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ROTARY CLUB OF WEST ALLIS  
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THE FOUR WAY TEST OF THE THINGS WE THINK, SAY OR DO

Is it the truth? Is it fair to all concerned? Will it build goodwill and better friendships? Will it be beneficial to all concerned?

Week of 3.15.2018



ROTARY:  
MAKING A  
DIFFERENCE

## WELCOME TO ROTARY!

We are neighbors, community leaders, and global citizens uniting for the common good. With you, we can accomplish even more.

Reasons to love Rotary right now .... Reason #72: **Rotarians make good things happen!**

**TriCon 2018** featured speaker for the Saturday night dinner is **Ed Futa**, past General Secretary and Chief Operating Officer of Rotary International and The Rotary Foundation. Ed managed operations for 33,000 clubs in 200 countries and geographic regions. His staff of over 650 were located across 8 countries with nearly 40 different languages spoken! Find out more at: <https://tricon2018.eventgrid.com>



**Last Week:** March 8<sup>th</sup> – Lee & District Governor Jeff Reed, 4-Way Test Award

Lee Breese and Jeff Reed had the honor and pleasure of awarding Kevin and Lindsay Meyer of Target West Allis with the 5<sup>th</sup> annual 4-Way Test Award.

From the earliest days of the organization, Rotarians have focused on promoting **high ethical standards** in their professional lives. One of the world's most widely printed and quoted statements of **business ethics** is The 4-Way Test, which was created in 1932 by Rotarian Herbert J. Taylor. This 24-word test has become a guide to follow for how to treat co-workers, vendors, clients and customers.

**Great businesses**, such as **Target of West Allis**, demonstrate the 4-way test through their **positive interactions with the community**. **Congratulations Kevin and Lindsay!**

Good decisions don't just happen.

Ask yourself these 4 questions:



1. Is it the TRUTH
2. Is it FAIR to All Concerned?
3. Will it build GOODWILL and Better Friendships?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to All Concerned?



23 members, 1 District Governor, award winner + spouse & 3 students

**This Week:** March 15<sup>th</sup> – American Black Holocaust Museum - Reggie Jackson

Thank you, Terese Beauchamp



**P.S. St. Patty Day Jokes:** What do you call a leprechaun who collects aluminum cans, used newspapers and plastic bottles? A wee-cycler! ♦ Knock Knock ... Who's there? ... Irish stew ... Irish stew who? ... Irish stew in the name of the law ♦ When does Valentine's Day come after St. Patrick's Day? In the dictionary ♦ What happens when a leprechaun falls into a pool of water? He gets wet ♦ When isn't an Irish potato and Irish potato? When it's a French fry ♦ What position did the leprechaun play on the baseball team? Shortstop ♦ Knock Knock ... Who's there? ... Saint ... Saint who? ... Saint no time for questions, open the door! ♦ What do leprechauns like to grill? Short ribs

**Rotary Club of West Allis  
2017 - 2018**

**FUN FACTS ABOUT THE ROTARY CLUB OF WEST ALLIS**

**March = Water and Sanitation Month**

**Officers:**

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**Officers:**

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**Treasurer**

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**Directors:**

Don Charlier: 2019

Sherry Saiki: 2020

Terese Beauchamp: ex officio

**Hale Interact**

Wed., 7:10am, library -

Contacts:

Jim Mejchar & Lisa Berman

**Central Interact**

Thu., 8:45am, main office

Contacts: Jerry Falk

**Dottke Interact**

Tuesday 10:45am - Contacts:

Lee Breese, Sue Zwitter &

Cathy Manthei

**West Milwaukee EarlyAct**

Thurs, 1:30PM -

Brenda Merschorf,

Steve Affeldt & Cathy Manthei



When people have access to clean water, sanitation, & hygiene, they lead healthier and more successful lives. Rotary projects are targeting schools in: Belize, Guatemala, Honduras, India, & Kenya.

**March Birthdays**

Sue Zwitter (3/09) ♦ Terese Beauchamp (3/15) ♦

**March Anniversaries**

Lisa & Steve Berman 3/03/1994 (24 years)

**March Rotary Anniversaries**

Kevin Haass 3/06/2009 (9 years) ♦ Al Pinckney 3/13/2013 (5 years)

Jason Soloninka 3/31/2016 (2 years)

**THIS WEEK'S PROGRAM**

March 15<sup>th</sup> – American Black Holocaust Museum - Reggie Jackson

**UPCOMING PROGRAMS**

March 22<sup>nd</sup> – Work Project = Shoebox

**UPCOMING COMMUNITY EVENTS, NOTES & OTHER**

**Scouting for Food / Boy Scout Food Drive** – Saturday, 3/17

Held at: the West Allis Farmers Market from 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM

For more info: Erin Buhrmester = erin.buhrmester@scouting.org

**West Allis Community Dinner Dance** – Saturday, 3/24

6:00PM to 11PM / Social & Silent Auction, Dinner & Sweets Table, Music

Held at: Zoofari Conf Center, 9715 W Bluemound, \$75/person **or \$70 by**

**2/28** To Register: westallisfoundation.org or call 414-302-8292

Benefitting The Village Playhouse / supported by West Allis Rotary!

**March Madness!** – March 15<sup>th</sup> through April 2<sup>nd</sup>

Enjoy College Basketball

**West Allis Rotary Cocktails for a Cause** – Saturday, 4/21

Held at: Tripoli Shrine Center 3000 W. Wisconsin Ave, Milwaukee

This year's cause = Healthy Kids, Happy Lives - supporting children's health

initiatives. Tickets: Eventbrite.com or any West Allis Rotarian. For more

info: Sherry Saiki 414-687-1737 / rotarysherry@sbcglobal.net. \$50/person or

\$45 by 4/16. Enjoy signature cocktails, live Jazz, tasty hot & cold appetizers

and silent auction. Rotarians – please **bring in bottles of wine to donate**

**TriCon 2018 Wisconsin** – May 4<sup>th</sup> through May 6<sup>th</sup>

**Deadline to reserve a Glacier Canyon room is April 3, 2018!**

CALL the Wilderness 800-867-9453 or 608-253-9729



**Next Rotary Board Meeting** – April 11<sup>th</sup> ♦ 5:30PM at the West Allis Fire Department

**Club Meeting Time & Place** ♦ The Columbus Club ♦ 1800 S. 92<sup>nd</sup> Street ♦ West Allis, WI 53214 ♦ Thursdays ♦ 11:45 AM to 1:00 PM