

We focus on Youth and Literacy



Madison Breakfast Rotary

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

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Rotary Opens Opportunities

OCTOBER 5, 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
October 5, 2020
7:30 am
Virtual Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86963495543?pwd=M0preXF1VWhhT11DR01nTWZQRkJMOT09>

Reena Chandra Rajpal,
Ex. Dir.
Combat Blindness
International



Meals-on-Wheels
Drivers

Oct. 8: Bruce Harville
Oct. 15: Stephanie Stetson
Oct. 22: Betsy/Doug Nordstrom
Oct. 29: Gary Muldoon
Nov. 5: Mike Kafka
Nov. 12; Bruce Harville

Calendar of Events
Saturday, October 10
Bookpacking
Limited to 12 people

October 14
District 6250 Virtual
Vibrant Club Workshop

Tuesday, Oct. 20, 5:15
Club Board Meeting
5:30 – 7 pm,
Use the same link as for the
regular meetings.

October 24
WORLD POLIO DAY

June 2021
Rotary International Convention
Taipei, Taiwan

UPCOMING PROGRAMS
& EVENTS

Tuesday, October 6,
5:30 – 6:30 pm
Virtual Party
Rotarian of the Year
Past-President
Appreciation Happy
Hour

October 12
Brian Glenn, a member
of the Shelter Box
Response Team
“Rotary’s Shelter Box
program”

October 19
Brad Herrick
Restoration of the
Curtis Prairie in the
Arboretum

October 2
Committee report

November 2
Guatemala Library
Project with members
of Club Rotario Los
Altos

November 9
International
Committee report

November 16
Dr. Bernard Micke of
Wisconsin Medical
Project

**Tuesday, October 6, 5:30 – 6:30 pm
Virtual Party
Rotarian of the Year Happy Hour**

Join us in celebrating our 2019-20 Rotarian of the Year and our 2019-20 President, Betsy Nordstrom. Bring your favorite beverage and your Rotary Spirit.

Club Membership, Diversity and Inclusion

On September 28, club president Erin Hastey led the club in a discussion on “Building a More Inclusive Madison Breakfast Rotary club.” The Rotary Learning Center has a module on diversifying your club. Diversity means embracing differences in thought, culture, and perspective within the club. Our Rotary strategic plan review recommends offering deeply discounted membership dues to prospective members. We should take into account our meeting time and how it fits into work hours. It should be better known that members are only required to attend 2 meetings a month and that our work projects satisfy a meeting requirement. Diversity is important for a positive reputation, attracting new members and improving member experience. The Madison Reading Project fits nicely into our diversity. The club should celebrate the diversity that we and our community already have. Our projects are diverse: Books for the World go to Africa and Pakistan, as do member Gary Muldoon’s Books are Power. We have supported member Kevin Frost’s organization Engineers Without Borders Guatemala water project. We participate in the Special Olympics and our MBR Foundation has given support to Rubin for Kids, the Odyssey project, the Middleton Outreach Ministry, and Madison Ice for disabled kids.

In conclusion, we should be on social media. The club needs a Public Image Publicity chair. Our thanks to Erin Hastey and Bruce Harville for their contributions to this important discussion.

Rotary DEI Webinar Series: Next Session on Nov. 12

Throughout 2020-21, Rotary is hosting webinar series to explore diversity, equity, and inclusion. As this is a focus area for our club, it would be wonderful to have as many members participate as possible! The next session is on November 12 at 3 pm, and it is on The Power of Connection with Diverse Communities. Learn more and register. The president’s message has the link.

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	November	OPEN
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