



The Paddlewheel

Moorhead Rotary Club

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New Members 2019-2020

Zach Heuring
Josh Jaster
Megan Wiesneski
Dylan Connell

Moorhead Rotary Club 970 District 5580

President Steve Schaefer
President-Elect Jerry Rogers
President Nominee 2021-2022
Gina Monson
Treasurer Emily Gess
Secretary Teresa Joppa
Past President John Andreasen

Directors (2020)

Gina Monson, Pat Gulbranson and
Greg Johnson

Directors (2021)

Dave Sederquist, Kevin Heazlett and
Tracey Moorhead

Directors (2022)

Tammy Finney and Steve Astrup
RYLA Coordinator Randy Farwell
Polio Plus Coordinator Cindy Nolte
Sergeant at Arms Team

Dave Sederquist, Eric Johnson
& Jean Hannig

Pianist Sharon Fangsrud
Song Leaders Bill Schwandt,
Bob Hanna

Photographer Russ Hanson
Paddlewheel Editor
Nancy Edmonds Hanson

Rotary Exchange Student

Frida Lehtonen, Finland

Meetings are held at 11:50 a.m. every

Tuesday in Birkeland Lounge at
Concordia College's Memorial
Auditorium.

Other F-M Rotary Meetings

Monday: FM/PM Rotary
5:30 p.m., Lucky 13 Pub
Monday: Fargo West Rotary
Noon, Holiday Inn
Wednesday: Fargo Rotary
Noon, Radisson
Thursday: FM/AM Rotary
7 a.m., Ramada Plaza

We're meeting online this week!

Challenging times call for a new strategy ... and, for many of us Moorhead Rotarians, an opportunity to learn something new.

Since regular meetings are out while we shelter in place to prevent contagion from COVID-19, Moorhead Rotary is adopting an online tool called Zoom. Many who are working at home may already be familiar with this online meeting platform, which not only permits users to see and hear a presentation, but to contribute to group conversation from wherever they are watching.

Our Finnish foreign exchange student, Frida Lehtonen, has volunteered to be our first presenter. Others will be speaking to us via the internet in weeks to come ... until we can resume our regular meetings.

At 11:30 on Tuesday, you can click a link in the email that's brought you this Paddlewheel. Then you'll enter a password to get into the prescheduled meeting.

But by using the link in this email, you won't have to enter any of the following information yourself. It will all be ready to go when you click. It's included here just as a back-up.

Note that Zoom will download to your device the first time you click on the link. You don't need to preload it. If you're a first-timer, allow 10 minutes or so for everything to be set up.

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/742305775?pwd=V0ZTMV1NlDkY2xMMnlHNEdPdIRxdz09>
Meeting ID: 742 305 775
Password: 630851



How will this work during the meeting?

Your mic will be muted at the time you join our meeting. We will open the microphones at a couple points during the meeting, but for most of it, they will be kept off.

You have two options for asking questions and sharing information:

- Press and hold the space bar. This temporarily un-mutes you. You can then speak up to the whole group.
- Or type your question or comment into Zoom's chat box. To activate "chat," hover your mouse over the Zoom screen; several menu options will then appear at the bottom. Click on "chat." It will open a chat window on the right-hand side of the video screen. Then type your comment or questions.

We encourage you to turn on your video! Part of the joy of meeting is seeing each other, so we want to bring that into this virtual meeting as well.

When Sergeant at Arms Jean calls for Happy Dollars, use the temporary un-mute option (pressing the space bar) or type your contribution into the chat box. We will record the amount and it add it to your next invoice ... or you can drop it in the kitty next time we're together. We'll all be on the honor system

Looking Ahead

April 7 — Meeting via Zoom

**April 21 — Recital with a Cause
CANCELLED**

**April 23-26 — District Conference
CANCELLED**

July 28 — F-M Rotary Golf Tournament