



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

*Meetings
Wednesday at 7:45 a.m.
Via Zoom
(During Pandemic 2020)*



June 17, 2020

Program: Jim Hunt, Parkinson's—
the Disorder and the Fight Against It

Chairperson: John Channon

Classification: Ryan Boog

Invocation: Bob Gehrke

Writer: Mark Sather

Wednesday Morning Meeting Info:

Wednesday mornings from 7:45 - 8:30 am
Join WBL Rotary Weekly Zoom Meeting
[https://us04web.zoom.us/j/530467809?](https://us04web.zoom.us/j/530467809?pwd=R3dHVlJXWHcx2Frd3d1VDRPVXhrUT09)
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Meeting ID: 530 467 809
Password: 991694
Prior recordings & files from presenters can be
accessed at:
[https://drive.google.com/open?](https://drive.google.com/open?id=11pN_Oh77b2fViH8x_hfT1t1JoHt-e0c7)
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Friday Virtual 5:01 Meeting Info:

Friday Evenings starting at 4:55 pm-?
Join Zoom Meeting
[https://us04web.zoom.us/j/555170854?](https://us04web.zoom.us/j/555170854?pwd=QVpFM1BjVVIYLzNDN3NUaG5yaW1vdz09)
[pwd=QVpFM1BjVVIYLzNDN3NUaG5yaW1vdz09](https://us04web.zoom.us/j/555170854?pwd=QVpFM1BjVVIYLzNDN3NUaG5yaW1vdz09)
Meeting ID: 555 170 854
Password: 022079

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*Week twelve of White Bear Lake Rotary
meeting in virtual format due to the
COVID-19 virus pandemic*

-Curt Akenson: International Foundation push continues for June. District target for district is \$400,000. If you give a one-time \$365 donation to the annual fund, which supplies global grants and others, you will be awarded a Paul Harris Fellowship. Our club has a goal of \$8,500 — we are at nearly \$23,000. Contact Curt or Marlyce to give.

-Kevin Donovan: Picnic table project is ahead. J.L. Schweiter has donated the lumber. The club will build seven tables for Mahtomedi and Willernie. They will be installed at Veterans Park, where the club has some history. Build tables from 3-7 p.m. June 16 at Mahtomedi Public Works. Room for six more volunteers as of June 10 meeting.

-First virtual induction: Jason Sherrett was inducted into our club. He already has been a part of a few service events. Welcome, Jason!

CLASSIFICATION: PEG BLACK Cerenity Care Foundation

Peg has worked at Cerenity Care for 45 years. Things are a lot different amid the pandemic. There have been zero cases with coronavirus. Went to quarantine early — earlier than other facilities. The down side is no volunteers and no family visits currently. Many miss their families and volunteers. Trying to be creative: Musicians have played outdoors in the veranda, safely social distancing. Residents have been able to open windows or get outdoors. Peg's mom is a resident, so she gets to see her. Transitional care facility has had fewer patients because of the lack of elective care. Still, Cerenity is accepting new residents.

BLOOD DRIVE

June 18, WBL Armory 11-5

For appointment: redcrossblood.org or call:
1-800-REDCROSS (1-800-733-2767)
Sponsor Code: WBL Community Drive

Volunteers Needed on June 18th:

Greeter Check-In: 10:30-1; 1-3; 3-5 p.m.
Temperature Check: 10:30-1; 1-3; 3-5 p.m.
Contact: Bryan Belisle

**ROTARY INTERNATIONAL PUBLIC
SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT...**

Campaign announced in the United States. Keep an eye and ear out for Rotary ads on TV, radio and in print that show Rotarians and People of Action.

Website: <https://www.whitebearrotary.org/>

Our facebook page: [https://](https://www.facebook.com/WBLRotary/)

www.facebook.com/WBLRotary/

Our Twitter feed: @Rotarywhitebear,

<https://twitter.com/Rotarywhitebear>

Our Instagram: wblrotary

**You will find links to our recorded Weekly
Zoom meetings on our website and on our
Facebook page.**

The Equity, Inclusion and Racial Justice Committee held its first meeting on June 12, with 14 Rotarians participating. The group explored individual reasons for joining the committee and expectations for what might be accomplished. It was agreed that we would meet every other Friday, from 8:00-9:00 AM. We encourage other Rotarians to join the group. Contact Kevin Donovan (kevpadon@gmail.com) if you would like to have your name added to the list to receive the Zoom contact. The next meeting will be June 26.



**PROGRAM: . Greg Bartz presented:
Open World Delegates 2020 – Krasnoyarsk, Russia**

Yelena Bogomolova-in Communications
Georgiy Gornostayev-Graphic Designer
Svetlana Mineyeva-Director of Educational and Recreational Center
Igor Smolin-Director of Zoo in Krasnoyarsk
Alina Tvorogova - facilitator
Yekaterina Fomkina
Open World Staff
Matt Tucker – Washington DC
Alexander Khilkov – Moscow

This the 10th delegation from Krasnoyarsk, Russia, we would have hosted — they would have been here now. The hope is that it can still come. “This is a special thing for our club,” said Rotarian Greg Bartz. Open World has expanded to more than 20 countries — a longtime conduit for relationships between U.S and Russia. Tatiyana, Greg’s counterpart in Krasnoyarsk who helps recruit participants, is heavily involved in Rotary in Krasnoyarsk, said the delegates come back inspired personally and professionally. Alina, facilitator of Open World, introduced the delegates, who told their individual stories through a nicely done video.

Greg says club is working on salvaging the program this year despite the pandemic’s effect. When we get the chance and we get here, Greg will be looking for entrepreneurs to volunteer their time.

Writer of the week: Bob Timmons

THOUGHT OF THE WEEK:

“The greatest homage we can pay to truth is to use it.”

- Ralph Waldo Emerson

**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

June 24: Climbing the Himalayas
Chairperson: Patty Hall
Classification: Nancy Oakes
Invocation: Art Hancock
Writer: Greg Young

July 1: Commander Tim Flynn,
St. Paul Police; Covid & Riots
Chairperson: Ellen Hiniker
Classification: Pat McClernon
Invocation: Rita Pechmann
Writer: Jackie Reis

FUTURE MEETINGS:

July 8: Deb Neutkens presents: Allison
Kaplan, Editor, Twin Cities Business Magazine

Please note that program information may
change with the new virtual meeting for-
mat...stay tuned!

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BEAR BULLETIN DEADLINE: FRIDAY, 5 P.M.**

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WBLROTARY**

**_WBLROTARY TEAM MEETINGS—
CURRENTLY HELD VIA ZOOM**

BOARD MEETINGS: Meets 4th Tuesday of each month, WBL City Hall, 7 a.m.
CLUB SERVICE TEAM: Meets 2nd Tuesday 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.
MEMBERSHIP TEAM: Meets 1st Tuesday of each month, 7:30 a.m., Caribou, Cty E & E Cty Line
PUBLIC IMAGE TEAM: Meets 3rd Thursday 7 a.m. Anchor Coffee
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

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