



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) Ernie Simmons,
Pat Gulbranson and Greg Johnson
Directors (2021) 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

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



Coming up Tuesday: Drive-By Food Drive for Churches United

Instead of our regular noon meeting, members are taking turns at the club's last service project of the year, the Drive-By Food Drive.

Churches United to build apartments for homeless adults who are 55+

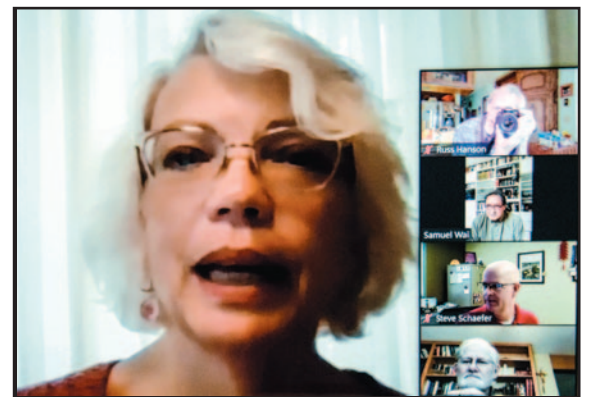
President Steve Schaefer welcomed Rotarians to another meeting in cyberspace, as the club continues its virtual meetings via Zoom.

No regular noon meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, June 16. Instead, club volunteers will collect donated food and supplies for Churches United. Steve asked members to sign up for 90-minute shifts throughout the day, beginning at 7 a.m. and wrapping up at 6 p.m. Dubbed the Drive-By Food Drive, the event is adapted to the rules that have become familiar as Minnesotans fight the COVID-19 pandemic: Donors will enter the parking lot between Concordia's Bogstad apartment buildings (just west of Eighth Street between Seventh and Sixth Avenues). They'll drop off donations in the collection barrel under the watchful eye of two volunteers, who will thank them and direct them through the lot.

The link for signing up to volunteer is <https://cobberadmissions.wufoo.com/forms/mhd-rotary-food-drive-volunteer-registration/>

Pick up your Rotary shirt at the Drive-By

Our order of Moorhead Rotary shirts has arrived! The navy blue shirts are emblazoned with a



yellow Rotary wheel logo along with text.

Those who ordered shirts may pick them up Tuesday during the Drive-By Drive. Bring your donated food and a check for \$25 made out to "Moorhead Rotary" for each shirt ordered.

If you miss the pick-up Tuesday, Violet Deilke has volunteered to handle the remaining shirts. You may come get yours Wednesday or later at her Center for Hair and Wellness at the Center Mall ... which has now reopened for business.

Frida heads home to Finland

Our Rotary exchange student Frida Lehtonen is heading home to Finland Tuesday after a most unusual year in the United States. She thanked



Remember to pick up your Rotary shirt Tuesday!

Photos: Watch for the sign on Eighth Street to find the Drive-By Food Drive.

Churches United's proposed Silver Lining Apartments



June Birthdays

Baldwin, Jill	Jun 09
Farwell, Randy	Jun 18
Joppa, Teresa	Jun 27
Wright, Edgar	Jun 27

Wedding Anniversaries

Dovre, Paul & Mardy	Jun 03 1958	62 years
Qualey, Neil & Carmen	Jun 15 1968	52 years
Wai, Sam & Coralie	Jun 20 1976	44 years
Tranby, Dave & Sharon	Jun 22 1974	46 years

Rotary Anniversaries

Deilke, Violet	4 years
Jun 04 1996	

members for their hospitality as she said her goodbyes. Club members saluted her, pandemic-style, on Sunday evening, with a drive-by farewell at the home of her last host family, Kim and Jeff Nichols.

Sergeant Sam takes a look at hairstyles across the ages & collects happy dollars

Sergeant at Arms Sam Wai commiserated with members who have been kept away too long from their barber or salon. He offered a quick tour of hair fads and fashions through the ages before opening the floor for our weekly solicitation of happy dollars.

Ernie Simmons gave the premier gift for a premier

reason — his and wife Marti's 50th wedding anniversary.

New apartments to accommodate rising tide of homeless people 55 and older

Rotarians Sue Koesterman and Brent Brandt unveiled the newest development being weighed by Churches United — the Silver Lining Apartments.

The apartment building will be located near the Bright Sky Apartments, another Churches United property that's home to families on Third Avenue North. It will include 36 units, 10 of them handicapped-accessible and fully compliant with ADA standards.

Looking Ahead

June 16 — Rotary Drive-by Food Drive

7 a.m. – 6 p.m. in parking lot between Bogstad apartments at Concordia (west of 8th St between 6th and 7th Avenues)

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June 23 — via Zoom

Sergeant at ArmsPat Gulbranson
Program.....Evert Engel
Furniture Mission of the Red River Valley

June 30 — via Zoom

Sergeant at ArmsJean Hannig
ProgramAdam Altenburg, "FM Diversion
Recreation Plan"

We will continue to meet virtually for the month of June. Concordia is tentatively planning to allow us to begin meeting in person in July and we are in conversation with them about what that would look like for recommended social distancing during meetings, food preparation and service as well as continuing to offer a virtual, live-stream of the in-person meetings.

July 28 — F-M Rotary Golf Tournament