

*We focus on Youth and Literacy*



Madison Breakfast Rotary

**Founded 1986**  
(club #23836)

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

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Serve to Change Lives

**November 22, 2021**

*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

November 22  
7:30 am, Virtual



Andrew  
Willits

**Public Image Committee  
report**

**The 4-Way Test and Rotary  
Minute**

Nov. 22 – Kevin Frost

Future schedule

Dec. 6 – Ana Garic

Dec. 13 – Susan George

January 10 – Jamie Hanson

January 24 – Bruce Harville

**Guests Nov. 8**

Speaker Mike Paddock, Jim  
Oughton, Jerry Henrich

**Calendar of Events**



**Bookpacking at the warehouse  
is currently on hold due to the  
weather and lack of trucking.**

**November 24**  
**Cheese Orders due**

**Club Board Meeting**  
**Tuesday, December 21**  
5:30 pm, virtual. Please let Gary  
Muldoon know if you have items  
you would like added to the agenda.

**April 29/30, 2022**  
**Tri Con** at The Osthoff  
Elkhart Lake, WI

**June 4-8, 2022:** Rotary  
International Convention, Houston,  
Texas



**Upcoming Programs/Events**  
**November 29**  
5<sup>th</sup> Monday, no meeting

**Dec. 6, 7:30 am virtual**  
**Melissa Behling, Dev. &**  
**Communications Co-**  
**ordinator “Operation Fresh**  
**Start: 80 Years of Youth**  
**Empowerment”**

**Dec. 13, 7; 30 am virtual**  
**Frances Parker**  
Zoom call with former exchange  
students

**Dec. 20 7:30 am**  
**Service Project**  
Madison Reading Project  
(limited to 12 people)

**December 27/January 3**  
Holiday – no meetings

**Jan. 10, 7:30 am virtual**  
Greg Metzger  
Little Free Library

**Jan. 17, 7:30 am**  
Service Project  
Madison Reading Project

**Jan. 24, 7:30 am virtual**  
Betsy Nordstrom  
Social Committee Report

**Jan. 31: No meeting**  
5<sup>th</sup> Monday



## The Proposed El Manantial Water Project for Guatemala

Mike Paddock – “Rotary is My Secret Weapon”



*Building a bridge in Guatemala*

Mike Paddock, a member of the Milwaukee Rotary Club, addressed Breakfast Rotary on November 8, on the proposed El Manantial Water Project for Guatemala. Mike had previously worked on several projects in Guatemala with Rotary grants, one of which was the construction of a bridge that united 14 communities on each side of a river. Much of the work was done by the inhabitants of each community who did not trust each other until they worked together. In 2010, a hurricane destroyed many buildings, but the bridge stood. Many people who had never left the community before now use bus service over the bridge. Mike also worked on installation of a pipeline that brought water from a spring six kilometers away. Over 20 miles of pipeline were required. Water was turned on to each house, one at a time. Many women, who had carried water all their life, now had running water. Hurricane Agatha did a lot of damage and caused a landslide over the pipeline, but community members did a lot of fixing of the damaged pipes. The proposed El Manantial water project would connect an existing well to 250 homes, with the Rotary Club of Vista Hermosa the local host club. The Rotary Club of Milwaukee working with Engineers Without Borders is the lead club. Guatemala experienced a peak outbreak of COVID six weeks ago and finally got access to the Russian vaccine. Everyone is wearing masks. This area in Guatemala has rain every day from

May to November for an hour, but it is a little less every year due to climate change. They don't use water for agriculture, but need a sustainable water source. Mike and the Rotary Club of Milwaukee are asking for club support for the new El Manantial water project.

Mike Paddock is a professional engineer who has worked for 30 years on many of the roads, overpasses and bridges in Milwaukee. Our thanks to Mike for his work with Rotary to better the world and for his presentation.

**President- Gary Muldoon & Judy Levine**

**President Elect** – Frances Parker

**Treasurer** – Doug Nordstrom

**Secretary** – Heather Dyer

Past President – Erin Hastey

**Board of Directors:** Joyce Crim, Ellen Meister, Betsy Nordstrom

**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	No speakers
February	OPEN	August	Getting to know you
March	Sarah Sneider	September	OPEN
April	Doug Nordstrom	October	Betsy Nordstrom/Priscilla Thain
May	OPEN	November	International Committee
June	Judy Levine	December	Bruce Harville

### AREA MAKE-UP OPPORTUNITIES

**Check web sites for new locations/virtual meetings**

City or Club	Day	Time	Place
Rotary After Hours,	1st & 3rd Sunday.	Eve..	7 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
Fitchburg Horizons	T	12 Noon	Ten Pin Alley, Nesbitt Rd.
Madison East Monona	T	Noon	Howard Johnson's Plaza
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
Madison West	Th	11 am	Vntage Brewery
Wausaukee	Th	12:05 pm	Rex's Innkeeper
Madison West Town	F	12:15pm	Johnson Bank, 6th Fl. 525 Junction Rd.