

Committees

1. **Classic Car – no chairperson (email joncorbett@yahoo.com)

*Our largest fundraiser. We work in collaboration with the Senior Center to generate funds for both organizations. Need members to solicit donors, find and schedule events, marketing, and make decisions about the general direction of the fundraiser.

2. **Community Service – Aaron Ruplinger (aaron.ruplinger@insperity.com)

*The community service committee focuses in two key areas. The first is identifying opportunities for our club to get involved throughout the community. The second is coordinating Rotary attendees to those opportunities we have identified.

3. **Fireside Chat – (current president) Jon Corbett (joncorbett@yahoo.com)

*It is the current club president's responsibility to hold a "fireside chat", typically in the spring of the year, outside of our normal meeting times (typically in the evening). The fireside chat is designed to help educate newer members about what our club does and how we operate. This committee consists of the current and past presidents and two "newer" members.

4. Foundation Board – Paul Wilke (pawilke@fedins.com)

*The West Bend Sunrise Rotary Foundation Inc., was instituted by the membership of The West Bend Sunrise Rotary as a 501 (c) (3) tax exempt entity. This is important to our club because the foundation allows the club to both accept money and donate money in a tax-exempt manner.

The Foundation consists of 5 directors:

- One member needs to be a club director this position is filled by the most recent Past Club President
- One Foundation director is to be the treasurer who does not need to be a Past President
- Three of the Foundation directors need to be Past Presidents

The Foundation acts to oversee the Foundation funds and makes sure the obligations set forth by the West Bend Sunrise Rotary Club Board and our club members can be and are met. The Foundation submits a budget annually to the Club Board and the membership for approval. The Foundation also gives an accounting of the available funds in Foundation accounts.

5. Funds Distribution – Bob Neja (nejar@charter.net)

*Review projects greater than \$1,000. The committee will research and come to a consensus as to whether large scale "signature projects," that are brought to the club, fit within the goals of our club. They will determine whether the project is financially feasible by looking at the funds available in the Foundation. If several projects are requested at once, the committee will select the one that best fits our goals at the time. If no requests have been received and the Foundation cash balance is greater than we like, the committee should try to find, or formulate a project, where they see a need in the community.

6. Interact/Vocational – Jon Corbett (joncorbett@yahoo.com)

*The primary responsibility of this committee is to work as a liaison between our club and the Interact club at the West Bend High Schools. This committee also oversees the scholarships that we finance through Columns (WBHS) and the Moraine Park Foundation.

7. International – Nancy Slinde/Stacy Wolak (dandnslinde@aol.com)

*The Committee receives \$5000 annually from the Club Foundation for a budget to support international projects. We receive a request of support from a Rotary Club, review information via email, vote to support or not. Email has been an effective way for members to be informed and participate.

8. **Membership – Jon Sacks (sacksj8@gmail.com)

* The membership committee's purpose is recruitment and retention of members in the Club and providing orientation for new members. This includes developing strategies to promote the club to the public and to make the club experience meaningful for existing members. We are also involved in fireside chat events and with answering questions about the application and induction process.

9. **New Event – Jaime Schloemer (jaimeschloemer@yahoo.com)

*This is a recently formed committee. The committee's primary objective is to determine new and different ways to generate funds for the benefit of our club foundation.

10. Paul Harris Committee – Mary Beth Seiser (mbseiser@gmail.com)

* Paul Harris Fellows are named in one of two ways: 1) Either the recipient has contributed a cumulative total of \$1,000 to The Rotary Foundation, OR 2) The club, or other Rotarians, use their accumulated Paul Harris points to name a worthy recipient. This could be a fellow Rotarian, or a member of the greater community. This committee assists in the process of choosing recipients, allocating points, ordering the award materials, and making the presentations (as needed).

11. Public Relations/IT – Joyce Malloy/Dolf De Ceuster (joycem@sandfordrose.com)

*This committee is tasked with managing our social media presence as well as keeping our website current.

12. Social – Jacci Gambucci (jaccigambucci@outlook.com)

* The Social Committee plans and executes an annual event held outside of our normal meeting time. Spouses/guests are typically encouraged to attend, as well as children on a situational basis. They may also be requested to assist with Changing of the Guard.

13. Enchantment in the Park (board) – Mike Phillips (President) – (mikephillips736@gmail.com)

* The Enchantment Board oversees the policies and distribution of proceeds from Enchantment in the Park. Board members should have a strong interest in this project and work on-site in some capacity. The Board meets two-three times a year.