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Bill Hoel

2018-19 District 6250 Governor

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2018-19 Rotary International President

## Today's Program:

**November 5, 2018**

Rotarian: Peter Smart

Speaker: Holly Fox – Community Educator

Program: Breast Cancer Family Foundation Mission

## Upcoming Programs:

**November 12, 2018**

Rotarian: John Steele

Speaker: Dale Davis – Operations Manager SWEPS

Program: Hunger in Wisconsin Rapids

**November 19, 2018**

Rotarian: Don Stein

Speaker: Kathy McGrath

Program: Monarch Butterfly Village in Port Edwards Updates

**November 26, 2018**

Rotarian: Amy Kolo-Elmhorst

Speaker: Amy Kolo-Elmhorst

Program: Scout recognition

## Past Program:

**October 29, 2018**

Rotarian: Dan Guck

Speaker: Dan Guck

Program: Foundation Drive

Dan Guck presented an update of our Wisconsin Rapids Rotary Foundation. This begins the kickoff of the annual campaign to try and raise \$12,000 to support our mission. The suggested request for this year is \$250 from each club member. These resources are used for many good works throughout our community. Some of the programs that our Club has helped are: Scout Troop 105, Rotary Ramps, Polio Plus, Day of Caring, Youth Rotars, Youth Scholarships, water-well project, Neighborhood Table and RYLA. There is no doubt that this could not be possible without the incredible generosity of the club members who contribute each year!!

With Rotary's theme for this year being "Be the Inspiration", we are right on que by doing just that here locally. Our local youth are one of our main focuses of the Foundation. What better way to lead by example and give back and inspire those who will be future difference makers! We look forward to everyone making their contributions as we work towards our goal. The second goal is to have 100% participation of every club member support the Foundation in whatever amount they can afford. Every little bit helps... just ask the kids!! Thank you to everyone for your support!

Special recognition was made to Katy Jordan from Legacy Accounting to thank her for all the work she continues to do behind the scenes for our Rotary Club and Rotary Foundation.



The latest edition of the District 6250 news can now be seen online at <http://www.rotary6250.org>

# Rotary Memories

October 29, 2018 - Rotary Meeting

Honorary Rotarian:

None

Visiting Rotarians, Interact/RILA Students:

None

High School Youth Rotars:

Ellie Schuerman (LHS)  
Josh Carlin (LHS)  
Olivia Bean (LHS)  
Clay Lancour (Nekoosa)  
Haley Kniprath (Nekoosa)  
Kaitlyn Lyp (John Edwards)  
Taylor Foate (John Edwards)  
Cale Kubisiak (Assumption)



Guest/Guest Of:

Shellie Guck/Dan Guck  
Katy Jordan/Dan Guck  
Jill Kurszewski/Nan Taylor

Make-Ups:

Tari Jahns 10/22/18 – Online 10/24/18

Email Make-Ups to Club Secretary:

Kent Anderson

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(Make-ups for missed meetings must be completed within two weeks (prior or following) the missed meeting.)

Resignations, Rule of 85, Leaves of Absence:

Leave of Absence: Jim Boyd, until June 1, 2019.

Free Lunch

Tari Jahns



Happy Cup

\$4.00

**Rotary Memories: Week of November 5, 2018**

**ROTARY MOMENT: 1966 & 1979 .....**

On September 19, 1966 our board of directors purchased the now familiar three inch medallions to be worn by each member at club meetings for proper identification. Little did they know that their action would evolve into our "Free Lunch" program.

On August 6, 1979 Milt Schneider, Badge #80, is the first recipient of the free lunch sponsored by the badge committee.

**Announcements:**

- Please welcome our **November** Youth Rotar's: Abigail DeRoche (LHS), Michael Olson (LHS), Emma Ruesch (LHS), Jacob Rheinschmidt (Nekoosa), Jade Martin (JEHS) and TBA (Assumption).
- Scout Troop 105 is working on a community project and is in need of winter scarfs. If anyone has any scarfs they would like to donate, please bring to a Rotary Club meeting or contact Amy Kolo-Elmhorst. The troop will be placing scarfs around the city to help keep those in need, warm this winter season.
- Are you interested in helping sponsor another international water-well project through the Makah Foundation? If so, please contact Phil Brown or Tammi Jepson as our Wisconsin Rapids Noon Rotary Club would like to help bring clean drinking water to another village in Africa.
- The **October** Youth Rotars gave a farewell speech at the October 29, 2018 Rotary meeting. Our Rotary Club wishes the best to the October Youth Rotar students: Ellie Schuerman (LHS), Josh Carlin (LHS), Olivia Bean (LHS), Clay Lancour (Nekoosa), Haley Kniprath (Nekoosa), Kaitlyn Lyp (John Edwards), Taylor Foate (John Edwards), Cale Kubisiak (Assumption).



**Estate Planning? Think Rotary!**

Rotary can be the gift that keeps giving. Consider supporting our local Rotary Foundation as a part of your legacy. Ask Al Bardole, Chuck Gibbons, or Dan Guck how Rotary can be included in your estate planning.

**PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS:**

Al Bardole +3	Joy Berg +8	Traci Biolo	Phil Brown +2	Sue Budjac +1	Jake Close +1	Marlyn Close
Todd Cour +2	James Custer +2	Nelson Dahl +1	Guy-Robert Detlefsen, Jr.	Jerry Feith	Susan Feith +1	Charles Gibbons +8
Paul Grinder	Ken Hill +1	H.M. Hughson	Tari Jahns	Tammi Jepson +1	Richard Kalscheur	Richard Kenney +3
John Kinsey	Robin Koeshall	Amy Kolo-Elmhorst+1	David Kumm +1	Ronald McCabe +2	Robert McGrath	George Mead, II +1
Warren Miller	Ahmad Musallam +2	Gregory Nettesheim	Michael O'Leary +1	Mark Olinyk +1	Bruce Rokke +2	Pam Ross +1
Kelly Ryan	Bret Salscheider	Lean Schmidt	Loretta Schoechert	James Shewchuck	John Siewert, Jr.+1	John Siewert, Sr. +1
Susan Sippel +1	Peter Smart +1	John Steele +7	Paul Wachowiak +2	Doug Wenzlaff	James Wenzlaff	Robert Zimmerman +4
Mike Zurfluh						

Weekly meetings are held Monday's at The Hotel Mead - 11:45am to 1pm