

We Focus on Youth and Literacy



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(No meeting 5th Monday of the Month)

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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
March 25, 2019



Thom Weiss

The Youth Exchange Committee Report

Greeters

March 25: Amy Montoya
April 1: Sarah Flanagan
April 8: OPEN

Guests: March 18: speaker
Mary Lou Taylor and Su,
guests of the club.

Meals-on-Wheels Drivers

March 21: Bruce Harville
Marcy 28: Betsy/Doug Nordstrom

Calendar of Events

Apr. 15: 5:30 pm Board Meeting, in person, location TBA

April 10, 5-7 pm, Craftsman Table and Tap, club fundraiser

April 15: Club reading project.

No Meeting at Vitense.

June 1-5, 2019: RI Convention, Hamburg, Germany

June 7-8, 2019: Rotary District Conference 2019, at the La Crosse Center

“Coming together is a beginning; keeping together is progress; working together is success.”
– Edward Everett Hale

UPCOMING PROGRAMS/EVENTS

April 10, 5-7 pm
Craftsman Table and Tap,
Breakfast Rotary Fundraiser

Food and Beer Pairing
Sponsorships available
Raffle and silent Auction
Tickets available at
www.madisonbreakfastrotary.org

April 1:
Jason Hafeman
“Project Home”

April 8

Marge Sutinen, “Perfect Harmony Men’s Chorus and the Value of Song”

April 15

7:30 am

Club Reading Project
8030 Excelsior Drive,
Suite 306

April 22

Thom Weiss

The Book Project

Monday, May 6



PHIL HANDS

Phil Hands,
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THEA'S TABLE



Mary Lou Taylor, March 18 speaker, with Sarah Flanagan, of United Methodist Church, who arranged the program

Students Should be Hungry to Learn, Not Hungry

Thea's Table provides nutritious weekend meals to 50 homeless families in Madison. Housed in the United Methodist Church, Thea's Table started with 5 families and has grown to serve 50. The food they serve is for families eligible for free and reduced lunch, which is less than 130 percent of the poverty level, \$25,000 for a family of 4. The schools identify the students. No paperwork is required.

Homelessness and the accompanying food insecurity, Mary Lou Taylor of Thea's Table, said, is caused mainly by the high rents in Madison. One in five students in Madison is food insecure and lacks access to nutritious food. Thea's Table was inspired by Thea Aschkenase, who survived Auschwitz and has since dedicated herself to fighting hunger. The workers shop on line at 2nd Harvest food Bank. A \$30,000 grant from the Goodman foundation got the program started. They would like someone to take it over. More food banks are needed all over Madison, Mary Lou Taylor said.

Our thanks to Mary Lou Taylor for this needed work in our community and for her presentation.

New Club Reading Project

The club is planning to meet at the Madison Reading Project once a month on the 3rd Monday of the month during our regularly scheduled time instead of meeting at Vitense. We will help with sorting and stamping books, shelving books, preparing programming materials and delivering books to Little Libraries around town. This will be an option, not a requirement. The first meeting will be at the Madison Reading Project at 7:30 am on April 15. The location is 8030 Excelsior Drive, suite 306, Madison, WI 53717.

President - Bailey Lagman

President Elect - Betsy Nordstrom

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Board of Directors: Bruce Harville, Mike Kafka, Sarah Flanagan, Erin Hastey

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Rotary Foundation Chair - Helen Baldwin

Exchange Students

Inbound: Su (Turkey)

Outbound: Isabel (Colombia)

Rebounds: Daniel (Denmark), 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 rd Sunday. Eve.. 6:30 pm, Brocach Irish Pub & Wiskey Den, 7 W. Main St., Madison, www.madcityrotary.com			
Madison South	M	12:15 pm	Sheraton Inn
Lodi	M	6:15 pm	Lodi Community Ctr
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	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
Madison West Towne	F	12:15 pm	Zor Shine Templ

