

Celebrating 40 Years of Service To the Community Rotary Club of White Bear Lake

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



June 2, 2021

Program: Greta Grosch, Being an Artist During Covid

Chairperson: Pam Bowers

Classification: Rebekah Hagstrom

Invocation: Bill Eaves

Writer: Jim Rathburn

Wednesday Morning Meeting Info via Zoom D5960 is inviting you to a scheduled meeting Topic: 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. Join Zoom meeting: <u>https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87159321038</u> <u>Meeting ID: 871 5932 1038</u>

Prior recordings & files from presenters can be accessed at: <u>https://drive.google.com/drive/</u> <u>folders/11pN_Oh77b2fViH8x_hfT1t1JoHt-e0c7?</u> <u>usp=sharing</u>

.WBL Rotary Club Celebrates 5:01:

Join with fellow Rotarians on Friday afternoons at 4:31 p.m. outside on the porch of Boat Works Commons This is a great end of the week opportunity for relaxation, conversation, laughs and fellowship. BYOB and join other club members welcoming the weekend. **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Beginnng today, June 2, 2021, White Bear Lake Rotary Club is back to weekly in-person meetings at Rudy's Redeye Grill. Meetings will continue to be Hybrid—both at Rudy's and via Zoom.

Taste of White Bear Lake: Bob Timmons reported on planning, fundraising, ticket sales, and sponsorships for our 2021 Taste of White Bear Lake are all going well. Any ticket money is to go back to Pat McFarlane or Ken Baltzer only.

Lake Links project update: Mark Sather reported that work on the Saputo Depot progresses! Connect with Mark to see how you can help.

100 Member Celebration: Thanks to Pam Tschida for organizing a great event.

Club Needs: Volunteers to do invocations and/or writers for the Bulletin. Every weekly meeting needs a volunteer for each of these activities. Many devoted members have done this for years; but a few additional people would be helpful for people who need time off, vacations, etc. You would be scheduled about every 6-8 weeks. If you can help, contact Marlyce.

Classification Time:

•**Pastor Bob Gehrke** has been the senior pastor at South Shore Trinity Lutheran Church since 2002. He previously was pastor at Prince of Peace Lutheran in New Buffalo, Michigan for 3 years and Zion Lutheran Church in Mora, Minnesota for 17 years. Pastor Bob graduated from Henry Sibley High School in 1974 and received a BA Degree from Concordia University in St. Paul, with a history major and classical language minor. In 1982 he received a Master of Divinity Degree from Concordia Seminary in St. Louis, Missouri. He and his wife Lynn have 2 adult sons. Pastor Bob is very active in the White Bear Lake community and with our Rotary Club. Bob, thank you for all you do.



Beach Dance Friday, July 2 8—11 p.m. Memorial Beach Park Free and Easy Band

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL/PAUL HARRIS AWARDS PRESENTED TO MEMBERS:

PHF Certificate plus pin: John Wayne Barker Bryan Belisle Kevin Donovan Carol Nelson Nora Slawik PHF+1: Patty Hall; Pat McClernon PHF+3: Dale Grambush; Fred Treiber PHF+5: Ken Galloway PHF+6: Craig Drake

Happy Birthday to you... Happy Birthday to you... June 2.....Bob Hartzell June 5.....Toufong Lor June 5.....Tim Wald June 6.....Nancy Oakes June 9.....Peg Black June 14.....Silas Ford June 16.....Curt Akenson June 16.....Derrek Skeie June 20.....Gene Altstatt June 22.....Mike Lovett June 27......Rich Ramsay

PROGRAM: Anne Labovitz

Anne Labovitz is a contemporary artist who lives and works in St. Paul. Anne likes to style herself as a contemporary artist because that way she can do whatever she wants. She is well known for her large-scale public artworks and Exhibitions. Her art uses bright color as a light force and energy to transform spaces and create emotional response from the viewers. Recent public works include 2 glass mosaics and brightly colored Banners at the Minneapolis/St. Paul International Airport. Her signature Banner at MSP consists of multiple brightly painted 55-foot-long strips of Tyvek suspended from great heights and hung in a series. Anne also prepares artwork for special projects such as promoting voting through the "Turn Up the Turn Out" and her social practice projects, such as "I Love You Institute", "122 Conversations", and "6 Sister Cities Pro*ject*". Her work is exhibited in major museums and art galleries. Anne, thank you for connecting all of us through art.

Writer of the week: Dick Galena

MERCHANT MINUTE

Katie Robinson is the new owner of Pontoons on Bald Eagle Lake which rents pontoons, boats and kayaks. Go ahead—check out this new and exciting business in WBL.

REMINDER: The Rotary fiscal year ends on June 30. Please remember to take care of your financial responsibilities before that date. Also, if you have responsibility for any of the WBL project budgets, please make sure that all check requests are submitted before June 30. Ouestions? Contact Marlvce Paulson.

ROTARY FOUR-WAY TEST:

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

UPCOMING MEETINGS

June 9: Scott Schulz, President, Water Gremlin **Chairperson: Jeff Otto Classification:** Mike Lovett **Invocation: Bill Rust** Writer: Mark Sather

June 16: Rick Heidick, Fast for Hope Chairperson: Pam Tschida Classification: Art Hancock **Invocation: Rich Ramsav** Writer: Darrell Stone

June 23: Sue Paget, Rotary Action Group for Family Health **Chairperson:** Carol Nelson Classification: Dale Grambush **Invocation:** Rita Pechmann Writer: Greg Young

FUTURE PROGRAMS: June 30: Effiom Whyte, Kingston Jamaica, Eyes on the Prize July 7: TBD

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WBLROTARY TEAM MEETINGS-CURRENTLY HELD VIA ZOOM 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 YOUTH EXCHANGE TEAM: Meets 2nd Thursday,4:30 p.m. 2020-21 Officers/Directors President...... Pat McClernon President-ElectMichael Lovett Past President John Channon Treasurer Bob Timmons Secretary Ashley Filipovich - Ríta Pechmann Derrek Skeie Club Service Chuck Sandstrom .Pam Tschída . Míríah VanDuuren . Patty Hall Equity & Inclusion....Kevin Donovan Jackie Reis Darrell Stone Greg Young Díck Galena

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THOUGHT OF THE WEEK: "Creativity takes courage" -Henri Matisse