

# Whitnall Park Rotary Club

Since 1975

## In Focus

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FOR  
GOOD



- ◆ **Mar 14** Muskego feeds packaging meals at Lake Point Church. 8:30-9:30. Yellow shirt event. Service project
- ◆ **Mar 18** 5:30 Double D's. Speaker host: J. Weiss.— Hales Corners Library Foundation (Pat Laughlin + Mary Ann Lindberg) **Rotary question** According to the February issue of *Rotary* magazine, Indians have used what as an instrument of strategy since the 7<sup>th</sup> century?
- ◆ **Mar 20** Craft fair set up
- ◆ **Mar 21** Craft Fair Fund raiser. Blue shirt event.
- ◆ **Mar 25** 7:30 Hybrid Board meeting. Woods (11800 W Edgerton)
- ◆ **Apr 1** 5:30 Double D's Club Assembly.— review craft fair. **Food pantry: Salvation Army Beverage pull tab collection. Rotary question**
- ◆ **Apr 8** Pizza party at Organ Piper
- ◆ **Apr 15** Education grants round 4 due
- ◆ **Apr 15** 5:30 Double D's. Speakers: Students of the month...**Rotary question**
- ◆ **April 17– 18** Tricon at Kalahari Resort (Wisconsin Dells)
- ◆ **Apr 19** Paul Harris' birthday
- ◆ **Apr 23** 6-7 ZOOM Rotary International from the beginning to now—history, guiding principles
- ◆ **May 6** 5:30 Double D's Speaker host: Christianson. **Food pantry: St. Al's. Beverage pull tab collection. Rotary question**
- ◆ **May 9** Greenfield Arbor Day (Joan Stevens Woods) 10
- ◆ **May 20** Scholarship dinner. Greendale Hose Tower.
- ◆ **Jun 1** District grant application due
- ◆ **Jun 3** 5:30 Double D's Speaker host: Schenke. Dan Besson — Hales Corners 75th anniversary. **Food pantry: St. Mary's. Beverage pull tab collection. Rotary question**
- ◆ **Jun 13-17** RI Convention in Taipei

## WPRC MISSION STATEMENT

Serving and enriching our community  
through leadership and learning

### This week

\*\*\*March 14: Muskego Feeds service project. Arrive at 8:15; work 8:30-9:30 assembling dry ingredients in the meal bags. Wear your yellow Rotary shirt. Lake Point Church (S63 W13694 W. Janesville Road)

### The roots of Rotary's polio eradication efforts

On 29 September 1979, volunteers administered drops of oral polio vaccine to children at a health center in Guadalupe Viejo, Makati, Philippines. The event in metropolitan Manila was arranged and attended by Rotarians and delegates from the Philippine Ministry of Health.

When RI President James L. Bomar Jr. put the first drops of vaccine into a child's mouth, he ceremonially launched the Philippine poliomyelitis immunization effort. Rotary's first Health, Hunger and Humanity (3-H) Grant project was underway.

Bomar signed an agreement committing Rotary International and the government of the Philippines to a joint multiyear effort to immunize about 6 million children against polio, at a cost of about \$760,000.

The project's success led Rotary to make polio eradication a top priority. Rotary launched Polio Plus in 1985 and was a founding member of the Global Polio Eradication Initiative in 1988. Through decades of commitment and work by Rotary and our partners, more than 2.5 billion children have received the oral polio vaccine.

Only two countries remain endemic—Afghanistan & Pakistan. We've reduced cases by 99.9% since 1988.

CELEBRATING  
OUR  
50<sup>TH</sup>  
YEAR

**District 6270** [www.rotary6270.org](http://www.rotary6270.org)  
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### WHITNALL PARK ROTARY CLUB

Serving Greendale, Greenfield, Hales Corners & Muskego

PO Box 62, Hales Corners WI 53130

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# Members

John Bennett	City Engineer
Kent Bieganski	Police Chief
Ryan Bigalke	Banker
Michael Breitbart	Air Cargo Sales
James Castelli	Retired
Daniel Christianson	Funeral Director
Terri Delke	Librarian
Kevin Drury	Automotive Service
Jennife Gamez (S)	Administrator
Judy Helminski	Retired
Ashley Movroydis (S)	Education
John Movroydis	Attorney
Michael Musha	Funeral Director
Michael Neitzke #	Municipal administration
Timothy Nicholas	Accountant
Robert Nolan	Accountant
Lisa Olson	Education — Administrator
Robert Petri	Finance Director
Brady Reinke	Education — Administrator
James Rydlewicz	Medical doctor
Scott Schenke	Consultant
James Thorsen	Financial Advisor
Daniel Weber#	Fire Department
Judy Weiss	HVAC Contractor
Thomas Weiss	HVAC Contractor

# Corporate member    S = Service member    H = Honorary member

## ZOOM meeting

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

**Meeting ID:**

**Passcode:**



Or dial-in (audio only) 312 626 6799

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Paul Harris award/ awards President, Past President, President Elect  
Sergeant at Arms: Nicholas

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Fund raising  
 \*Beer at the Amp— Weber  
 \*Brat booth— Petri  
 \*Craft Fairs — Schenke, Petri  
 \*Sheepshead tournament:— Schenke  
Nominations President elect, President, Past President

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Family of Rotary

\*Changing of the Guard — Christianson  
 \*Christmas party — Christianson  
 \*Milkmen game — Sue Thorsen  
 \*Pizza party — Delke  
 \*Play — Schenke  
 \*Sunshine — J. Weiss  
50th anniversary: — Petri, Weber, Schenke, Nolan , Sue Thorsen  
Internet officer/ Webmaster — Olson  
Newsletter — Delke  
Public relations — Olson  
Rotary knowledge — Bieganski  
ZOOM meeting host — Petri or Weber

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Service projects  
 \*Beverage top pull tabs — Schenke  
 \*Gathering bag lunches — Petri  
 \*Healing Hearts gifts— Petri  
 \*Healing Hearts meal — Christianson  
 \*Muskego Feeds — Petri  
 \*Road clean-up — Breitbart  
 \*Salvation Army Bell ringing — Petri

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 timjnicholas@yahoo.com

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Teacher grants— Weber  
Trades scholarships — Weber

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Scholarship dinner— Olson  
Students of the month — Olson

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