

# Whitnall Park Rotary Club

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## In Focus

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SERVE TO CHANGE LIVES

### WPRC MISSION STATEMENT

Serving and enriching our community  
through leadership and learning

## Leading effective training

Been asked to speak, teach, train, or be a panelist in the virtual world? It's different (and more challenging!) than in person! This session will provide tips for developing training content, selecting and using tools that engage participants, and will share presentation skills that will connect you with your audience. This session on **Wednesday, February 23rd, from 6:00 to 7:15 p.m.**, will be co-presented by District Trainer Lisa O'Halloran, DGN Don Griffing, and Body Language Expert Kristin Bock. Register for the ZOOM presentation on the District website or by replying to Dana Kohlmeier's Feb. 16 email.

## Polio in Malawi

As a result of ongoing disease surveillance, the Global Polio Eradication Initiative (GPEI) has confirmed a case of type 1 wild poliovirus (WPV1) in Malawi. Analysis has shown the virus is genetically linked to WPV1 that circulated in Pakistan's Sindh province.

The GPEI is supporting health authorities in Malawi to conduct a thorough assessment of the situation and begin urgent immunization activities to mitigate any risk of spread. Environmental surveillance measures are also being expanded in Malawi and neighboring countries to detect other potential cases.

Detection of WPV1 outside the two remaining endemic countries underscores the importance of prioritizing polio immunization activities to prevent future instances of importation. During the last two years, 54% of the Rotary PolioPlus budget has supported disease surveillance, outbreak response, the purchase of vaccines and operational expenses throughout Africa.

As an imported case from Pakistan, this detection of WPV in Malawi does not affect the WHO African region's wild polio-free certification status.

Now is the time for all parties – Rotary members, communities, government leaders, and global partners – to recommit to ending all forms of polio for good.

- ◆ **Feb 23** 7 am WSD Community Room. Hybrid meeting. Board meeting
- ◆ **Mar 2** 7 am WSD Community Room. Hybrid . Speaker chair: Bennett .Dept Transportation-I84 Zoo interchange to Marquette interchange. **Rotary question**
- ◆ **Mar 4-6** PETS (President Elects' Training Seminar)
- ◆ **Mar 9** 7 am WSD Community Room. Hybrid. Speakers: Students of the month. **Food Pantry: Greenfield HS "closet"**. **Beverage pull top collection. Rotary question**
- ◆ **Mar 12** District grant training
- ◆ **Mar 16** 5:30 Diamond Jim's. Hybrid meeting. Speaker chair: Schenke **Rotary question**
- ◆ **Mar 23** 7 am WSD Community Room. Hybrid meeting. Board meeting
- ◆ **Mar 30** service project at Hunger Task Force
- ◆ **Apr 1** CRAFT FAIR set-up
- ◆ **Apr 2** CRAFT FAIR
- ◆ **Apr 6** 7 am WSD Community Room. Hybrid . Speaker chair: Christianson. **Rotary question**
- ◆ **Apr 13** 7 am WSD Community Room. Hybrid. Speaker chair: Komas **Food Pantry: Whitnall HS "closet"**. **Beverage pull top collection. Rotary question**
- ◆ **Apr 20** 5:30 Diamond Jim's. Hybrid meeting. Club Assembly. **Rotary question**
- ◆ **Apr 27** 7 am WSD Community Room. Hybrid meeting. Board meeting
- ◆ **Apr 29-30** Tricon Convention
- ◆ **May 4** 7 am WSD Community Room. Hybrid . Speaker chair: Weber. **Rotary question**
- ◆ **May 11** 7 am WSD Community Room. Hybrid.

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### WHITNALL PARK ROTARY CLUB

Serving Greendale, Greenfield, Hales Corners & Muskego

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# Members

John Bennett	City Engineer
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Michael Breitbach	Air Cargo Sales
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Terri Delke	Librarian
Kevin Drury	Automotive Service
James Helminski	Field Engineer
Brandt Komas	Insurance Sales
Abraham Marin*	Salvation Army pastor
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Kristin Murphy	Data Analyst
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Lisa Olson	Education—Administration
Nickolas Pendzich	Banking
Robert Petri	Finance Director
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Kelly Thompson	Education NO— Administration
James Thorsen	Financial Advisor
Daniel Weber#	Fire Department
Judy Weiss	HVAC Contractor
Thomas Weiss	HVAC Contractor
Scott Weyda	Education — Administration
# Corporate member	*Corporate member

## ZOOM meeting

February 23

For ZOOM, log-in using your computer/ tablet/ digital telephone.

**Meeting ID:** 857 0521 6298

**Passcode:** 850677

### Connect information

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85705216298?pwd=UDdCOFRrejhoSFJ0RThnbWY5ajFIUT09>

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\*Craft Fairs - Schenke, Petri  
\*Brat booth— Komas  
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Family of Rotary

\*Brews & bites — Weber

\*Changing of the Guard —

\*Christmas celebration— Weber, Weyda

\*Milwaukee Milkmen— Sue Thorsen

\*Sunshine — J Weiss

District grant Weber, Delke

Internet officer/ Webmaster — Jerry Johnson (contract)

Membership — Weyda

Newsletter — Delke

Public Image —Weyda

\*Facebook - Drury

Rotary Information — Bieganski

Programs (Speaker hosts & Offsite visits) — Weyda, Weber

ZOOM meeting host — Weber , Petri

**COMMUNITY SERVICE** Kristin Murphy murphykm9901@gmail.com 414 719 7124

Service projects

\*Arbor Day Greenfield — none

\*Bell Ringing for Salvation Army— Murphy

\*Beverage top pull tabs — Schenke

\*Lasagna love— Christianson, Murphy, Thorsen, Weyda

\*Operation Warm Coats - Weber

\*Road clean-up— Breitbach

\*School supplies & food distribution — Marin

\*Second Wednesday food pantry — Murphy

\*Truth House Christmas — Murphy, Petri

**INTERNATIONAL SERVICE** Dan Christianson 414-852-1624  
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Global Grant — Christianson

World Affairs Seminar —

**VOCATIONAL SERVICE** Tom Weiss 414-282-3377

Technical/Trade school scholarships — T . Weiss, J. Weiss

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Academic scholarships — Movroydis, Weyda

Students of the month — Movroydis, Weyda,

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