

***We focus on Youth and
Literacy***



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(No meeting 5th Monday of the
Month)

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Rotary Opens Opportunities

December 21, 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 21, 2020
Virtual Meeting
7:30 am
Holiday Gathering with
Contest for the Best
Background

Guests December 14
Speaker Mary Beth Gowney-
Selene

Meals-on-Wheels
Drivers

Dec. 24: Lunch delivery
Judy Levine
Dec. 31: Lunch delivery
Nordstroms

Calendar of Events

Tuesday, Jan. 19
Club Board Meeting
5:30 – 7 pm,
Use the same link as for the
regular meetings.

June 2021
Rotary International
Convention
Taipei, Taiwan

UPCOMING
PROGRAMS/EVENTS



HAPPY NEW YEAR!

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”

Rotary’s Vision
Statement

TOGETHER WE SEE A
WORLD

WHERE PEOPLE UNITE AND
TAKE ACTION

TO CREATE LASTING

CHANGE ACROSS THE GLOBE
IN OUR COMMUNITIES, AND
IN OURSELVES

Rotary and The Rotary Foundation

We as Rotary Clubs can embrace and strengthen our organization's vision through our local and global service.

Club members were energized by Mary Beth Growney-Selene's presentation on December 14 on Rotary and The Rotary Foundation (TRF).

In the VISION OF ROTARY, Mary Beth said that every club has its own personality - its members, and the programs and projects in which they are engaged. We should ask, do we share our expectations of membership with our prospective members; are we inclusive; do we have opportunities for new members who want to give back or do good?

Along with the VISION statement, Rotary has created STRATEGIC PRIORITIES AND OBJECTIVES which support our vision.

- Increase our impact
- Expand our reach
- Enhance participant engagement
- Increase our ability to adapt

Other questions we should ask: Are we providing value to our members? How can we tell?

The Rotary Foundation is often called the "engine" of Rotary. When members are supporting The Rotary Foundation as one of their "charities of choice," we need to encourage them to become engaged in the programs of the foundation – determined by us the members.

Global Grants: Every year, our District "gets back" one half of our contributions from 3-years earlier (following an investment period) in the form of the District Designated Fund. District grants allow us to enhance our club program budget and keep foundation money in our own community. The basis of a District Grant is member involvement – active participation by members. We have to be globally centric. The world needs us now more than ever.

The Foundation's impact: POLIO eradication is the foundation's #1 priority. On August 25, 2020, the continent of Africa was removed from the global endemic list. Nigeria has gone nearly 4 years without a new case of the wild polio virus. Dr. Tnji Funso, chair of the End Polio Now Committee, and his team, has worked tirelessly to eradicate polio from Nigeria. Two months ago, Tunji was recognized as one of Time Magazine's 100 Most influential people in 2020. The infrastructure

created to eradicate polio has been used to eliminate Ebola and is now being looked at as the infrastructure to eliminate COVID 19. Gifts to the Foundation also support safe water and sanitation, basic education and literacy, maternal and child health, disease prevention, community and economic development, peace and conflict resolution and the newest area of focus, the environment.

Mary Beth Growney-Selene served as a Director of Rotary International from 2013-15 and a trustee of The Rotary Foundation from 2016-19. Our thanks to Mary Beth for her informative and inspiring presentation and for her work with Rotary.

President- Erin Hastey

President Elect – Gary Muldoon & Judy Levine

Treasurer – Doug Nordstrom

Secretary – Eng Braun & Heather Dyer

Past President – Betsy Nordstrom

Board of Directors: Eng Braun, Heather Dyer, Mike Kafka, Judy Levine,,

Webmaster/Social Media – Doug Nordstrom

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 Alley, 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