



# Rota-Wheel

Rotary Club of Jackson

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 Cindy Conant, editor

Club No. 2934 • District 6360  
 July 2020

## 2019-2020 Club Officers

### Executive Officers

Lesia Pikaart 2021  
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### Board of Directors

Steve Bennett 2022

Tom DuMont 2020

Dianna Hueber 2020

Becky Mayer 2021

Johnna Maurer 2022

Bob Reizner 2021

Tom Rooney 2020

Sara Tackett 2021

### Committee Chairs

Steve Makulski - Club Administration

TBD - Foundation

Shelly K & Bridget Simone -- Mem'ship

Phil Moilanen - Nominating

Val Herr - Programs

Andrea Davis - PR/Marketing

TBD - Sergeant-at-Arms

TBD - House Set-Up

Cindy Conant - Rota-Wheel Editor  
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## President's Celebration Lunch

Wednesday, July 1, 2020  
 Noon

Urban Fishery Pavilion  
 (near the Cascades Rotary Bandshell)



Come join the club at the  
 Urban Fishery Pavilion  
 to celebrate  
 President Lesia's year as president  
 of the Rotary Club of Jackson.

We will be gathering  
 to let her know what a great job  
 she has done during this interesting year.

Food choices are "boxed" lunches from Cascades Manor House.

1. Turkey club on croissant with chips and fruit.
2. Chef salad with choice of ranch, Italian or honey mustard. Served with a roll and fruit.

Dessert will also be provided

Guests are \$12, Rotarians are free

RSVP to Monica Bannasch  
 with yes or no response  
 and with your food choice.

Call or text: 517-917-1317  
 Email: [moniraemak@gmail.com](mailto:moniraemak@gmail.com)





## Ramp Build on Saturday, June 27, 2020

The small and very determined crew who worked on this ramp for two full days to its finish:

Jim Conant and guests

Brogan and Kalex Dodge

Jon Hart

Butch Hasenwinkle     Amber Otis

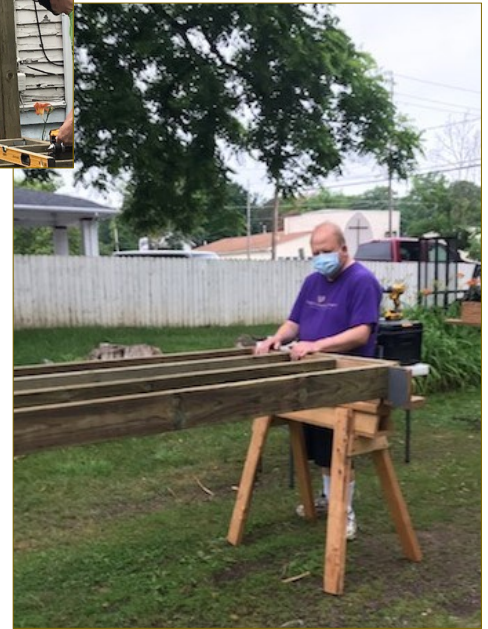
Mark Hobus             Manya Otis

Kathy Lincoln          Lesia Pikaart

Joe Natter



Special thanks to this crew who stuck with the job to the end.







Serving the 15 Southwest counties of Michigan

## Highlights from District 6360 District Conference



### Congratulations to Terri Papiersky for being chosen as our Club Hero.



Terri has been a member of our club since 2003. She is Paul Harris Fellow, has served as club secretary and put in a lot of work into keeping attendance, making sure the records are complete and accurate. Terri has been a faithful contributor and worker for the Michigan Center Halloween Party each year.

We honor Terri Papiersky as our 2019-2020 Club Hero.



The District Conference included Rotarians from all around our District 6360. It was an honor for all of us to learn that our club earned an award for Foundation giving.

2019-2020 Average TRF Giving Greater than \$100 per capita			
Charlotte	\$160.44	Lakeshore	\$ 143.32;
Climax	\$355.00	Lansing	\$ 118.25;
East Lansing	\$166.07; \$163.39/cap	Mason	\$ 172.50
Gull Lake	\$391.92; \$136.34/cap	Plainwell	\$ 109.41
Haslett-Okemos	\$153.22	Portage	\$ 287.46;
Hastings	\$102.68	South Haven	\$ 135.18;
Jackson	\$350.43	Union City	\$ 108.33
Kalamazoo	\$128.43	Williamston SR	\$ 129.84;
Kalamazoo SR	\$1,279.98; \$235.00/cap		



A lovely memorial was performed honoring those Rotarians who have passed away this year. Our own Don Siegel and Bill Marcoux were among those remembered for their contributions to Rotary and our communities.



## Phil Moilanen Awarded the 2020 Excalibur Award

American Cancer Society (ACS) Cancer Action Network (CAN) has awarded Phil Moilanen their 2020 Excalibur Award.

This award is given for a member's multiple years of service. Phil has been a volunteer for ACS since 1970 and a member of ACS CAN since its founding in 2001. He has cultivated relationships in our state legislature and Congress and has been a committed spokesman for ACS CAN and advocate for cancer patients.



We offer our congratulations to Phil for receiving this well deserved award and for his dedication to ACS CAN and their mission.

### July Birthdays

Bob Michaels	7/1
Shelly Kasprzycki	7/11
Cindy Conant	7/17
Dean Anderson	7/30

### July Anniversaries

Phil Moilanen	7/01/76
Matt Augustine	7/01/78
Al Herman	7/01/84
Randy Graichen	7/01/10
Sandy Graichen	7/01/10
Lesia Pikaart	7/05/11
John Billingsley	7/25/12
Laura Mobley-Corn	7/31/13

### July Programs

July 1	President's Celebration Lunch
July 8	President Dianna Hueber The New Year Kick-Off
July 15	Bill Donahue How Technique responded to Covid-19
July 22	TBA
July 30	TBA
August 12	District Governor, Nathan Triplett Annual Visit

### Last Week's Program



Adam Cieply, District Executive at Michigan Crossroads Council, Boy Scouts of America, was the speaker last week. He gave a brief overview of the Boy Scouts in Jackson and Boy Scouts in general, especially since girls were an addition to the Boy Scouts of America.



Michigan Crossroads  
Council



## Rotary Opens Opportunities



**Register NOW** for **VIRTUAL District Governor Handover**  
or send your regrets that you cannot attend

*“Celebrate Rotary Opening Opportunities”*

You and your guest are invited to a 'virtual evening together' to celebrate the  
District 6360 District Governor Handover on

**Wednesday, July 1, 2020, 6:00- 7:30 PM**



*Keynote Address by Michigan Lt. Governor [Garlin Gilchrist](#)*

**District Governor Margie Haas will be 'passing the gavel'  
to East Lansing Rotarian Nathan Triplett**

Event will be via Zoom- Link will be sent to you directly the day prior

*Questions or assistance registering: Please contact Ingrid Nova  
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