

**‘BEAR’ly Open XI
Dance
Friday, February 2, 2018
8-11 p.m.
White Bear Country Inn
4940 Hwy 61 N.**

**Golf on Ice
Saturday, February 3, 2018
Noon to 4 p.m.**

White Bear Lake County Park—5050 Lake Avenue

**Join us as we begin our second decade of this great event and
“Claw” our way toward a community that is free from hunger**

PROSPECTIVE NEW MEMBERS

The following persons have been approved for Rotary membership. If there are no objections from club members, they will be inducted at an upcoming meeting.

Derrek Skeie
Commercial Plumbing and Heating
Classification: Mechanical Contractor
Sponsor: Greg Bartz & Craig Drake

Debra Neutkens
Press Publications (corporate member)
Classification: Professional Editor
Sponsor: Carter Johnson

Thought for the week:
“Fame is a feeble food upon a shifting plate.”
- Emily Dickenson

DID YOU KNOW?

All upcoming presentations and other meeting information is included on the back side of this Bulletin. If you are wondering when you are scheduled to be a greeter, give a classification, etc. this information is issued three weeks in advance (and generally uses the alphabetical membership list). If you have questions about this, contact Marlyce.

CLASSIFICATION: Chuck Edson

Chuck has been a Rotarian since 1994 and heads an Edward Jones office in White Bear Lake. Chuck grew up in Barron, WI where his family owned several gas stations and convenience stores, and his mother was a math teacher. After graduating from the University of Wisconsin – Eau Claire, he married his wife Paula in 1983 and purchased a department store in New Richmond, WI. After owning the department store for 12 years, Chuck started with Edward Jones and has grown with the company. Chuck’s son works with him, and his daughter lives in Duluth.

**PROGRAM: Greg Bartz presents:
Chelsea Holub, Twin Cities Rotaract Club**

There are 3 types of clubs within Rotary International – Interact Clubs for high school students, Rotaract Clubs for college students and young professionals, and Rotary Clubs for grownups. Rotaract clubs are designed for young adults ages 18-35, and they offer community involvement without some of the barriers that young adults sometimes experience in joining Rotary Clubs. Joining a Rotaract club is a smaller financial and time commitment than joining a Rotary club, which is important to a young professional who might not yet have as much flexibility as a more established professional.

The Twin Cities Rotaract Club is one of three Rotaract Clubs in the metro area and is sponsored by the Roseville Rotary Club. They meet twice per month on Wednesday evenings, and these meetings vary between guest speakers, service projects, social events, and networking events. The group partners with other Rotary clubs on projects, gets involved in district events, and creates mentorship relationships through their “Take a Rotarian to Lunch” program.

Writer of the week: Greg Young

**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:

January 24: Tim Burt, Beyond the Four Walls
Chairperson: Mark Miller
Classification: Bill Foussard
Greeters: Bob Timmons & Randy Johnson
Invocation: Randy Johnson
Writer: Dick Galena

January 31: Lind Becker, Workforce Gap
Chairperson: Bob Morse
Classification: Ann Frisch
Greeters: Fred Treiber & Wayne Kazmierczak
Invocation: Rich Ramsay
Writer: Bob Timmons

February 7: Brigadier General Wickman, Today's Soldiers
Chairperson: Justin Bradshaw
Classification: Dick Galena
Greeters: Daniel Ward & Stephen Kelly
Invocation: Bill Rust
Writer: Mark Sather

FUTURE MEETINGS:

February 14: Gene Altstatt presents: Jim Hoey, Honoring Those Who Honor
February 21: Scott Mueller presents: Todd Mueller, Town Ball Parks of MN
February 28: Craig McNulty presents: Shane Hudella, United Heroes League

At least three weeks in advance of your scheduled date, please contact Jeff Otto:
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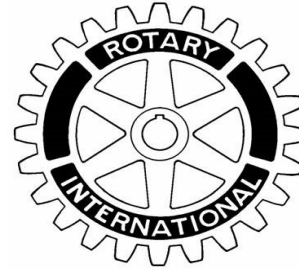
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Bear Bulletin Deadline: Friday, 5pm

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)

2017-2018 Officers/Directors

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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

Ken Galloway announced that volunteers, space heaters, and generators are needed for the upcoming BEAR'ly Open event. Please see Ken if you're able to help.

Ann Frisch presented flags from other Rotary clubs from around the world including Uganda, Nigeria, Peru, Thailand, Hamburg, and Atlanta.

Jim Hunt, along with members from the North St Paul club, the Red Wing club, and the district, presented a check for a District grant for a Costa Rica project.

Tom Snell announced the January 16 (8-10am) WBL Chamber event on autonomous vehicles. Sounds like an interesting topic. Location is Maplewood Community Center. See the chamber website for more information.

Greg Bartz needs to know who is interested in the summer trip to Russia. Let him know as soon as possible so the "invitation process" can be started.

January 17, 2018

Greeters: Rob Thomas & Carter Johnson

Classification: Sam Emerson

Invocation: Steve LaLiberte

Rotary Minute: Ryan Boog, Vocational

Induction of New Members: Derrek Skeie, Debra Neutkens

Program: Had Solberg presents: Ariana Skelton-Delich, Returning YE Student

Writer: Cathy Wyland

Song: Ken Baltzer

Get Together Song

The more we get together, together, together,
The more we get together,
the happier we'll be
For your friends are my friends,
And my friends are your friends,
The more we get together,
the happier we'll be.
The more we sing at Rotary, Rotary, Rotary
The more we sing at Rotary,
the happier we'll be
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