

### **WISCONSIN RAPIDS SUNRISE SCRIPT**

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District 6250 Wisconsin Rapids Rotary – Sunrise – Club No. 31198, Chartered 12/29/95 Box 1181, Wisconsin Rapids WI 54495

# Today's Program

#### **Avenues of Service**

Feb 13	John Moffat – Video Conference with Eau Claire Club
Feb 20	Martin Obsuszt
Feb 27	Brian Oswall - Eric Siler: LHS Technology & Engineering Career Pathways
Mar 5	Avenues of Service
Mar 12	Tom Paul
Mar 19	Jim Riebe
Mar 26	Larry Schmick
Apr 2	Tom Schneider

#### **Rotary News**

- Rotary welcomed our January Youth Rotars Ryan Blokhuis and Erin Schlaefer
- February 25<sup>th</sup> is a spaghetti fundraiser for the Outdoor Learning Center
- February 20<sup>th</sup> is our Neighborhood Table night
- Packer Pool, status: \$440 B&GC, \$580 OLC, \$408 Aquatic Center
- We are collecting items through February 13<sup>th</sup> for the Family Center including ice melt, toilet paper, paper towels, disinfectant wipes, disinfectant spray, garbage bags (13 gallon), copy paper, diapers (sizes 4 and 5), over-the-counter meds (adults and children cold medicine, Tylenol), pull-ups, and diaper wipes

#### Save the Date:

April 17th Fundraiser at the Ridges. There will be three teams working on the event: promotions, sponsorship, and silent auction (for experiences). We will be celebrating our 25th year as a club! The entertainment will be from Erin Krebs, she was awarded the WAMI (Wisconsin Area Music Industry) Female

Vocalist of the Year for 2019!

Cost is \$60 per person with tables for 8 for \$400. Please share the Facebook Event with your contacts.





Happy Pig: ~\$15 donated to the pig.

#### **OFFICERS 2019/2020**

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President - Dave Guse senegaldave1@gmail.com President Elect – Carrie Nikolai carrie.nikolai@coldwellbanker.com Past President- Dean Veneman dean@thepromoagency.net Treasurer – Mary Wirtz mwirtz7886@gmail.com Secretary Bill Lindroth for RI reporting mwlindroth@solarus.biz **Dennis McCarville for meetings** dennis.mccarville@ampf.com Sergeant at Arms - Kyle Cronan cronaky@pesd.k12.wi.us Script Editor- Rick Merdan rick.merdan@gmail.com

#### **Current Paul Harris Fellows**

Barry Jens
Bob Ebben
Dean Veneman (3)
Dennis McCarville
Fred Stich (2)
John Moffat (3)
Karen Kienert
Kristopher Gasch
Larry Schmick
Mary Jo Green (3)
Mary Wirtz
Nancy Mischnick
Tim Krueger
Tom Paul (4)
Tom Schneider (2)

#### **Club Chairpersons**

#### **Vocational Service**

Gus Mancuso, co-chair Carol Davis, co-chair

#### **Community Service**

Dave Guse, chair

#### **International Service**

Nancy Mischnick, co-chair Tom Schneider, co-chair

#### Club Service / Membership Rick Merdan, chair

R.I. Foundation Liaison Karen Kienert

Polio Plus Chairperson Tom Schneider

Youth Exchange Officer Felicia Gardner

Youth Exchange Counselor Tom Schneider

Youth Protection Officer TBD



Casa Hogar Juan Pablo 11

## **UWEC Students Jared Rogers and Matt Aaseng: "Casa de Hogard Orphanage"**

Description: Casa Hogar is a home for youth in Peru with the mission of delivering high quality care in a family environment. There are 64 children and 8 families who live at Casa Hogar ranging in age from 5 years to 17 years. Our care is unique from the traditional orphanage model. Over the years, our organization has provided many children with a safe and caring environment where they gain the confidence to develop skills that empower and enable them for a more promising future. As the central hub for an association of 19 orphanages and local service homes, Casa Hogar aims to impact the community beyond just our children. Through a global network of volunteers, support and love from around the world, our goal is to engage, integrate and uplift the local community while allowing our children not only to survive, but to thrive. More information on our model, can be found in our Program section.

The children come from in or around Lima Peru. At the facility they raise their own sheep and chickens for food. The children learn social skills such as how to look someone in the eye when talking to them. They played with the children and learned about accepting people for who they are. While there they complete projects such as painting walls. Very humbly they learned how to be better missionaries and having a mission heart for others. The area is very poor with inadequate sanitation, low quality housing, where most street vendors are homeless. Illegal activity is the norm. Once kids leave the orphanage they face a very difficult life.

You can help by following them on Facebook or their website and sponsor a child.

https://www.homeajpm.org/home





