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Today's Program

Sally Kissner – Bret Salscheider “YMCA Tour”
601 W Grand Ave, Wisconsin Rapids

Now meeting (normally) In-Person Meeting at the Elks Lodge 430 Jackson

Click on this link to join virtually

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/76631647715?pwd=RWVteU1aMzhXTmtGa3QyRmtTTi9HZz09>

Meeting ID: 766 3164 7715 Password: 4J7xBF Dial: 312 626 6799 Passcode: 960151

Week	Rotarian/Program
Sep 16	Jeff Kuhn – Joe Terry “Wisconsin Rapids Street Utility Concept”
Sep 23	Bill Lindroth
Sep 30	Avenues of Service
Oct 7	Dennis McCarville – Stan Suchow “Swing Against Cancer”
Oct 14	Caleb McGregor

Rotary News

- We had 16 people in attendance including Youth Rotar Ashley Abbot, a senior at Lincoln High School is class president, NHS member, LinkCrew, Basketball, Soccer, and Golf and is looking forward to attending college in North Carolina for premed and hopes to be an anesthesiologist.
- Pastor Caleb McGregor from the Port Edwards United Methodist Church received his second recommendation to the club.
- Mini-Golf event was a success with beautiful weather, final financial figures will be available in a couple weeks.
- Our meeting next week is on-site at the new YMCA 601 West Grand

Dr. Ron Kirshling – COVID Update

Dr. Kirshling provided an update on the COVID situation and how the Delta variant has put the healthcare systems back in crisis.

- Worldwide the COVID pandemic is the 8th worst in history
- 90% Of ICU beds are occupied by unvaccinated individuals, non-COVID patients are being sent wherever there is capacity which can be hundreds of miles
- Most hospitalizations are for Acute Respiratory Distress Syndrome (ARDS), see diagram
- “Anti-Vaxers” have two common concerns
 - The Vaccine Adverse Event Reporting System (VAERS) tracks and reports vaccine reactions and currently lists 6,079 deaths associated with it out of the 350+ million doses administered
 - The FDA approved Pfizer vaccine is not the same exact one that was given Experimental Use Authorization (EUA)
- Booster vaccinations are being administered currently for those that are immunocompromised. It is expected that they will be more widespread within the next several months.
- Real issue is that 5 billion people in the world are not vaccinated, and the virus is apt to continue to mutate with potential deadlier versions.

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TBD

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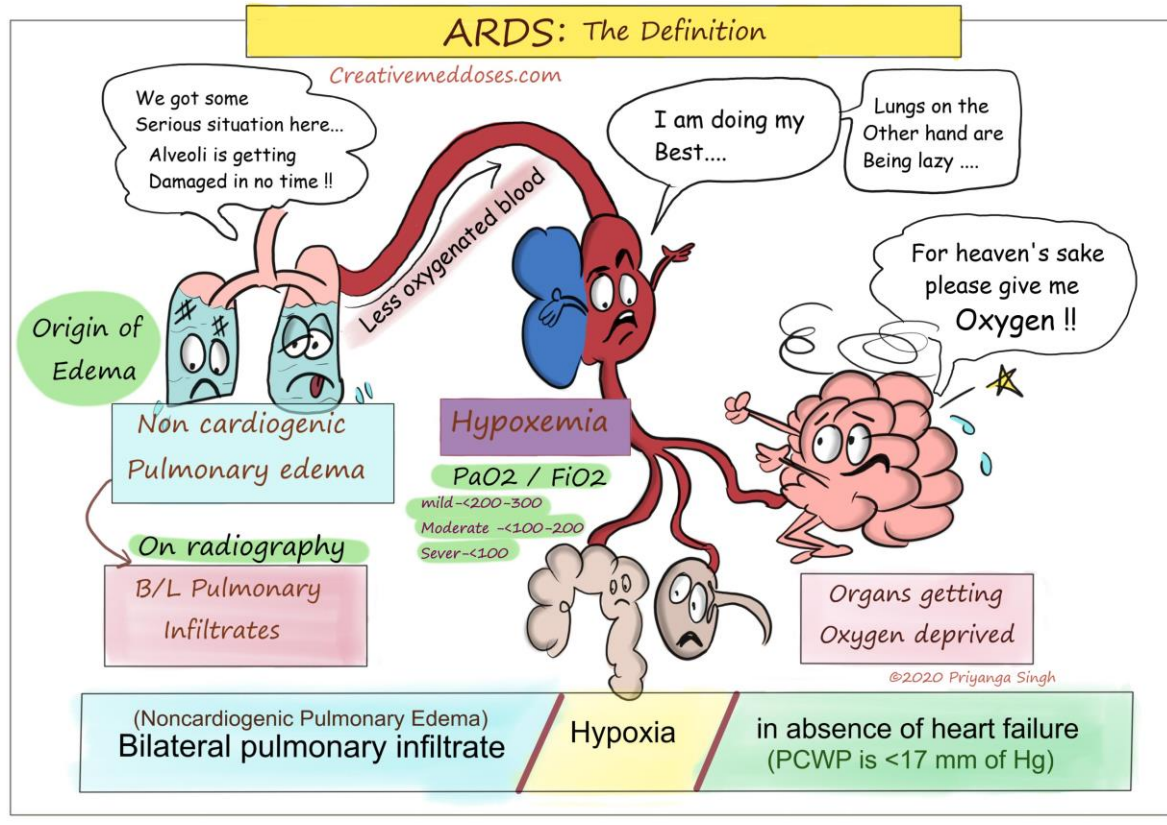
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P.O. Box 1100, Rockville, MD 20849-1100
PATIENT IDENTITY KEPT CONFIDENTIAL

DO YOUR PART

for Vaccine Safety – Report to VAERS.

If one of your patients becomes ill after being vaccinated, promptly report it to the Vaccine Adverse Event Reporting System (VAERS), even if you are not sure that the vaccine caused the illness.

As a healthcare provider, you can help to ensure the safety of vaccines given to patients in the United States by reporting adverse events to VAERS.

- You may report to VAERS online or download and print a VAERS form at www.vaers.hhs.gov.
- You may mail your VAERS form to:
VAERS
P.O. Box 1100
Rockville, MD 20849-1100
or fax to: (877) 721-0366
- For additional information on VAERS, call (800) 822-7967.

VAERS
Vaccine Adverse Event Reporting System

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VAERS is a national vaccine safety surveillance program, co-sponsored by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and the Food and Drug Administration (FDA). VAERS is a post-licensure surveillance program that collects information about adverse events (possible side effects) that occur after the administration of vaccines licensed for use in the United States.

CDC:

"VAERS received 6,079 reports of death among people who received a COVID-19 vaccine."

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