reality.

Currently, she is a Relationship Manager with Battelle where she supports, promotes, and connects the state network of STEM hubs, schools, and training centers as well as provides connectivity to Battelle's multi-state networks. She oversees the development and dissemination of effective STEM practices through the Ohio STEM Learning Network including the development of a successful training program for STEM leaders.

She earned a Bachelor's degree in family relations and human development at The Ohio State University while she worked for Columbus City Schools and the original COSI. She was selected to join Teach for America where she taught elementary school in the Rio Grande Valley in Texas for two years. She then earned a Master's in Public Health and a Doctorate in Education from UCLA. While in Los Angeles, her work focused on school-based nutrition and physical activity programs. Finally, Dr. Johnson is married with a spunky and sweet 2 year old which means her old hobbies of reading, cooking, and traveling have been moved to the back burner for now.