## We focus on Youth and Literacy



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Meeting Time, 7:30 AM Mondays
(No meeting 5th Monday of the

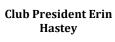
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**Rotary Opens Opportunities** 

### **NOVEMBER 9, 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
November 9, 2020
7:30 am
Virtual Meeting
International
Committee Report

**Guests, November 2**Alvaro Herrera, Fabiola
Fuentes, and Cheryl
Schweiger

# Meals-on-Wheels Drivers

Nov. 12; Bruce Harville 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

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Calendar of Events
3 pm, Nov. 12
Rotary DEI Webinar Series
The Power of Connection
with Diverse Communities.
Learn more and register at
https://zoom.us/webinar/register
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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
PROGRAMS/EVENTS
November 16
Dr. Bernard Micke of
Wisconsin Medical
Project

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

November 30 No Meeting 5<sup>th</sup> Monday

**December 7 - TBA** 

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/int

https://rotary6250.org/event/interact-polio-webinar/

## The Library Project in Guatemala



Plans for a school library in Guatemala.

At the club's November 2 meeting, the club met virtually with Alvaro Herrera and Fabiola Fuentes, members of the Club Rotario Los Altos in Quetzaltenango, Guatemala, to discuss plans to place libraries in the schools there. The first would be a prototype for future libraries.

The design has 3 different compartments: a computer station, a library for up to 400 books, and a closet compartment with interactive educational games. The outside of the module will be colored with a mural by local artists allusive to education and fun learning. The inside of the doors of the library will be white board for teaching.



Rural schools in the area lack a lot of the basic infrastructure needed such as clean bathrooms,

potable water, kitchen or play areas and thus libraries come last. Most people do not have the custom of reading, leading to deficiency in reading, writing and comprehension and difficulty to grasp ideas and communication. In Guatemala, only one out of 100 people reads for pleasure. 4% of the population has never read a book. The main problem is access to libraries and the ability to read. Quetzaltenango is a mid-sized city of about 180,000 located in the center of the Guatemalan highlands. It is a low-income city where the majority of its population's income is generated in informal markets (mainly agriculture.)

The local Rotary club, Rotario Los Altos, has 18 members, 6 men and 12 women. Breakfast Rotary and Engineers Without Borders worked with their club on the recent water project.

## **November is Rotary Foundation Month**

In 35 years, the global polio eradication effort has built up incredible assets: laboratory testing, surveillance, a frontline workforce of hundreds of thousands who deliver vaccines in polio campaigns around the world. In pretty much every country where the polio eradication initiative is active – over 50 countries – those assets have been dedicated to the COVID-19 response. The world is benefiting – particularly in the poorest countries, where we've been chasing down the last cases of polio – from the infrastructure that the polio initiative has built over the past three decades.

#### **President-Erin Hastey**

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Kafka, Judy Levine,,

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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

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City or Club	Day	Time	<u>Place</u>
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 Downtow	n 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