

***We Focus on Youth and  
Literacy***



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(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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**ROTARY:  
MAKING A  
DIFFERENCE**

## **SEPTEMBER 11, 2017**

*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**

Sept. 11 (No morning meeting)  
Meet at 5:30 pm at Sprecher's.  
Hosted appetizers, soft drinks, and cash bar.  
Celebrate the new board, Announce Rotarian of the Year, and Welcome Bea.

### **Greeters**

Sept. 11: No Raffle  
Sept. 18: Helen Baldwin  
Sept. 25: Mike Kafka

### **Guests August 28:**

Erin Hasley, Kevin Frost, and Bea, *guests of the club.*

## **Meals-on-Wheels drivers**

Sept. 14: Stephanie Stetson  
Sept. 21 Bruce Harville  
Sept. 28: Betsy & Doug Nordstrom

## **Calendar of Events**

**September 12, 5:30 pm** Board Meeting, Goodman South Library, 2222 S. Park St.

**Sept. 14, Thursday:** 7:15 am, International Committee at Panera

**Dec. 1:** Club Vendor Sale, fundraiser

**May 4-6, 2018:** TriCon Conference at Wilderness Resort, Wisconsin Dells

**June 23-27, 2018,** RI Convention in Toronto

## **UPCOMING PROGRAMS**

### **September 18**



**Aaron Bird Bear, Asst. Dean, UW-Madison School of Education, “The 12,000 years of Humanity of Teejop (Four Lakes)”**



*Bea, the club's exchange student from Brazil, at Olbrich Gardens with the Brauns on August 28.*

Let us remember: One book, one child, and one teacher can change the world. – Malala Yousafzai



*Bea, with the apple pies she helped make with Eng Braun on August 27.*



*Judy Levine, the club's membership chair, with Erin Hasley, a prospective member.*

## Membership Report

*Judy Levine*

We had a membership push evening event in February with 33 non-members attending. As a result, we got two new members and two others who indicated they would be joining other clubs. We will have another similar event in December of 2017 in combination with the Middleton Chamber of Commerce, of which we are a member. We had articles about our club and a member in two local magazines. As a result, we have had a few non members indicate they may be interested in joining. We joined the Middleton Chamber of Commerce a little over a year ago. It has given us a source for potential new members, attendees at our fund-raising events and speakers for our club meetings. Judy recommends, among other things, that we should mention during our on-going conversations and communication why we value our Rotary

membership: i.e., inspiration and opportunities; to be part of a 4-Way Test family of inspiring friends & acquaintances, opportunities to create a life legacy by donation time and money to do good in our community and throughout the world; friendship; professional, leadership and social-skills development, personal growth, community, continuing education, fun, public-speaking skills, meeting and becoming global citizens, access to unique travel experience and assistance, youth programs, opportunities for the family, vocational skills, ethics treatment, cultural awareness, prestige, community connections, service, making a difference locally and globally and speaking confidently and knowledgeably about Rotary.

**President – Heather Dyer**

**President Elect – Bailey Ebben**

**Treasurer – Fe' Cruz Semira**

**Secretary – Eng Braun**

**Board of Directors:** Sarah Flanagan, Bruce Harville, Mike Kafka, Betsy Nordstrom

**Webmaster/Social Media – Doug Nordstrom**

**Past President – Thom Weiss**

**Membership Chair – Judy Levine**

**Rotary Foundation Chair – Helen Baldwin**

**Exchange Students**

**Inbound:** Beatriz (Brazil)

**Outbound:** Daniel (Denmark)

**Rebounds:** 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 & 3rd Sunday. Eve.. |     |          |   |
|   |     |          | Breakwater, 6308 Metropolitan Lane, Monona<br>www.madcityrotary.com |
| Madison South                               | M   | 12:15 pm | Sheraton Inn  |
| Lodi  | M   | 6:15 pm  | City Limits   |
| Oregon                                      | T   | 6:45 am  | State Bank of Cross Plains  |
| Sun Prairie                                 | T   | 7 am     | Colonial Club, Blankenheim Rd                                       |
| Fitch Rona                                  | T   | 12 Noon  | Ten Pin Alley, Nesbitt Rd.  |
| Madison East                                | T   | Noon     | Hometown Buffet   |
| Madison Horizons                            | T   | 12:10 pm | Radisson Inn West   |
| Edgerton                                    | T   | 12 Noon  | Culvers, Richardson Springs Rd                                      |
| Madison Downtown                            | W   | 12 Noon  | Inn on the Park   |
| Deforest                                    | W   | 12 Noon  | Deforest Community Ctr.   |
| 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  |
| West Towne Middleton                        | F   | 12:15 pm | Zor Shrine Place  |