



*Celebrating 43 Years of Service
To the Community
Rotary Club of White Bear Lake*

*Meetings
Wednesday at 7:30 a.m.
Hybrid Meetings at Rudy's
Redeye Grill and via Zoom*



AUGUST 3, 2022

**PROGRAM: Students with Disabilities
in Partnerships with Local Businesses**
Danya Troxel

CHAIR: Dr. Val Rae Boe

INVOCATION/INSPIRATION:
Bill Eaves

CLASSIFICATION: Tim Wald

WRITER: Darrell Stone

Hybrid meetings are held on Wednesday a.m.
at Rudy's and via zoom.

White Bear Lake Club Meeting
Social Time starts at 7:15 a.m.; Actual meeting
starts at 7:30 a.m. and finish by 8:30 a.m.
To join the Zoom meeting:
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87159321038>
Meeting ID: 871 5932 1038

WBL Rotary Club Celebrates 4:01- at Rudy's.
Join us for end-of-week social time with
Rotarian friends.

ANNOUNCEMENTS #IMAGINE ROTARY

STRIVE Scholarship Race, August
6th at 8 a.m.. Taco John's Run Baby
Run, 5K and 10K.

Blood Drive, Wednesday, August 17,
2-7 p.m. at White Bear Armory. Call
1-800-REDCROSS or visit Red-
CrossBlood.org: WBL Rotary to
schedule appointment.

Annual WBL Pontoon Event and Box Din-
ner at **Gene and Marcia Altstatt** resi-
dence, 67 Wildwood Beach Road,
Mahtomedi, August 25th at 5:30 p.m., \$25/
person. Enjoy a lively celebration and a fun
pontoon ride on White Bear Lake. Watch
for the upcoming sign-up.

Derrek Skeie announced a White Bear
Lake Rotary site for ordering wearables
(shirts, hats). The site is from Thread
Art. Here is a link to the showroom/store -
Click on your logo and enter password:
Rotary

Mark Sather thanked Rotarians **Kevin
Donovan, Pam Bowers and Carter John-
son** for assisting in finding a bike for the
Afghan families his volunteer group is
working with.

Taste of White Bear Lake

SEPTEMBER 10 AT PINE TREE APPLE ORCHARD

Ashley Filipovich and Julie Honsa presented an update on the Taste of White Bear Lake 2022 to be held September 10th at Pine Tree Orchard. By now every member should have received the **tickets** which it is hoped they will buy and sell. On-line sales have started to roll in so lets get cracking on our personal sales. Checks should be made out to WBL Rotary Foundation. If you are interested in being a **sponsor** and receive the accompanying benefits, check with **Darrell Stone or Jim Rathburn**.

CLASSIFICATION: Pam Tschida

Pam grew up in Roseville and has lived in White Bear Lake many years. Pam has worked in the hair industry for 50 years and her shop, Shear Reflections, is located in the Avalon Mall, which she rents from Bill Rust. Bill encouraged her to join Rotary. Pam has four daughters and 10 grandchildren. In addition to her Rotary involvement, she has been active in the Community Theatre and volunteers at Shakopee's Women's Prison.

Pam joined Rotary 17 years ago. Favorite memories include the Dinners with Santa; trip to Nicaragua with Jim Hunt's group; Honor flight to Washington DC, accompanying Rod; and the Kenya trip with H2O for Life and Patty Hall. Rotary is family to Pam, which she especially felt when her young grandson very sadly died last December.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO YOU...

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August 1.....**John Jacobson**
August 7.....**Scott Mueller**
August 12.....**Steve LaLiberte**
August 16.....**Kate Anderson**
August 17.....**Pam Bowers**
August 19.....**Pam Tschida**
August 22.....**Wayne Kazmierczak**
August 17.....**Art Hancock**

NEWS RE UKRAINE YOUTH GROUP

Irina Fursman announced that 18 youth from Ukraine will be coming to Minnesota in August -September with the emphasis on youth leadership development. Volunteers and host families will be needed as well as assistance with transportation, etc. **Tim Wald** is a contact as well as Irina at 1-763-232-2338 or Irina.fursman@hue.life.

PROGRAM FROM MEETING OF 7/27/22 :
Hockey Day Minnesota (Greg Bartz, Corey Roberts , Nick Guzzo and Jon Anderson)

Hockey Day Minnesota will take place in White Bear Township on January 28, 2023 at the Polar Lakes Park. This week-long event will require the participation of many volunteers and much community support. Last year’s event was in Mankato and the torch was passed to WBL. A 501(c)3 nonprofit has been set up for the event. Twin Cities Ortho has the naming rights at the \$150,000 sponsorship level. Many other sponsors are being recruited.

The \$2 Million event was announced with a float at Manitou Days and special announcement at Marketfest two weeks ago. A concert was held at Big Wood on July 17 with 700 people attending. Big Wood has released a beer for the event called “Hip-Check-IPA.”

For the event, a hockey rink will be built from scratch, starting with sand to level the field for the ice, installing refrigeration, with 2 inches of ice and lighting. Snow removal will require many volunteers (ice scrapers). An 18,000 square foot entertainment tent will be set up for Thursday through Sunday for music and the arts. The old Zamboni from the Minnesota Hockey Museum will be on display.

Multiple hockey games will be played including girls and boys high school hockey, White Bear alumni, and game between St. John’s and Augsburg.

How can people help? Become a sponsor with many opportunities and levels available. Volunteer to help at the event. Plan to attend. <https://www.nhl.com/wild/community/hockey-day-minnesota> for more information.

What is Hockey Day Minnesota: an annual event in [Minnesota](#) run in cooperation with the [Minnesota Wild](#) and [Bally Sports North](#) that celebrates the sport of hockey throughout the state. Now a multi-day showcase, the event is held in mid-to-late January or early February and typically consists of multiple [high school](#) games (a mixture of boys and girls), a men's and/or women's college hockey game, and concludes with a Minnesota Wild [NHL](#) game. With some games now taking place on Thursday and Friday, the main set of games are played on a Saturday and are broadcast on FSN. Most of the games are played at a featured outdoor location with a rink built specifically for the event. However, some of the college matchups are played in standard home arenas and all of the Wild games are played in a NHL venue (usually the [Xcel Energy Center](#)).

Writer of the week: Carol Nelson

Thought of the week:

“You miss 100% of the shots you don’t take”
- Wayne Gretzky, Hockey Great

ROTARY FOUR-WAY TEST:

- ⇒ Is it the truth?
- ⇒ Is it fair to all concerned?
- ⇒ Will it build good will and better friendships?
- ⇒ Will it be beneficial to all concerned?
- ⇒ IS IT FUN???

UPCOMING MEETINGS:

August 10:
PROGRAM: Scott Miller, Paddling the Mississippi
CHAIR: Bob Timmons
INVOCATION/INSPIRATION: Bill Rust
MERCHANT MINUTE: Angie, WB Boat Works
CLASSIFICATION: Reed Walhof
WRITER: Jackie Reis

August 17:
PROGRAM: Tracey Shimek & Mike Greenbaum
White Bear Lake’s Autonomous Vehicle
CHAIR: TBA
CLASSIFICATION: None
INVOCATION/INSPIRATION: Rich Ramsay
WRITER: Jim Rathburn

August 24:
PROGRAM: TBA
CLASSIFICATION: Rob Weber
INVOCATION/INSPIRATION: Bob Gehrke
WRITER: Mark Sather

UPCOMING PROGRAM:
September 7: We See Each Other

MAIL OR PHONE CLUB NEWS TO THE
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BEAR BULLETIN DEADLINE: FRIDAY,
5 P.M.

WBL ROTARY PODCASTS:
WWW.WBLROTARY.PODBEAN.COM
OR GO TO: ITUNES AND TYPE IN
WBLROTARY

WBL ROTARY TEAM MEETINGS—
BOARD MEETINGS: Meets 4th Tuesday of month, 7a.m.
CLUB SERVICE TEAM: Meets 2nd Tuesday of month, 7a.m.
COMMUNITY SERVICE TEAM: Meets last Wednesday of month, 12 o'clock noon
EQUITY & INCLUSION TEAM: Meets first Friday, 8:30 a.m..
FUNDRAISER TEAM: Meets immediately following Wednesday meeting (seasonal)
INTERNATIONAL SERVICE TEAM: Meets 2nd Thursday of month, 7 a.m.
MEMBERSHIP TEAM: Meets 3rd Tuesday of month, 7:30 a.m.
PUBLIC IMAGE TEAM: Meets 3rd Thursday, 8:30 a.m.
VOCATIONAL SERVICE TEAM: Meets 1st Thursday of month, 7 am

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