We focus on Youth and Literacy

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Rotary Opens Opportunities

December 14, 2020

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
December 14, 2020
7:30 am
Virtual Meeting

Mary Beth Growney Selene
The Rotary Foundation

Guests December 7
Carol and Bob Dombroski

Meals-on-Wheels Drivers
Dec. 17; Stephanie Stetson
Dec. 24: Lunch delivery
Judy Levine
Dec. 31: Lunch delivery
Nordstroms

Calendar of Events

Tuesday, Dec. 15
Club Board Meeting
5:30 – 7 pm,
Use the same link as for the regular meetings.

June 2021
Rotary International Convention
Taipei, Taiwan

UPCOMING PROGAMS/EVENTS
December 21, 7:30 am
Virtual holiday club gathering

December 28 and January 4
No meetings.

January 11
7:30 Virtual Meeting

Oscar Mireles, Ex. Dir. Omega School
"Omega Scholl's Online Programs to Help Young Adults Earn Their GED/HSED Diplomas"

Shelter Box Donations
From Rich Fries, Shelter Box club liaison
To donate go to ShelterBoxUSA.org. and click on the Donate button. On the donation page, be sure to fill in the Club name and the District information so the donation is tracked.
Thank you.

Breakfast Rotary Raises Funds for Guatemalan Library Prototype

On December 9, forty-one club members, friends, and members of Engineers Without Borders enjoyed a carry out dinner of Guatemalan Pepian chicken, or a vegetarian option, with rice, squash, tamales and rum spice cake from the Migrants restaurant in Madison. Chef Oscar made the Pepian chicken from a recipe of Chef Javier in Guatemala City. The dinners costing $20 each were preordered, asking for a donation to the library. After picking up their dinners, the participants went back home to eat and watch Chef Javier in Guatemala City prepare the "Pepian Guatemalteco chicken". He first blackened tomatoes, onions and a slice of chili in a pan on the stove without oil. The tomato mix was mashed up with the water in which the chicken had been cooking on the stove. A blackened slice of bread, and a variety of blackened seeds were added and the sauce was poured over the chicken. It is typically served with a can of beer topped with chopped celery, onion and slice of lemon. Chef Javier has been cooking for 25 years and has a TV show.

The club Rotario Los Altos of Quetzaltenango in western Guatemala also participated and Alvaro from that club introduced the chef and described the library prototype his club would like to pursue. The library would have a capacity of 300 to 400 books, a computer, and an interactive games section. It doesn't take up much space and would be ease to install, maybe in a hallway. On the doors would be whiteboards for use for instruction. The first prototype would cost $1500. If that is successful, they would like to install them in other schools. Many thanks to Chef Oscar of Migrants, Chef Javier in Guatemala City and to Alvaro of the Los Altos club.

The club raised $1,256 for the project. Betsy Nordstrom, our fundraiser extraordinaire, chaired the planning committee with members Helen Baldwin, Eng Braun, Ellen Cook, Joyce Crim, Mary June Fries, Kevin Frost, Erin Hastey and Gary Muldoon.

Books for the World Seeks New Leadership

Thom Weiss, Our energetic director since 2014, is leaving to join the Peace Corps

Thom Weiss summarized the status of the project on December 7. The biggest cost is trucking the pallets of books from Madison to Houston, TX. Schneider Trucking ships 2 truckloads a year free and the club pays for 1 truckload. The Hallman Lindsay paint company picks up the books and delivers them to the warehouse, so the most physical challenge is picking up books ourselves. The coordinator's responsibilities are arranging for donations/deliveries of books, book packing sessions, and shipping in addition to keeping records.

Thom said "You can make it what you want." It could be someone or a group from our club or another club. The leader can decide how many books are collected and where. The decision must be made by May 1, as many schools donate books in May or June.

President- Erin Hastey
President Elect – Gary Muldoon & Judy Levine
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Secretary – Eng Braun & Heather Dyer
Past President – Betsy Nordstrom
Board of Directors: Eng Braun, Heather Dyer, Mike Kafka, Judy Levine, ,
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Membership Chair – Judy Levine
Rotary Foundation Chair – Helen Baldwin
Exchange Students
Inbound:
Outbound:
Rebounds: Emily (Sweden), Isabel (Colombia), Daniel (Denmark), Gabby (Taiwan), Mason (Thailand), Johannes (Germany)
H.S. Youth Exchange Officers
Youth Exchange Officer: Frances Parker
Youth Exchange Counselor: Amy Montoya
Youth Protection Officer: Rhea Myers
Youth Exchange Outbound Coordinator: Thom Weiss

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		International Committee
June	Judy Levine	December	Bruce Harville

AREA MAKE-UP OPPORTUNITIES
Check web sites for virtual meetings

City or Club	Day	Time	Place
Rotary After Hours, 1st & 3rd Sunday. Eve..		6:30 pm,	The Park Hotel
Madison South	M	12:15 pm	Sheraton Inn
Lodi	M	6:15 pm	Hutchins St. Square
Oregon	T	6:45 am	Headquarters Restaurant
Sun Prairie	T	7 am	Colonial Club, Blankenheim Rd
Fitch Rona	T	12 Noon	Ten Pin Allley, Nesbitt Rd.
Madison East Monona	T	Noon	Howard Johnson's'
Madison Horizons	T	12:10 pm	Radisson Inn West
Edgerton	T	12 Noon	Culvers, Newville
Madison Downtown	W	12 Noon	Inn on the Park
Deforest	W	12 Noon	North South Smokehouse
Mount Horeb	W	12:10 pm	Brix Cider
Stoughton	W	12 Noon	Stoughton VFW Hall
Waunakee	Th	12:05 pm	Rex's Innkeeper
Madison West	F	12:15 pm	Blackhawk Country Club
Madison West Towne	F	12:15 pm	Zor Shine Temle