

CLASSIFICATION:

Derrek Skeie grew up in White Bear Township and graduated from White Bear High School in 1993. He currently owns and operates Commercial Plumbing and Heating located in Forest Lake. He has been married for 20 years and has 3 children. In his spare time, he teaches skiing at Afton Alps. Derrek is a hockey enthusiast, having coached hockey for 10 years. Derrek, thank you for all you do for our community.

**WHITE BEAR LAKE ROTARY
OUTSTANDING ROTARIAN AWARD CRITERIA**

- A. Rotary
 - 1. Loyal and faithful service to the Rotary Club
 - 2. Adherence to the 4– Way Test
 - 3. Service above self
 - 4. Advanced the reputation influence and prestige of Rotary
- B. Community
 - 1. Leadership
 - 2. Vision/Idealism
 - 3. Volunteerism
 - 4. Reputation
 - 5. Patriotism (devotion to democratic ideals)
 - 6. Citizenship (public service)
- C. Vocation
 - 1. Leadership
 - 2. Adherence to high ethical standards
 - 3. Faithful service to the organization
 - 4. Peer recognition, esteem, and respect
 - 5. Integrity
 - 6. Distinction in profession
 - 7. Role model
- D. Personal
 - 1. Modesty
 - 2. Charity
 - 3. Good deeds
 - 4. Compassion
 - 5. Good will
 - 6. Courtesy
 - 7. Generosity

THOUGHT OF THE WEEK:

“Beware the ides of March”
Soothsayer to Caesar,
Julius Caesar I, ii, 109

**OUTSTANDING
ROTARIAN AWARD
RECIPIENTS**
2003.....Ken Baltzer
2005.....Roy Havenor
2007.....Bill Foussard
2009.....Bob Loetterle
2011.....Pat McFarlane
2013.....Ken Galloway
2015.....Dale Grambush
2017.....Tim Geck

PROSPECTIVE NEW MEMBERS

The following person(s) have been approved for Rotary International and White Bear Lake Rotary membership. If there are no objections from club members within 10 days, they will be inducted at an upcoming meeting.

DJ Clark
North Insurance Group
Classification: Insurance
Sponsor: Greg Bartz

Art Hancock
St John of the Wilderness Church
Classification: Clergy
Sponsor: Bill Eaves

Program: Bill Murray of Schwing America

No, it’s not the comedian Bill Murray, but our very own Bill Murray who is the CEO, COO and CFO of Schwing America, Inc. located in White Bear Township on Centerville Road. Schwing America is a part of the worldwide Schwing Group, which designs, manufactures and distributes specialized concrete products. Schwing America manufactures and distributes the Schwing concrete pumps, truck mixers, batch plants, reclaimers, and genuine parts in North and Latin America. The company was founded in 1934 by the late Frederick Schwing, Sr., a West German resident. Schwing America’s concrete boom pumps were used in such notable construction as the Freedom Tower in New York, Vikings Stadium, the Panama Canal, and the Stillwater Bridge. In 2012, Schwing merged with XCMG, a Chinese manufacturer of construction equipment. Bill Murray’s favorite advice to Schwing’s employees is “Care about your job, team, family and community”. Bill, thank you for that great talk. Both Bill and Schwing America are terrific assets to our community.

*Writer of the week: Dick Galena**

*2019 ROTARY
INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION
HAMBURG, GERMANY
JUNE 1-5, 2019*

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

UPCOMING MEETINGS

March 20: Tim Owens, "Redemption Project"

Chairperson: Darrell Stone

Classification: Conrad Solberg

**Greeters: Wayne Kazmierczak &
Steve Carlson**

Invocation: Steven Griffith

Writer: Greg Young

**March 27: Murray Death, "Youth and
Family Stability"**

Chairperson: Bill Eaves

Classification: Darrell Stone

Greeters: Stephen Kelly & John Channon

Invocation: Steve LaLiberte

Writer: Rita Pechmann

**April 3: Teresa Thomas, 50 Fun Things
and Women Networking**

Chairperson: Connie Bossard

Classification: Kathy Stone

Greeters: John Kenyon & Amy Dauplaise

Invocation: Bob Gehrke

Writer: Jackie Reis

UPCOMING MEETINGS:

April 10: Gene Altstatt presents:

Tammi Roach, Kristin Reither, YMCA Update

April 17: Pat McFarlane presents:

Dr. Michael Lovett, "Uganda Trip"

**April 24: Had Solberg presents: Tessa Makepeace,
"Bilingual Child Care and Education Center in
Mahtomedi"**

**At least three weeks in advance of your schedule,
please contact Jeff Otto: Jeff.otto@opmpallet.com**

Mail or phone club news to the

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Bear Bulletin Deadline: Friday, 5pm

WBL ROTARY TEAM MEETINGS

BOARD MEETINGS: Meets 4th Tuesday of
each month, WBL City Hall, 7 a.m.

CLUB SERVICE TEAM: Meets 2nd Tues-
day of each month, Eat @ Banning & 5th, 7a.m.

COMMUNITY SERVICE TEAM: Meets last
Wednesday of each month, noon, location TBD

FUNDRAISER TEAM: Meets immediately
following Wednesday meeting (seasonal)

INTERNATIONAL SERVICE TEAM:
Meets 2nd Thursday of each month, Eat @
Banning & 5th, 7 a.m.

PUBLIC IMAGE TEAM: Meets 2nd
Wednesday of each month, 6:30 p.m. location
TBD

VOCATIONAL SERVICE TEAM: Meets
1st Thursday of each month, Keys Restaurant,
7 a.m.

YOUTH EXCHANGE TEAM: Meets 2nd
Thursday, 4:30 p.m., Washington Square Grill

2018-2019 Officers/Directors

President Connie Bossard

President-Elect . . . John Channon

Past President . . . Craig Drake

Treasurer Pat McClernon

Secretary Michael Lovett

Exec. Secretary . . . Marlyce Paulson

Public Image Bob Timmons

Rotary Foundation . Curt Akenson

Community Service . Jim Rathburn

. Rita Pechmann

Vocational Service . Dale Grambush

. Fred Treiber

Club Service Greg Young

. Ken Baltzer

International . . . Fred Treiber

. Jim Hunt

Youth Protection . . Gene Altstatt/Greg Bartz

Youth Exchange . . Had Solberg

Bulletin Writers . . . Mark Sather

Darrell Stone

Greg Young

Rita Pechmann

Dick Galena

Bob Timmons

Cathy Wyland

Jackie Ries

Invocations Rich Ramsay

Bill Rust

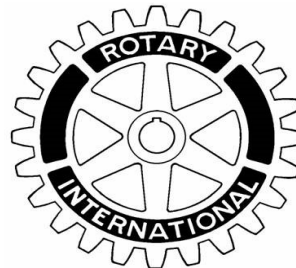
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Bill Eaves

Steven Griffith



Rotary Club of White Bear Lake
Chartered in December 1979

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



ANNOUNCEMENTS

What Rotary apparel? Order forms availa-
ble. See Ken **Baltzer**.

Nominations are being considered for
White Bear Lake Rotary Outstanding Ro-
tarian Award. Contact **Ken Baltzer**.

There are club opportunities to curl togeth-
er, including a spring league in March.
John Kenyon.

Jeff Otto is scheduling a meeting to talk
about possible interactions with a Rotarian
group who is doing a project in Ireland.
Contact Jeff if this interests you.

Ken Galloway passed the Inspiration
Pin to **Bill Foussard**. The pin continues to
move through the club reinforcing the Ro-
tary theme for this year—"Be The Inspira-
tion"

**ROTARIANS ARE
PEOPLE OF ACTION**

March 13, 2019

**Greeters: Carter Johnson &
Dustin Carlson**

Classification: Tom Snell

Invocation: Bill Eaves

Writer: Darrell Stone

**Program: Bill Foussard presents:
Kent Larson,
Xcel's Energy of the Future**

Ken Baltzer: Song

My Wild Irish Rose

My Wild Irish Rose,
The sweetest flow'r that grows,
You may search ev'rywhere ,
but none can compare
With my wild Irish rose.

My wild Irish rose,
The dearest flow'r that grows,
And some day for my sake,
she may let me take
The bloom from my wild Irish rose.

