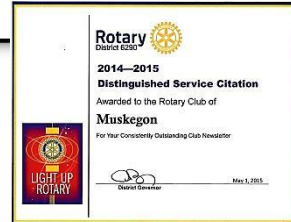


"Service Above Self"

# Muskegon Rotary in Motion

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## Muskegon Rotary Club

Club 16 (2809) - District 6290, Chartered May 1, 1916

July 26, 2018 12:00 - 1:30pm

Lake House Waterfront Grille

ReWine Satellite Club 5:15 - 6:30pm Holiday Inn

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### THE FOUR WAY TEST THAT ROTARIANS USE IN MAKING ETHICAL DECISIONS:

Is it the **truth**? Is it **fair** to all concerned? Will it build **goodwill** and better **friendships**? Will it be **beneficial** to all concerned?



## (July 26) "Meta Peace Team" Diversion & Inclusion Committee

This is it: the absolute edge of no return: to turn back now and make home or sail irrevocably on and either find land or plunge over the world's roaring rim" - William Faulkner

### MEETER / GREETER

Andy Buelow

### INVOCATOR - REFLECTOR

Jeremy Williams

### THIS WEEK'S MENU

Barbecue Chicken Buffet - which will be served with a garden salad bar, potato salad, coleslaw, cookies & brownies.

### NEXT WEEK'S BIRTHDAYS

Don Crandall	Jul 27
Dave Manley	Jul 27
Connie Maxim-Sparrow	Jul 30
Steve Dangel	Jul 31
Joan Schmitt	Jul 31
Jane Johnson	Aug 1

### FUTURE PROGRAMS/ EVENTS

07/24 Muskegon Clippers Baseball outing  
07/26 Meta Peace Team  
07/27 Diversion & Inclusion Committee mtg  
08/02 Muskegon's Indian Cemetery  
08/07 Leadership Team mtg  
08/08 Community Service Projects mtg  
08/09 El Salvador 2018 Report  
08/16 Segregated Sundays  
08/23 Volunteers for Dental  
08/30 Boys & Girls Club  
09/06 Justice for Our Neighbors  
09/08 Roger Anderson Award - MCClub  
09/13 Muskegon-Africa Connection  
09/25 New Member Get Together-Lox's  
10/03 Grape Escape, the Happening event  
10/04 MCCollege Fitness Center  
10/18 Lakeshore Museum

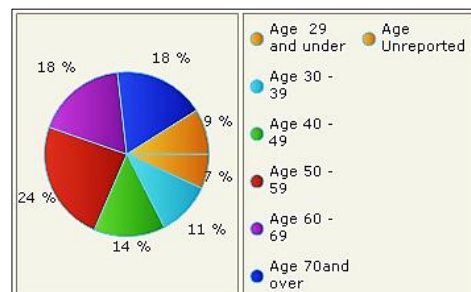


### QUESTIONING WHO WE ARE

How many times - rhetorically, of course - have you appeared on a quiz show or found yourself in the middle of member recruiting when suddenly you're asked a sticky-wicket Muskegon Rotary question, one you've answered 100 tons of times but now, of all things, your mind has slipped into "heavy napping" mode? What, oh what, to do?

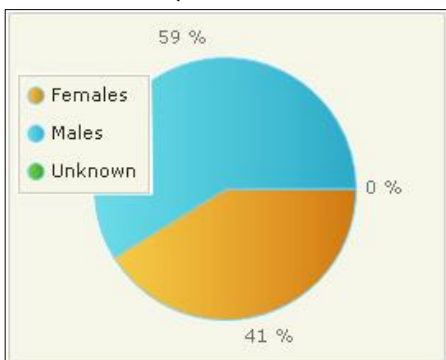
Thanks to ClubRunner, here are charts answering three of the most common queries; feel free to cut them out for placement in pocket or purse.

### --- CHRONOLOGICAL QUERY



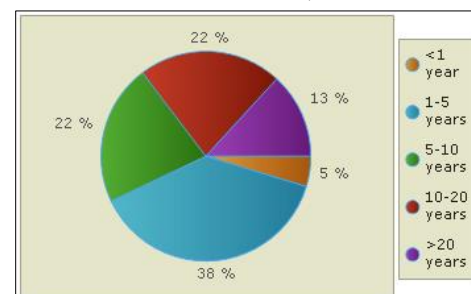
Just about when our Membership Directory is to be published, and all CR personnel profile blanks were to be filled, we find that 7% of members didn't report their age. Why? We must find out.

### --- GENDER QUERY



Rotary ladies have come a long way since 1916, when our Club was brand spankin' new. From 0% to 41% in only 102 years - WOW - quite a feat!

### --- ROTARY SERVICE QUERY



The categories for 0-5 years a Rotarian are quite hefty - 43% - indicating strong recruiting and retention emphasis.

### --- QUERY QUERY

Surely you jest, and don't call me "Surely."

## Since July 2017 MEMBER CHANGES

### NO LONGER MEMBERS:

Jennifer Baily  
Richard Carlson  
Lee Coggin  
Bill Erickson  
Andrea Fearnley  
Joseph Finkler  
Edward Garner  
Willie German  
Pam Harris  
Greg Helmer  
Robert Huisingh  
Tamara Jackson-Gatewood  
Chad Lawie  
Ricki Levine  
Gina Lister  
Bob Lukens  
Cecil MacLaren  
Roman Marciniak  
Tredd Morris  
Nathaniel O'Brien  
William Pennington  
Luke Seward  
David Stradal  
Scott Sytsema  
Jack Tierney  
Corey Watson  
Michael Youngdahl

### NEW MEMBERS:

Viktor Anderson  
Venancia Avorque  
Adam Bell  
Jill Bonthuis  
Andrew Buelow  
Katherine Ely  
Diane Fleser  
Trent Hancock  
Jocelyn Hines  
Aaron Maike  
Eric Messing  
Susan Meston  
Lisa Metzdorf  
LeighAnn Mikesell  
Jane Mountain  
Mike Muskovin  
Myrna Alberca Olsen  
Claire Root-Bensen  
Victoria Schneider  
Kristy Sweet  
Robert Taylor  
Darryl Todd  
Katie VanDoeselaar  
Amy West

## GRAPE ESCAPE

Our major  
fundraiser  
of the year  
  
**OCTOBER 3**  
Tell family  
and friends



**GRAPE ESCAPE**  
hors d'oeuvres • libations • philanthropy

Please join us for Muskegon Rotary's **15th Annual Grape Escape Event**. It is our signature fundraising event and we hope to see you there! Enjoy tasting of local foods and libations, and bid on unique silent auction items to help raise funding for Muskegon Rotary Club programs and this year's charity partner, Mission for Area People.

**WEDNESDAY  
OCTOBER 3, 2018**  
6:00 - 9:00 PM

**FRAUENTHAL CENTER FOR PERFORMING ARTS**

### On Stage This Week



**Meta Peace Team (MPT)**, formerly **Michigan Peace Team**, is a nonprofit, grassroots organization founded in 1993 that seeks to pursue peace through active nonviolence and create an alternative to militarism through empowered peacemaking.

### Visiting Rotarians / Guests

Visiting Rotarians: Karen Benson, Grand Haven; Kevin Woods, Bloomington, IL; and Patrick Meyer, Mason, MI.

Guests: Grand River Office VP and prospective member Douglas Brown (Tim Arter); Nancy Christie (Paul Christie); Trophy Class Real Estate's Vicki Wynne-Parry (Dale Strasler); Cathy Powers (Tom Powers); Emme Collet (Darlene Collet)



### Muskegon Holiday Inn

Thursdays 5:15 – 6:30pm  
**ON BIKE TIME HIATIS THIS WEEK**

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This photo says a lot: she's forever a delight to have around. **Nancy McCarthy**, left, played an important role in last week's meeting and will head up this week's Meta Peace program.



2018 SERVICE AWARDS

**Fifty + Years of Service**

Roger Andersen – 53	David Hogan – 50
Leslie Johnson – 51	Robert Landman – 51

**Forty – Forty Nine Years of Service**

Alan Alport – 41	William Marietti – 42
John Briggs – 44	Richard Witham – 47

**Thirty – Thirty Nine Years of Service**

Paul Christie – 37	Timothy Lipan – 34
Steven Dangel – 33	Bob Scolnik – 30
Philip Dickinson – 32	John Snider – 33
Eugene Fethke – 34	Roger Spoelman – 36
Jim Fisher – 31	

**Twenty – Twenty Nine Years of Service**

David Bloomfield – 23	Mike Kleveland – 24
Nancy Crandall – 23*	Richard Kramer – 21
Martha Ferriby – 23*	Bill Loxtonman – 20
Mary Anne Gorman – 27*	Nancy McCarthy – 29*
William Johanson – 27	Gary Post – 27
Judith Johnson – 26*	Tom Powers – 26
Linda Juarez – 25*	Remington Sprague – 25

**Ten – Nineteen Years of Service**

Dave Alexander – 10	Susan Meston – 16
Pamela Rabbitt – 11	Mark Meyers – 14
Heather Brick – 11	Gary Neland – 15
Cathy Brubaker-Clarke – 12	John Noling – 12
Bob Chapla – 10	Stephen Olson – 18
Jane Glingman-Scott – 17	Jason Rowley – 13
Susan Cloutier Crain – 11	Sylvia Precious – 11
Dan Crandall – 14	David Ramos – 11
Kevin Donovan – 11	Eric Ringelberg – 12
Jeffery Fisher – 10	Christine Robere – 15
Jeff Fortenbacher – 11	John Rupert – 15
Michael Hansen – 16	Kate Scarbrough – 10
Judy Hayer – 16	James Schilt – 16
Edwin Hendrickson – 18	Joan Schmitt – 10
Holly Hughes – 17	Brianna Scott – 11
Robert Irwin – 15	Eric Seifert – 13
Annette Jack – 17	Ginny Sprague – 12
Jane Johnson – 14	John Sysma – 11
Tony Johnson – 10	Timothy Vander Haar – 11
Carnille Jourden-Mark – 17	John Wahlberg – 11
Morton Carter – 16	Joshua Wallace – 11
Karen Kayes – 12	Jay Wallace, Jr. – 14
William Kordupel – 17	Patricia Walstra – 12
Girdy Larsen – 18	Jeremy Wilkins – 14
Aaron Makiie – 14	Thomas Wamer – 15
Chris McGuigan – 19	

\* Indicates longest serving women

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## SERVICE ABOVE SELF

Here are the names of long-time Rotarians honored last week at Club. Many thanks to the Service Awards Committee folks who obviously put in many hours to ensure the program's success. Congratulations also to the honorees for their contributions in many forms.

Click for easier reading:  
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Kevin Ricco and Erin Kuhn, below, highly polished public speakers in their



own right had lots of good things to say about the honored guests.



## Les Johnson's Award

## Muskegon Rotary Board

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## SENIOR, SENIOR MEMBERS

Members for over half a century are: from left, Dave Hogan, 50 yrs; Roger Andersen, 53 yrs; Bob Landman, 51 yrs; and, absent, Les Johnson, 51 yrs.



There was plenty of discussion Thursday about the vote of all-male Muskegon Rotary to let women join the Club 30 years ago in 1988. Above, from left, Erin Kuhn introduces some of early lady Rotarians: Nancy McCarthy, 29 yrs; Nancy Crandall, 23 yrs; Marty Ferriby, 23 yrs; Mary Anne Gorman, 27 yrs; and Linda Juarez, 27 yrs.

Ginny Sprague and Nancy McCarthy, below, honored



Paul Harris Award recipient.

Dr. Paul Christie, third generation Rotarian, as our newest



# Recognizing, reflecting and remembering – Muskegon Rotary Club 2018 Service Awards

By RIM Reporter Ammy Seymour

Last week's program was organized by The Retention & Engagement Committee: Co-Chairs Brianna Scott and Kevin Ricco; and members Kathy Moore, Dave Manley, Doug Wood, Erin Kuhn, Gary Nelund, and Josh Wallace.

Muskegon Rotary follows The Four Way Test and the values of this creed are exemplified thru its members... We honor those Rotarians who have committed decades of Service Above Self by recognizing them in the following categories (see previous page):

- 10 – 19 Years
- 20 - 29 Years (Certificates)
- 30 - 39 Years (Pins)
- 40 - 49 Years (Plaques)
- 50 or more Years (Trophies)

Highlights:

- The Muskegon Rotary has had 103 Presidents since 1916, eight of whom have been women
- The late **Pat Johnson** was the first woman Rotarian to join in January 1988, followed by **Sue Wierengo**
- Original Service Project – Camp Emery, was a camp accessible to all children with disabilities
- **Nancy McCarthy**, second Rotary woman president, recalled breaking thru the gender gap
- **Tim Lipan** reflected on the 'great' generation of Rotarians that encouraged service
- **Bill Marietti** was the youngest Rotarian (29 years old) at the time of his induction

- **Jack Briggs** covered "The Club or The Forum"
- **Bob Landman** remembers **Al Rockwood** who insisted on offering desserts at each meeting... thank you Al!
- **Roger Andersen** reminisced:
  - Attendance was required, passing out cigars to all members after his second child was born, and everyone smoked them at the meeting! The best asset of Rotary is the people.

We salute all our Rotarians past, present and future as we continue to define what ROTARY means by the results we achieve across the globe, in our communities, and in ourselves.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

THANK YOU – Reeths-Puffer Interact Club for helping financially to build schools in the Dominican Republic.

**Susan Crain**, Assistant Governor of District 6290, wanted to share the Vision Statement of Rotary International, encouraging you to consider how Rotary resonates within you.



**"TOGETHER, WE SEE A WORLD WHERE PEOPLE UNITE AND TAKE ACTION TO CREATE LASTING CHANGE – ACROSS THE GLOBE, IN OUR COMMUNITIES, AND IN OURSELVES."**

**Jim Fisher** invites us all to celebrate **Roger Andersen – Lifetime Leadership Award** on Saturday, September 8, at the Muskegon Country Club.

Where's my Rotary badge?  
Contact: **Darlene Collet**

Family & Cost Friendly event hosted by our Social Committee – Rotary Clipper Carload Party at historic Marsh Field Tuesday, July 24, 7:05pm)! For \$10.00 gather as many friends and family as you can in your car, enjoy a hotdog, chips and a drink while watching baseball at a classic ballpark – spend priceless time with those you love

Fellow Rotarians and Friends...

Thanks to help from many of you, our new Membership Directory will soon be printed and distributed at Club. Meanwhile, an electronic version is available by clicking the link below, making it now possible to easily carry this handy booklet with you on your device. Enjoy your Directory.

Membership Directory:  
<http://bit.ly/2LrD50b>

Committee: **Cathy Brubaker-Clarke, Nancy Crandall, Jackie Fisher, Amy Gustin, Bill Johanson, Kathy Moore, Ginny Sprague**, and other researchers and/or photographers too shy, too numerous, or in hiding too well for the rest of us to remember them

