Monday’s Meeting: October 15, 2018

Gus Mancy

*History of Mancy’s*

Gus Mancy, is a partner with the Mancy Restaurant Group in Toledo, Ohio. Gus, along with two brothers and two cousins operate 5 restaurants (Mancy’s Steakhouse, Mancy’s Italian, Shorty’s, Bluewater Grille and Mancy’s Ideal), a catering facility – Shorty’s Back 40 and The Bottle Shop at Mancy’s Italian. Gus is a 1982 graduate of Sylvania Northview High School and received his business degree from The Ohio State University in 1986. After a 3-year “learning” career with The Stouffer Restaurant Co. Gus returned to the family business in 1989. Since 1989, Gus and his cousin, Mike, have operated Mancy’s Steakhouse, founded in 1921 by immigrant Gus Mancy and his cousin, Nikolas Graham.

Gus, his family partners, restaurant managers and staff spend countless hours on many other projects and charity events in the NW Ohio area. The success, efforts and charity of family partners allows all Mancy’s to spend time giving back to our community. Charity is an important mission in their business philosophy. Important charities include: NW Ohio Restaurant Association Scholarship Fund. The Fund this spring will award a $2500 scholarship to a young person seeking a career in the restaurant industry. Local charity event The Zest of Toledo. The Zest brings together almost 40 chefs and restaurateurs for one night to raise money for childhood hunger relief. Mancy Family Scholarship Fund at The Ohio State University. This Scholarship will be awarded to a student from NW Ohio in the Hospitality School at Ohio State. Above all, Gus knows The Mancy Restaurants are as good as the people who work and partner with their family. Humility has been an important factor in their success and taught for three generations! The 4th generation is in training now! It takes a great team to serve great food and provide great service each and every day for almost 100 years!

His hobbies include spending time with family, golf, skiing and photography. Gus and his wife, Jennifer, have three children.

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**UPCOMING PROGRAMS**

- **Monday, October 22** — Jim Robey, W.E. Upjohn Institute
- **Monday, October 29** — Dave Zenk, Toledo Metroparks
- **The October 29 meeting will be held at the Aquarium at the Huntington Center**
- **Monday, November 5** — Psaliteh Musical Group — 100th Anniversary of WWI/Toledo Civic Hall of Fame Awards

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**SCHEDULED MEETINGS/EVENTS**

- **Monday, October 15** — Water Service Committee, 5pm, Rockwell’s
- **Tuesday, October 16** — Club Board, 7:30am, Park Inn
- **Wednesday, October 17** — Foundation Trustees, 12pm, The Toledo Club
- **Thursday, October 18** — Marketing Committee, 7:30am, The Original Pancake House
- **Monday, October 22** — Strategic Planning Committee, 11am Program Committee, 11am
Disability Service Committee’s Annual Zoo Day with Glendale Feilbach!

September 28th was a perfect day for the Disability Service Committee’s annual zoo day with the students from Glendale Feilbach and the St. Francis Interact students!
President elect, Tim Ryan, gave an update on polio at the October 1 meeting. This year to date, in the whole world, there are 18 cases of Polio. The only 3 countries with cases are Pakistan, Afghanistan and Nigeria. Despite the progress we have achieved, as long as a single child remains infected, children in all countries are at risk of contracting the disease. The poliovirus can easily be imported into a polio-free country and can spread rapidly. The failure to eradicate polio could result in as many as 200,000 new cases every year, within 10 years.

The Rotarian magazine featured an article on polio, and where we are on the quest for eradication. As printed in the October issue:

As the number of polio cases approaches zero, the challenges facing Rotary and its partners in the Global Polio Eradication Initiative are changing. We still need to reach every child with the polio vaccine – and we’re using innovative strategies to do that, in spite of geopolitical uncertainties.

But that’s only one part of our job.

We’re tackling vaccine-derived poliovirus, which can begin to spread in places where vaccine coverage is low. We’re becoming disease detectives, following up on any shred of evidence that wild poliovirus might still be circulating. And we’re fine-tuning our plan to keep the world free of polio forever.

Here’s what you need to know about where we are now.

Polio is an intestinal virus that is spread through contact with the feces of an infected person, which can contaminate water or food.

1. The virus latches onto a receptor on the surface of a cell, multiplying in the lining of the intestines.
2. It enters the cell and hijacks the cell’s own machinery to make copies of itself.
3. The virus is released to infect neighboring cells, spreading from the digestive tract to lymph nodes and the bloodstream.
4. The virus replicates and is excreted through feces, starting the cycle again.


To read the full article click here
Over 70 Rotarians and friends joined together on Wednesday, October 3rd at the Paula Brown shop for Polio Plus at the PUB. President Dick Wolff wowed the crowd with his musical abilities, followed by Rotarian Jonathan Rodebaugh and his band, the Strangerlings. Thanks to all those who attended and contributed, we raised over $1,900 to help eradicate polio!
Don grew up in the Metro Detroit Area (hence his love of the Detroit Tigers). Don has a BA from Taylor University, an MBA from Indiana University and has completed executive courses at Pennsylvania State University, University of Pennsylvania Wharton School of Business, and The University of Toledo. Working for Consolidated Rail Corporation for 11 years in a variety of industrial engineering, transportation improvement, market analysis and economic development roles took him to the Indianapolis, Philadelphia and Pittsburgh areas. Don and his family made Sylvania their home in 1986. For over 28 years Don has excelled as the Marketing Director for Dunbar Mechanical, responsible for all marketing and sales activities as well as the negotiation of customer contracts. The firm notes that Don has been instrumental in helping Dunbar grow from $24 million to over $100 million in annual revenue. Don is now undertaking one of his biggest professional challenges -- helping Dunbar transition into a division of Limbach Holdings Inc, a $625 million construction and service company.

Don and his wife of 44 years, Ellen, have two grown children. His son, Daniel, is a professional civil engineer living with his wife Jennifer and Don’s favorite grandchildren, Andrew and Emily, in Chesterton, IN. Daughter Jennifer is a Dance Movement Therapist in Boston, MA. When not working, rooting for the Detroit Tigers or the Toledo Mud Hens, or busy in one of the 15 local and state-wide organizations Don helps to lead, you will find him behind a camera or in the basement enjoying his hobbies of photography and model railroading. Most notably for us Rotarians, Don is a Paul Harris fellow and a former member of the Sylvania Rotary Club.

Welcome New Member: Don Yerks!

You are Invited:
18th Annual Great Lakes Water Conference

Friday, November 2
University of Toledo College of Law

Titled “Regional Water and More,” the conference will feature three panels of law and policy experts. One panel will concentrate on Ohio, including a possible regional approach to drinking water among the city of Toledo and nearby communities. A second panel will discuss the trend toward regionalization of water and sewer systems beyond the Buckeye State, including the new regional authority in the Detroit area. A third panel will address the rights of recreational paddlers versus private landowners, developments in the legal fight against algae in Lake Erie, and regulation of discharges of pollutants to groundwater under the federal Clean Water Act.

Darren Nichols, executive director of the Great Lakes Commission, will be the keynote speaker. The conference is sponsored by the College of Law and its Legal Institute of the Great Lakes.

The one-day conference is free to the public. Registration is $75 for attorneys seeking 4.5 hours of Ohio CLE. For more information about the conference, see the conference brochure; for CLE or a box lunch, register online.

New Member Orientation!

All new members and their significant others are invited to the new member orientation

Thursday, October 25
5:00pm

To be held at Mannik and Smith Group
1800 Indian Wood Circle, Maumee

appetizers and beverages will be served
**Euchre Time! Let the Fun Begin!**

**Euchre Fellowship**
Embassy Condo Clubhouse—Maumee

*BYOB—BYO Snacks! $5 to play—high score wins the pot!*

- Friday, October 26, 7:00 pm
- Friday, November 16, 7:00 pm
- Friday, January 18, 7:00 pm
- Friday, February 22, 7:00 pm
- Friday, March 22, 7:00 pm

Contact Kathy Tate to sign up or for more information!
419-241-7060 or [email]

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**Rotary Kids Day**

Saturday, October 27th
9:00-11:30AM
Toledo Middlegrounds Metropark
111 Ottawa St. Toledo

$5 per student registration

Rotarians and their children and/or grandchildren in grades K—4 are invited to a special workshop focusing on clean water and our world. With help from Metroparks Toledo and area Rotarians, kids will experience hands-on learning about water and how they can make a difference. This is the 1st program of a series of 4 Rotary Kids’ Days! Stay tuned for more Rotary Kids workshops on music, tree planting and food insecurity this year!

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Past Program: October 1, 2018
Doug Mead, Dave Gierke & David Saygers
TSA Update

Doug Mead, Director for TSA, said this is the beginning of their 20th anniversary season and believes they are one of the most successful charter schools in the country. As a charter school, they are open to any resident in the state of Ohio. They currently house over 700 students from over 25 different districts, serving grades 6-12, and employ over 90 faculty and staff. TSA is engaged in over 150 events a year, making them one of the premier providers of arts & culture in the Toledo area. They believe that academic and arts education are not mutually exclusive. TSA has received several accolades over the past several years, including being rated the top charter school in Ohio (twice), a governor's award for innovation, and rated as one of the top college prep schools in the state. They believe arts education allows students to connect better with the material in the classroom. David Saygers, artistic director, said there are 5 broad disciplines for the students to study—music, dance, theatre, visual arts and creative writing, however, all of their academic studies take place at TSA as well. They strive for the highest possible quality and some of their students even work at a professional level. TSA believes that expectations drive accomplishment, expecting their students to work at the very highest levels. Students regularly perform throughout the community—providing the dual opportunities of authentic experience, as well as increasing the school’s visibility. The school has partnerships with the Toledo Museum of Art, where students work as teen apprentices, as well as with the Toledo Symphony. The arts are even integrated into the regular academic lesson plans. Dave Gierke, director of development, thanked the Club for our support to TSA over the years. Our Club allowed them to purchase their first PA system, which enables them to go out and perform. TSA has also been able to purchase multiple musical instruments, theatre and other art equipment with the funds granted to them. For the future of TSA, they are hoping to break ground on an addition on to the back of their existing building within the next 3 years. The idea is to create a community portal where they could have a showroom, have a retail store to sell the students artwork, as well as increase their space and make it safer for the students.

The October 1 meeting can be viewed here: Doug Mead, Dave Gierke & David Saygers

Meal with a Mission
October 15, 2018 | 6 p.m. | Real Seafood Co. | Toledo

Join us for an evening of food and fun at the Real Seafood Company in Toledo. You’ll have the opportunity to enjoy a meal with friends, hear about the great work Ohio Living Home Health & Hospice is doing and support our mission.

Please RSVP by October 12
419.865.1499 or bamptor@ohioliving.org
October Birthdays

Luke Shipp—1
Gregor Emmert—1
Dianne Barndt—2
Janina Douglas—2
Hana Mourad—2
Hunt Sears—3
Joshua Schuyler—5
Jani Miller—7
Reg Jackson—8
Lauren Smith—8
Sharon Gaber—9
Vicki Stouffer—11
Mark Urrutia—11
Bob Harold—11
Pat Bowe—12
Majida Mourad—12
Jim Knapp—13
Doug Miller—14
Robert Maxwell—14
Daric Peppers—15
Zac Isaacs—17
Lew Rosenbloom—17
Dick Arnos—17
Doug Kearns—20
Dave DiManna—20
Denny Johnson—21
Andy Fox—21
Kate MacPherson—23
Jim Harpen—23
Mike George—24
Paul Schlatter—26
Joe Zavac—27
Jack Hollister—27
Priscilla D’Anniballe—28
Sean Finn—29
Erwin Effler—30
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