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Wolf Lant, Assistant District Governor, introduced District Governor **Steve Heiser**. DG Heiser became a member of Columbus Rotary in July 1998. His Club has awarded him their Service Above Self Award for Vocational Service in 2006. He has attended three RI Conventions (2005 in Chicago, 2013 in Lisbon, and 2017 in Atlanta) and has traveled to Nairobi, Kenya with other Columbus Rotarians to visit their Club's project, Rafiki, an orphanage/village and school for children whose parents have AIDS. He was elected to the Columbus Rotary Board and began his Board service in July 2010 and assumed the position of Club President in July 2013.

In 2016, he began serving as an Assistant Governor to four (4) Clubs in District 6690. He is a member of the Paul Harris Society and an annual contributor to Polio Plus.

First, Steve provided answers to the 3 questions he asked our Club earlier in the week.

Favorite Service Project: West Broad Elementary, Bed Brigade, Guatemala

Favorite Meetings: Grad Day, Tim May and Roger Blackwell

Most Admired Club Members: 37 different Rotarians

Steve then read his prepared remarks focusing on this year's Rotary theme, "Rotary Opens Opportunities"

Some highlights:

- Remember why you are a Rotarian
- Fellowship and service important to having full life
- Look out for those not engaged
- Find service projects
- Embrace the change of new types of clubs...traditional, e-clubs, Rotaract clubs, cause-based clubs and passport clubs
- Hold an annual strategy meeting to ask - and honestly answer - if we are doing all we can for our members and if our club reflects the community we serve
- Select new members carefully
- End polio, become member of 125 Club
- Visit meetings throughout Ohio, in different states and around the world
- Attend a RI Convention – next opportunity is June 2021 in Taipei



CLICK HERE to view this meeting and all previously recorded Rotary meetings



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N/A

September 15
N/A

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Beau Taggart

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Mark Wagenbrenner, President – *Wagenbrenner Development*
Host: Dave McCurdy

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SEPTEMBER 8TH
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THE MEETING



Ginny Barney gave the invocation and led the pledge of allegiance
Maryjane Shackelford (Zanesville), District Governor elect, and **Jim Lynch** (Tri-Village) joined as Visiting Rotarians

NOTES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS:



Joe Valentino thanked the club for supporting the annual fundraiser. Despite the unusual format, the event was a success!

Barri Jones promoted the upcoming Bed Brigade service project. Event will take place Saturday September 12th from 10-12

Norm Essey promoted the 2020 Golden Bear Bash...a virtual event running until September 7th. The online auction is available at <https://www.32auctions.com/GoldenBearBash2020>

Debbie Johnson promoted the 1953 MG auction benefiting the UA Rotary Foundation. Jim and Merry Hamilton are donating all proceeds of the sale. You can get more details and bid at <https://bringatrailer.com/listing/1953-mg-td-63/>

Price Finley announced and celebrated the retirement of **Jeanine Hummer**

Steve Heiser promoted the Rotary District 6690 Fall Seminar. Also a virtual event, taking place September 12 from 9:00-11:30. More information is available at <https://rotary6690.org/training-events/calendar/>

Getting to Know You

New(ish) member, **Tom Sugar**, was interviewed by **Debbie Johnson**

Biggest surprise people don't know about you? Did not go to UAHS – Culver Military Academy

Who inspired you to choose profession? Grandfather said don't get in perishable food business so instead chose real estate

Most influential person? Grandfather

Best Family experience? Spring break ski trip to Colorado

Bucket List? Trip to Alaska or Monte Carlo for Formula One race



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VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR BED BRIGADE!

The Bed Brigade builds and delivers beds to those in need. Our club supports this organization financially and by volunteering to build and deliver the beds. We will be resuming our volunteer work with Bed Brigade Saturday September 12th from 10 AM – 12 PM at UA Lutheran Church Mill Run. This is a great opportunity to involve your teen and older kids or grandkids in service with you. Masks will be required. Please contact **Barri Jones** at twinsmom911@yahoo.com for more information or to confirm that you can help.



1953 MG TD AUCTION WILL BENEFIT UA ROTARY FOUNDATION

This beautiful 1953 MG TD is being auctioned to benefit the UA Rotary Foundation. We want to thank **Jim and Merry Hamilton** for their generous gift to Rotary of this amazing vehicle. If you are interested, get your bid in soon. The auction closes Wednesday, September 2. If you know someone who is a car buff, please share this information with them. You can get more details and bid at <https://bringatrailer.com/listing/1953-mg-td-63/>

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ROTARIANS URGED TO SERVE AS POLL WORKERS

The Board of Elections has contacted Rotary with an urgent need for poll workers for this November's election. For your service, you will receive:

- Paid training from the Board of Elections on Election Day procedures
- Compensation of at least \$148 for training and Election Day service. Additional compensation is available through:
 - Supplemental training
 - Location set-up on Mon, Nov. 2

To qualify for this opportunity, you must:

- Be a U.S. citizen and a registered voter in Franklin County
- Have transportation to the polls on Election Day
- Serve from 5:30 AM to at least 8:00 PM on Election Day

Call 614.525.5393 or visit: WorkElectionDay.com