

June 2025

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 B'Day – Maria Vittone	2	3 Club Assembly SPEAKER – Allan Pavek GREETER – Jeff Lentz/ Abigail Graham INSPIRATION/PRAYER – Ruby Signh/Barry King FINES – Tom Anderson / Dick Humphrey	4 The Rotary Pollinator Garden – 10am	5 B'Day – David Barr	6	7
8 B'Day – Kristy Janigo	9	10 Hail and Farewell SPEAKER – Allan Pavek and David Barr GREETER – Abigail Graham / Steve Planet INSPIRATION/PRAYER -- Diane Syverson FINES – Dick Humphrey/ John Duffy	11	12 Foundation Board Meeting – 7:00 am at OPH	13 International Meeting 7:00 am at OPH	14
15	16	17 Keller Williams SPEAKER – Tim Koivisto and Rachel Voge GREETERS – Steve Planet / Cindy Sherer INSPIRATION/PRAYER– Cindy Sherer/Erin Welter FINES – John Duffy/ Chuck Beach	18 B'Day – Samba Fall	19	20	21
22	23	24 Keller Williams SPEAKER – Tom Goodrich, Executive Director and Founder GREETERS – Cindy Sherer/ David Barr INSPIRATION / PRAYER – Maple Grove Jr FINES – Chuck Beach / Bob Kochenderfer	25 B'Day – Judith Johnson	26	27	28
29 B'Day – Elizabeth Brown	30					

Zoom Meeting Link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83398710256?pwd=K1dqUCs1M2J4Z2ErYjdCb2xDMGpmZz09>

Meeting ID: 833 9871 0256 Passcode: RCMG5950

Welcome Guests!

We're honored you chose to visit our club – whether in person, or via Zoom!!

The Rotary Club of Maple Grove is a group of professionals who volunteer service to our schools, the community, and the world. Our meetings are lively and reflect the friendship and shared purpose of our members. We meet on Tuesdays, but at various times to accommodate our diverse membership. Times and locations are posted on our website: maplegroverotary.org

Here is what you can expect when you join a meeting!

- Networking – 15 minutes
- Weekly meeting – 1 hour
- Pledge of Allegiance
- Rotary Four-Way Test—our code of ethics that defines what we should think, say or do:
 1. Is it the truth?
 2. Is it fair to all concerned?
 3. Will it build good will and better friendships?
 4. Will it be beneficial to all concerned?
- Daily Inspiration
- Introductions
- Fines (fun and happy)
- Club announcements
- Speaker

To learn more about our Club, contact our **Membership Chair, Joel Meyer**
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Dear Rotarians,

Holy Cow! It is already June and 2025 is half over. My reign as The Grand Poohba ends this month and Allan Pavek will be righting these monthly messages for the next year. I just want to say how proud I am of this past Rotary year, it was fun and we accomplished so much! Not me, but all of you, the dedicated do-gooders who volunteer your time and talents to make other peoples lives better. Thank you for your dedication and hard work.

Our Rotary club was very active last month. Once again delivering school supplies to the kids in Sasabe, Mexico. Stuffing Teddy bears and making feminine hygiene kits at Judy Johnson's house. Now Judy is in Costa Rica doing even more Rotary work. Jennifer Borel is heading off to Nigeria for Malaria and the Rotary International convention in Calgary. Raj continues to do his magic getting grants for India. Tom Anderson still hates Buckthorn. The STRIVE program finished up its school year and the Ethics workshop was a big success.

June will be a busy month as we prepare for Maple Grove Days and the bed races, the Grooves and Foods concert series, forest rehabilitation projects (Buckthorn), the Central Park Pollinator garden and the Hail and Farewell outdoor BBQ party.

I know I did not list all the things our club works on, but it does show that our Maple Grove Rotary Club is truly living the motto of Service Above Self. Thanks again for the opportunity to lead our club and be your Grand Poohba for the past year.

Sincerely,

*David Barr
The Grand Poohba*

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Rotary Club of Maple Grove: The mission of the Rotary Club of Maple Grove, Minnesota, as part of Rotary International (a worldwide association of Rotary clubs) is to provide service to others, promote high ethical standards, and advance world understanding, goodwill, and peace through its fellowship of professional and community leaders.

Maple Grove Rotary Foundation: The Maple Grove Rotary Foundation is a 501(c)(3) tax-exempt nonprofit corporation that acts as a supporting organization to the Rotary Club of Maple Grove, MN. The Maple Grove Rotary Foundation raises funds through various fundraising activities each year. These funds are distributed by the Foundation to those organizations and activities that meet Foundation criteria.

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2024-2025 Maple Grove Rotary Club Leaders

Dave Barr: President
Bonita Marten: Secretary
Jill Hennesen: Treasurer
Allen Pavek: President Elect
Vacant: President Elect Nominee
Bruce Treichler: Public Relations
Samba Fall: International Service
Conrad Grev & Dale Bossen: Community Service
Tom Anderson/Scott Leland: ESRAG

Jennifer Borel: Immediate past-President
Steve Plant: MGR Foundation Chair
Liz Brown: Club Fundraising
Cindy Sherer/Connie Garritsen: New Generations
Joel Meyer/Barry King: Membership
Tom Pellegrino/Suzanne Plant Club Service
Tim Zastoupil: Club Found (RI) Chair
Eric Werner: BRI
At Large: Raj Khankari & Chuck Beach