Monday’s Meeting: January 7, 2019
Becky Spencer
100th Anniversary of YMCA Storer Camps

YMCA Storer Camps is located in the Irish Hills of Michigan, on 1200 acres, surrounding Stony Lake and just an hour’s drive from Toledo. Storer is owned and operated by the YMCA of Greater Toledo, and has been providing life changing experiences for youth and young adults for over 100 years. Becky Spencer will share Storer’s past and present, and how facilities, the outdoor environment, programs, and activities help children be more successful in school, improve their health and well-being. Spencer will also show how Storer’s impact keeps people connected throughout the generations.

Becky’s YMCA career started at YMCA Storer Camps in 1981 as a program educator for the Outdoor Education program. She is a graduate of BGSU.

In 1982 she moved to the Toledo Y where she developed and grew the multi-site early education and afterschool programs to serve 5000 children annually. She left Toledo in 2008 to work with the Central Florida YMCA to operate Child Development programs for Walt Disney World. In 2011, family responsibilities brought her back to Toledo. For the next three years she was the executive director of Partners in Education and she was an active Toledo Rotary Club member during this time. Becky’s current role is Vice President of Camping at YMCA Storer Camps.

Since 1991, Becky, along with awesome volunteers and support from the Y development department has raised between $100,000 and $1,000,000 annually to assure quality facilities and affordable access to Y programs for all children. Becky is married to Larry, has two adult children and two granddaughters who are fourth generations campers at Storer.

INSIDE THIS ISSUE

Get Involved!
♦ Brass & Brews New Member Committee and TSO Open Rehearsal Event--Come One/Come All!

Last Week’s Program
♦ Toledo Symphony Holiday Program

Members in The News!
♦ Kevin Miller--Ottawa Hills Schools
♦ Stephanie Kuhlman--NAI Harmon
♦ Toledo Ranked #1 Among Minor League Sports Towns

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

Monday, January 14—Brian Kennedy, Toledo Museum of Art
Monday, January 21—NO MONDAY MEETING, Martin Luther King Day
Monday, January 28—Adam Cassi—Recycling the Right Way, Keep Toledo Beautiful
Monday, February 4—TBA

SCHEDULED MEETINGS/EVENTS

Thursday, January 10—New Member Committee & TSO Present: Brass & Brews—Buy tickets here
Monday, January 7—New Member Committee, 1pm
Monday, January 14—Community Service, 1pm
Thursday, January 10—Disability Service, 1pm
Tuesday, January 15—Club Board, Park Inn, 7:30am
Wednesday, January 16—Peace Strategies, 5pm, Mt. Nebo Baptist Church
Monday, January 28—Program Committee, 11:00am
It is due to the countless Toledo Rotarians who give unselfishly, which enables us to provide these grants. Thank you to everyone who continues to support our Toledo Rotary Club Foundation so we can continue to aid in supporting the needs of our community.
Superintendent of the Year

Ottawa Hills schools Superintendent, and fellow Rotarian, Kevin Miller has been named superintendent of the year by the state’s administrators’ association. Mr. Miller received the award during the Buckeye Association of School Administrators’ executive meeting, and was honored Tuesday at the Ottawa Hills school board meeting. The award means Mr. Miller, who became superintendent in June, 2010, is automatically entered into the national superintendent of the year competition. The past five Ohio superintendents of the year decided the winner. Ottawa Hills is the only district in the state to earn all A’s on the state report cards for four straight years.

NAR National Commercial Award

Fellow Rotarian, Stephanie Kuhlman, has been awarded the National Association of Realtors Commercial Award, one of 79 in the nation, and the only recipient in Northwest Ohio! The National Association of REALTORS® is America’s largest trade association, representing 1.3 million members involved in all aspects of the residential and commercial real estate industries. Award recipients are REALTOR® members of the National Association of REALTORS and nominated by their state, local board, or commercial group for recognition of their professional achievements at the national level.

Toledo Ranked #1 Among Minor League Sports Towns!

Toledo’s sports franchises have made the top spot on a list of minor league cities in America. The website Livability.com ranked Toledo as the No. 1 minor league sports city in the country. The website states the world famous Mud Hens baseball club and the popular Walleye hockey team offers economical experience backed by a rabid fan base.

“You can have a minor league team that performs well, but is everyone in town headed to the game on Friday night or is it just something a small portion of the population enjoys attending?” Birdwell-Branson, the author of the article, said. “Toledo consistently has big crowds and big enthusiasm at both Mud Hens and Walleye games.” In the article, Toledo’s minor league sports scene was singled out for our historical significance, winning tradition and revitalization of the downtown area.

President and CEO of the Walleye and Mud Hens, and fellow Toledo Rotarian, Joe Napoli, said the recognition was a “community-wide effort”. “What’s been incredibly impressive is the fan support through thick and thin. We’ve been through a major recession, losing seasons, rainy summers, and cold winters. It doesn’t matter to Walleye and Hens fans. They always support the teams. They create an atmosphere at Fifth Third Field and Huntington Center that is second to none.”
Celebrate Six Month Membership Badge Change!

As a Toledo Rotarian, we wear our name badges proudly. New members receive a red name badge when they join, so other members can recognize them as new to the Club and welcome them in! After 6 months of membership, new members ‘red badges’ are switched to a ‘white badge’. To recognize their involvement and participation within our Club, President Dick Wolff will recognize the current group of new members who have reached their six-month milestone as members of Toledo Rotary! Please join us on Monday, January 14th to help recognize and celebrate the following members!

Michael Abernathy  
Tom Blakely  
Jim Boswell  
Kevin Carr  
Brad Delventhal  
Jodi Farschman  
Tom Fields  
Jeffrey Hassan  
Marcus Henderson  
Curt Hitchner  
Casey Holck

Heather Karns  
Rob Keleghan  
Will Lewis  
Michelle McCaster  
Cheryl McCullumsmith  
Charine Mourad  
Max Reddish  
Whitney Rofkar  
Chad Rutkowski  
Lauren Smith  
Jeff Stegeman

Vicki Stouffer  
Stephen Vasquez  
Marvin Whitfield  
Ryan Whitman  
Daniel Woodcock  
Donald Yerks  
Molly Zraik
January Sponsor

When business is booming, your need for tax planning and all-inclusive business consulting is top of mind. Your first call should be to someone who knows you and your business. Our trustworthy advice, answers and guidance take the stress out of every challenge and change.


Rehmann
rehmann.com/growing  419.865.8118

Euchre Fellowship
Embassy Condo Clubhouse—Maumee

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

NEXT GAME:

Friday, January 11, 7:00 pm

Contact Kathy Tate to sign up or for more information!
419-241-7060 or email
Past Program: December 17, 2018
Toledo Symphony Chamber Orchestra
Annual Holiday Concert
The Toledo Symphony Chamber Orchestra and 3 of their student performers filled the room with holiday music during the Toledo Rotary annual Holiday Concert and sing-a-long, celebrating a 30-year tradition at Toledo Rotary.
January Birthdays

Judd Johnson—2
Bill McElheney—2
Peter Wishart—3
Gary Corrigan—4
Todd Michaelsen—4
Nick Cron—4
Judy Potter—5
Marvin Whitfield—6
Jason Kusma—7
Amira Gohara—7
James Caldwell—11
David Theiss—12
Sanford Lubin—13
Mario Procaccini—14
Roy Cherry—14
Rob Keleghan—15
Creston Tarrant—16
John Schwartz—17
Alex Due—17
Jim Scheib—18
Tim Saddoris—18
Dennis Schroder—19
Jeff Cole—20
Kati McDougle—20
Matt Adkins—21
Ben Brown—22
Justin Moor—24
Kathy Selking—24
Tom Uhler—24
Bill Buckley—26
Brad Rubini—27
Frank Viviano—27
Michael Galbraith—28
Katie Hahn—29
Barton Wagenman—29
Mary Mancini—30
Dan Peffley—31
Todd Myers—31
Tom Kabat—31

Be a Monthly Meeting Sponsor
Only May & June of 2019 Still Available!
$350
Spoke Advertising—1/4 page
Featured in Monday meeting Power Point
Featured on website/hotlink—1 month
Contact the Rotary office

Club Officers and Directors
President | Dick Wolff
President-Elect | Tim Ryan
1st Vice President | Peter Handwork
2nd Vice President | Alex Due
Secretary-Treasurer | Jim Kniep
Board Members | Charles Asah, Cindy Binkley, Bob Dinardo, Janina Douglas, Steve Johnson, Dean Niese, John Roemer, Dan Skilliter

Foundation Officers and Trustees
Chairman | Kathy Mikolajczak
Vice Chairman | Eric Fankhauser
Secretary-Treasurer | Brian Kennedy
Trustees | Tom Backoff, Louise Jackson, Judy Leb, Mary Mancini, Gary Murphy, Chuck Stocking

Staff
Executive Director | Kathy Tate
Marketing/Communications Coordinator | Emily Skilliter
Toledo Rotary Website | toleдорotary.org
Toledo Rotary Phone | 419.241.7060

Rotary International
President | Barry Rassin
Governor, District 6600 | Maris Brenner
Area 4 Assistant Governor | Dave Dennis
RI Website | rotary.org

V+A Risk Services
WWW.AVTECHPRODUCTIONS.COM
419-725-0138
Serving the Toledo and Northwest Ohio Region Since 2006
Rental • Sales • Installation