

MANITOU DAYS
JUNE 14—JULY 4
Celebrating 50 years of fun in the sun

Friday, June 16th Grande Day Parade
Beach Dance 8-11 p.m.

STRIVE SCHOLARSHIP RACE
TACO JOHN'S RUN BABY RUN 5k & 10k
Saturday, August 5, 2017

THE ROTARY CLUB OF WHITE BEAR LAKE
Proudly Presents
6th Annual
Taste of White Bear Lake
September 9, 2017
Pine Tree Apple Orchard

THOUGHT FOR FATHER'S DAY:
(June 18th)

**"A Father is neither an anchor to
hold us back;
Nor a sail to take us there;
But a guiding light whose love shows
us the way."**

-Author Unknown

REMINDER TO MEMBERS:

The Rotary fiscal year ends on June 30th. Please make sure all your financial obligations to the club and foundation have been paid before that date.

Also, if you need any check requests or project payments made, they must be submitted prior to June 30th.

Contact Marlyce Paulson if you have any questions!

PROGRAM: Commissioner Ken Peterson, Minnesota's Workforce

Ken Peterson is Minnesota's Commissioner of Labor and Industry. He is part of Governor Dayton's Cabinet. Presently there are 2.9 million jobs in Minnesota and unemployment is less than 4%. Minnesota is doing well. The medium income is the 6th largest in the United States and the highest between the West and East Coast.

Prior to World War II, Minnesota's economy primarily depended upon agriculture, mining, lumber, and milling. After World War II the private sector combined with good public policy really took off. The State started to pump money into education and new companies began to flourish. Currently, CNBC rates Minnesota 2nd in education. Minnesota is often referred to as the "Knowledge Based State". The public/private sector is thriving. However, there are future challenges because the workforce is changing, there is a growing rural/urban divide, economic and educational disparity exists with minorities, and the workforce is diminishing because of our ageing population and lower birthrates. It is becoming harder to find people to work. The State needs to continue to put money into education and develop new pathways for young people to enter the workforce.

Commissioner Peterson, thank you for the program and all you do for the State of Minnesota.

Writer of the week: Dick Galena

**Rotary Club of White Bear—building friendships and
improving lives through hands-on projects
in the White Bear area and around the globe**

UPCOMING MEETINGS:

June 21: Greg Krauska, "Shelter Box"
Chairperson: Chuck Sandstrom
Classification: Rob Wood
Greeters: Michelle Michael & Joe Benson
Invocation: Randy Johnson
Writer: Mark Sather

June 28: Carolyn Wrightsman & Owen Fredrick, Outbound YE Students
Chairperson: Had Solberg
Classification: Cathy Wyland
Greeters: Mark Miller & Jessica Bernier
Invocation: Rich Ramsay
Writer: Greg Young

July 5: Jim Bowyer, Forest Products
Chairperson: Greg Young
Classification: Greg Young
Greeters: Bob Morse & Peg Black
Invocaton: Steve LaLiberte
Writer: Cathy Wyland

UPCOMING MEETINGS:

July 12: TBD
July 19: Jeff Otto presents: Rassoul Dastmozd, President/CEO St Paul College
July 26: TBD

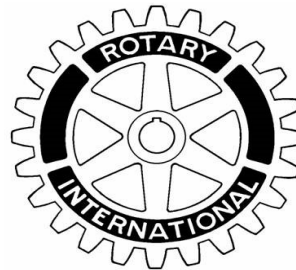
At least three weeks in advance of your scheduled date, please contact Jeff Otto: jeff.otto@opmpallet.com.

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Bear Bulletin Deadline: Friday, 5pm

COMMITTEE MEETINGS

CLUB SERVICE COMMITTEE: Meets 2nd Tuesday of each month, Eat @ Banning & 5th, 7 a.m.
BOARD MEETINGS: Meets 4th Tuesday of each month, WBL City Hall, 7 a.m.
PUBLIC IMAGE COMMITTEE: Meets 2nd Wednesday of each month after Rotary meeting
COMMUNITY SERVICE: Meets last Wednesday of each month, 12 noon, Location TBD
VOCATIONAL COMMITTEE: Meets 1st Thursday of each month, Keys Restaurant, 7 a.m.
INTERNATIONAL SERVICE COMMITTEE: Meets 2nd Thursday of each month, Eat @ Banning & 5th, 7 a.m.
FUNDRAISER COMMITTEE: Meets immediately following Wednesday meeting (seasonal)

2016-2017 Officers/Directors
President Ken Galloway
President-Elect Craig Drake
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Treasurer Pam Tschida
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. Patty Hall
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. Darrell Stone
. Greg Young
. Rita Pechmann
. Dick Galena
. Bob Timmons
. Cathy Wyland
Invocations Rich Ramsay
. Bill Rust
. Bryce Johnson
. Bob Gehrke
. Randy Johnson
. Steve LaLiberte



Rotary Club of White Bear Lake
Chartered in December 1979

Meetings
Wednesday at 7:00 A.M.
Rudy's Redeye Grill



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Taste of White Bear Lake:
Steve LaLiberte is looking for Rotarians who know people at businesses with the name "White Bear" in their name. Knowing the names will help Steve contact them about possible sponsorship with the Taste of White Bear. See Steve for more details, or look for the board that circulates during meetings.

Pat McFarlane will be handling ticket sales again for the Taste of White Bear. Each WBL Rotarian will get 6 tickets to sell. Tickets will be available after the Beach Dance.

Pam Tschida is leading the Taste Silent Auction efforts and will need donations.

Beach Dance:
Ken Baltzer reminded Rotarians about the Beach Dance on June 16th. Volunteers will be needed for June 15-16

June 14, 2017

Greeters: Craig McNulty & John Wayne Barker

Classification: Daniel Ward

Invocation: Bob Gehrke

Program: Pam Tschida presents: Amy Anderson, First Lego League

Writer: Darrell Stone

Song: Ken Baltzer

YOU'RE A GRAND OLD FLAG

You're a Grand Old Flag,
you're a high flying flag,
and forever in peace may you wave.
You're the emblem of the land I love,
the home of the free and the brave.
Every heart beats true under Red, White and Blue,
where there's never a boast or a brag.
But "Should Auld Acquaintance Be Forgot,"
keep your eye on the Grand Old Flag.

