

*We focus on Youth and
Literacy*



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(No meeting 5th Monday of the
Month)

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Rotary Opens Opportunities

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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

Nov. 16, 2020
Dr. Bernard Micke of
Wisconsin Medical
Project

Guests, November 9
Cheryl Schweiger

Meals-on-Wheels **Drivers**

Nov. 19: Stephanie Stetson
Nov. 26: Thanksgiving. No delivery
Dec. 3: Mike Kafka
Dec. 10: Bruce Harville
Dec. 17: Stephanie Stetson
Dec. 24: No deliveries – Christmas
Eve
Dec. 31: No deliveries – New Years
Eve

Calendar of Events **November is The Rotary** **Foundation Month**

Tuesday, Nov. 17
Club Board Meeting
5:30 – 7 pm,
Use the same link as for the
regular meetings.

June 2021
Rotary International
Convention
Taipei, Taiwan

UPCOMING **PROGRAM/EVENTS**

November 23
Ellen Cook
“IndiMark”, a non profit
founded by Ellen Cook
focusing on water needs
in Kenya

November 30
No Meeting, 5th Monday

December 7
Thom Weiss
Rotary Books for the
World

December 14
Mary Beth Growney
Selene
The Rotary Foundation

Webinar on what it is
like to deal with Covid
similar to what it was
like when people dealt
with Polio – developed by
Interact clubs across the
district. For more
information and to register
see
<https://rotary6250.org/event/interact-polio-webinar/>

END POLIO NOW

- End Polio is Rotary International's flagship global project
- 99.9% drop in cases since 1988
- Polio exists now in only Afghanistan and Pakistan
- Rotary's partnership with Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation means all donations are tripled

The International Committee

Breakfast Rotary's impact is global!

On November 9, Gary Muldoon, chair of the club's International Committee, outlined the club's present projects and plans for the future. Current projects are the Zapote water project in Guatemala, the Kongoni Community Library in Kenya, and the Rotary Books for the World.

For the Zapote clean water project, an infrastructure was built to provide clean, chlorinated water to over 100 homes or 600 people. The project with a budget of \$55,593 was funded by a RI global grant and included money from our partners and contributing clubs. Madison Breakfast Rotary was the primary sponsoring club, with Stoughton Rotary a contributing club. Our partners were the Rotary Los Altos club in Guatemala, Engineers Without Borders, UW Chapter, and EWB, Guatemala chapter. The project was completed in September.



Students in Kenya

The Kongoni Community Library project in Kenya is being rebuilt with a district grant at a budget of \$14,500 made up of \$7,250 club contributions and a \$7,250 District grant. Our partner in Kenya is the Eldoret Rotary Club. Madison Breakfast Rotary is the sponsoring club and our partners were Madison East-Monona, Madison South, Stoughton, Waunakee and Madison Horizons. The project will help build and reopen the Kongoni Community Library after an order to vacate the rundown government building.

A future project being considered is the funding for a prototype of a rural library in Guatemala. In partnership with Club Rotario Los Altos of Quetzaltenango, the project would place small libraries in rural Guatemalan schools. The estimated cost of the prototype is \$3,000 (non-prototype will be \$4,700). The Los Altos club has pledged \$1,000. A plan to reduce the cost of the

prototype is to collect and send books, computers, and interactive games to them. If successful, this could lead to a District or Global grant.

Thom Weiss is the director of the club's Rotary Books for the World for which books are collected, packed, and sent from a local warehouse. Regular reports are sent directly to the club.

Members of this very active International Committee are Gary Muldoon, chair, Helen Baldwin, Eng Braun, Kevin Frost, Erin Haste, Rhea Myers, and Betsy Nordstrom.

President- Erin Haste

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