

*We Focus on Youth and  
Literacy*



**Founded 1986**  
(club #23836)

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**Meeting Time, 7:30 AM Mondays**  
(No meeting 5<sup>th</sup> Monday of the  
Month)

**Rotary International President**  
**Ian H.S. Riseley, Australia**  
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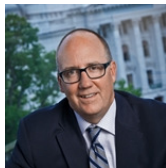


**ROTARY:  
MAKING A  
DIFFERENCE**

**APRIL 16, 2018**

*With a focus on youth and  
literacy, the Rotary Club of  
Madison-Breakfast actively serves  
our community – local, national,  
and the world – by working  
together and contributing our  
talents, energy and fellowship to  
achieve the goals of Rotary.*

**PROGRAM**  
**APRIL 16, 2018**  
**Scott James**  
**“Cryptocurrencies”**



**Greeters**

April 16: Priscilla Thain  
April 23: Fe' Semira

**Guests April 9:** speaker Sara  
Pickard, Bea, Richard & Jill  
Sullivan, *guests of the club*

**Drivers to School**

April 16: OPEN

**Meals-on-Wheels  
Drivers**

April 19: Stephanie Stetson  
April 26: Betsy & Doug Nordstrom

**Calendar of Events**

**May 8, Tuesday 5:30 pm**  
Board Meeting, Place TBD

**April 25, 5-8 pm,**  
**Wednesday, 5-8 pm:** Beer  
and food pairing fundraiser,  
Craftsman Table & Tap, 6712  
FLW Ave., Middleton,

**May 5, 10am:** Special  
Olympics, Oregon High School  
(Sign up with Mike Kafka)

**May 4-6, 2018:** TriCon  
Conference at Wilderness  
Resort, Wisconsin Dells

**June 23-27, 2018, RI**  
Convention in Toronto



**Food and Beer  
Pairing  
Fundraiser  
Craftsman  
Table & Tap  
6712 Frank**

**Lloyd Wright Ave.**  
**Middleton, 5-8 pm,**  
**Wednesday, April 25**

**Cost:** \$30 in advance, \$35 at  
event (ticket includes beer &  
appetizers, plus 1 raffle ticket)

**Food:** 4 stations each with a  
hearty appetizer paired with a  
complimenting beer

**Raffle:** Raffle assortments  
valued at approximately \$300.

**UPCOMING  
PROGRAMS**

**April 23: Thom Weiss:**  
**The Book Project**

**April 30: No Meeting (5<sup>th</sup>  
Monday)**



**May 7: Kaleem  
Caire,**  
**“Expanding  
Education  
Opportunity for  
Children in Dane**

**County”**



**May 14:**  
**Isabella, next  
year's outbound  
student**

**May 21: Club Visioning**

**June 11: Austin Hansen,**  
**Group Accounts Manager, the**  
**Mallards Baseball Club**

## Club Foundation Inviting Applications for Grants until April 30

Bruce Harville, President of the Breakfast Rotary Foundation, announced that Section 501 (c) 3 and other non-profit organizations are invited to submit applications for grants during March and April for worthy charitable causes. The grants of \$200 to \$500 will be given out after April 30. See the Breakfast Rotary web site for details.

## Bowling Tournament Fundraiser Sunday, May 20 at 1 pm

Cost: \$25 each

Ten Pin Alley

Sponsor: Fitch Rona Rotary Club

Fun, not competitive

Great Door prizes

Get a club team together

Contact: Thom Weiss if interested in being on a team.

## 4<sup>TH</sup> Annual Microfinance Gala to Empower Business Women in the Philippines

Date: 6 pm, Thursday, May 3

Place: Harvest Restaurant on Capitol Square

Cost: \$100 - Half of each ticket funds a new microloan.



Sara Pickard,  
Ex. Dir.,  
Girls on the  
Run and  
Betsy  
Nordstrom on  
April 9.

## Girls on the Run

Sara Pickard, Executive Director of Girls on the Run, enthusiastically told the club on April 9 about this 10 week program in the spring and fall for girls in the 3<sup>rd</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup> grade. Sara, who is in the banking industry, said that this is more than a running program. Their mission is to inspire girls to be healthy, joyful, and confident. Girls on the Run is a physical activity-positive youth development program.

Girls on the Run, which uses trained coaches, was started in 1996 in North Carolina so girls don't go

into the "girl box" later on. The program is now in all 50 states. It was founded in 2004 in South Central Wisconsin. The 10 week curriculum aims to inspire confidence, caring, character, connection competition, and contribution.

*Our thanks to Sara Pickard for her wonderful work with youth in the community and for her presentation.*

*The great theoretical physicist Steven Hawking gave the following advice to his three children: "Remember to look up at the stars and not down at your feet. Never give up work. Work gives you meaning and purpose, and life is empty without it. If you are lucky enough to find love, remember it is there and don't throw it away."*

**President - Heather Dyer**

**President Elect - Bailey Lagman**

**Treasurer - Fe' Cruz Semira**

**Secretary - Eng Braun**

**Board of Directors:** Sarah Flanagan, Bruce Harville, Mike Kafka, Betsy Nordstrom

**Webmaster/Social Media - Doug Nordstrom**

**Past President - Thom Weiss**

**Membership Chair - Judy Levine**

**Rotary Foundation Chair - Helen Baldwin**

**Exchange Students**

**Inbound:** Beatriz (Brazil)

**Outbound:** Daniel (Denmark)

**Rebounds:** Gabby (Taiwan), Mason (Thailand), Johannes (Germany)

**H.S. Youth Exchange Officers**

**Youth Exchange Officer:** Thom Weiss

**Youth Exchange Counselor:** Sarah Flanagan

**Youth Protection Officer:** Rhea Myers

**Youth Exchange Outbound Coordinator:** Sarah Flanagan

**The Program Committee and Its Monthly Assignments**

January	OPEN	July	International Com.
February	International Com.	August	OPRN
March	Sarah Flanagan	September	OPEN
April	Doug Nordstrom	October	Betsy Nordstrom, Priscilla Thain
May	OPEN	November	OPEN
June	Judy Levine	December	Bruce Harville

### AREA MAKE-UP OPPORTUNITIES

City or Club	Day	Time	Place
Rotary After Hours, 1st & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday. Eve..			Breakwater, 6308 Metropolitan Lane, Monona www.madcityrotary.com
Madison South	M	12:15 pm	Sheraton Inn
Lodi	M	6:15 pm	City Limits
Oregon	T	6:45 am	State Bank of Cross Plains
Sun Prairie	T	7 am	Colonial Club, Blankenheim Rd.
Fitch Rona	T	12 Noon	Ten Pin Alley, Nesbitt Rd.
Madison East	T	Noon	Hometown Buffet
Madison Horizons	T	12:10 pm	Radisson Inn West
Edgerton	T	12 Noon	Culvers, Richardson Springs Rd
Madison Downtown	W	12 Noon	Inn on the Park
Deforest	W	12 Noon	Deforest Community Ctr.
Mount Horeb	W	12:10 pm	Grumpy Troll
Stoughton	W	12 Noon	Stoughton VFW Hall

Waunakee	Th	12:05 pm	Rex's Innkeeper
Madison West	F	12:15 pm	Blackhawk Country Club
West Towne Middleton F		12:15 pm	Zor Shrine Place