

#### **Club Meeting**

Wausau Early Birds Meets at Wausau Country Club 208 Country Club Rd Schofield, WI 54476-1214 Time: Thursday at 07:00 AM

#### Speakers

May 16, 2024 Jim Warsaw hosts Sarah Bedish Rotary Moment: Dan Schaut Greeters: Sickler/Geiger/Szekeress Meal: Cheese Omlete, Bacon, Fruit

May 23, 2024 Mary Weller hosts <u>American Legion Post</u> <u>10</u> Rotary Moment: Mary Weller Greeters: Sickler/Shafto-Carlson/Szekeress Meal: Corn Beef Hash, Fruit, Danish

June 06, 2024 Jeff Zriny hosts Kim Weber Rotary Moment: Jeff Zriny Greeters: Weller/Warsaw/Geiger

June 13, 2024 Jeff Mills hosts Rotary Moment: Gary France Greeters: Weller/Warsaw/Zriny

#### **Events**

No Events found

## Years of Service

Nathan Birchler 06-01-2010 14 Years Jeff Mills 05-26-2011 13 Years Connie Geiger 05-25-2020 4 Years Ryan Gage 06-01-2022 2 Years

#### **Birthdays**

Dan Schaut May 19th Jeffrey L Zriny May 24th Scott K. Brainard June 1st Tammy Szekeress June 1st

# **Club Information**

## **A Word From The President**

Hello All Early Birds!

What a spectacular start to a warm summer day in May.

The sort is done for the Presidents' pantry dinner at Willow Springs, and we have some excellent stuff and experiences up for auction and raffle. Who wouldn't want to take a ride in a gigantic tractor spreading manure! Right up my alley, as I've been told I'm full of -o never mind, I heard that from my wife yesterday.

Ann Lucas herded the 5 guys at the sorting party and got the job done in 2 hours! Thank you to all involved with this effort - all profits go to the Rotary Foundation. Check out the entire newsletter as there is some important information about the dinner.

Get out and enjoy this weather and hope to see you on Thursday morning.

Last note: Pat Puyleart cannot attend-Can someone please help with the AV setup and ZOOM?

## Jeff (715)574-3327

# **Upcoming Events!**

## **Mark Your Calendars**



New Information!!!

Matt Foss June 7th

Mandy Roberts June 7th Additional information: Date: May 19,2024 Place: Willow Springs Round Barn Time 5:00 PM Registration & Cash Bar 6:00PM Dinner Silent Auction: 6:00 PM -8:00 Live Auction: 8:15PM Check, Cash or Card will be accepted Menu Options: Choice of Bourbon Pecan Crusted Chicken Breast or Stuffed Rosemary Honey Pork Loin Sides included: Cheesy Potatoes Fresh Grilled Vegetables Strawberry Walnut Salad Simple Grape Salad Water, Coffee, Milk Cost: \$30.00 per person - The Club will bill you for your meal.

All proceeds will be for the Rotary Foundation. There are a lot of nice things available. If you can't make it and see something you might like have a trusted friend bid for you.

Click Here for the Auction Preview

We need everyone to give Scott Brainard their meal choices. Please email Scott at harleyfd99@yahoo.com with that information.

- Ann Lucas and Scott Brainard



It is on the 3rd floor of Building 3, which is the one all the way to the left. There is MCW-CW signage on the building and on the monument signs as you enter the Aspirus campus. This is across from the east side of Aspirus in the old Liberty Mutual buildings. We will reserve some parking spots near the main entrance, in the underground parking area.

We are looking for donors, volunteers, and bakers to provide homemade goodies. If you're interested, please complete the sign-up sheet linked here: <u>BLOOD</u> <u>DRIVE SIGN-UP</u>.

**ROTARY GUEST DAY** June 20th - More Information to Come!

# **Local Impact Moment**

A group of Wausau Early Bird Rotarians celebrated Earth Day with a highway cleanup! So proud of all the work Early Birds are doing in our community!



# **Foundation Minute**

"This is a Rotary Foundation Minute.

One of Rotary Internationalâ€<sup>™</sup>s Seven Areas of Focus is to foster peace and resolve conflict. The Foundation supports peace-building and conflict resolution throughout the world.

Today we have an opportunity to build goodwill and better friendship, to promote peace and resolve conflict with our American Indian neighbors.

Most Rotary Clubs meet on land formerly occupied by Native Americans. They are a people from whom much has been stolen: their culture, land, children, language, images and more.

Every Rotary Club in District 6220 can reach out to our Indigenous neighbors with a simple act of kindness and respect.

Rotary conferences throughout the world are starting meetings with a Land Acknowledgment Statement.

What follows is an appropriately-edited version of the statement used recently by Rotary International.

 $\hat{a} \in \mathbb{C}$  Today we are meeting on lands formerly occupied by Indigenous peoples, many of whom were forced to leave generations ago.

Rotary International recognizes the historical and ongoing impact of colonization on Indigenous communities.

We pay respect for our First Nation elders, past, present and future….

…and we express our respect and gratitude for All First Nation people for preserving and protecting the lands on which Rotarians meet.â€

Please consider starting your club meetings with this short acknowledgment. It is one step, an initial gesture, that will build goodwill and better friendship, promote peace and resolve conflict.





This has been a Rotary Foundation Minute".

Roger Utnehmer Rotary District 6220 PHS Coordinator District Governor 2024-25 (C) 920 495 9677 <u>utnehmer@gmail.com</u>

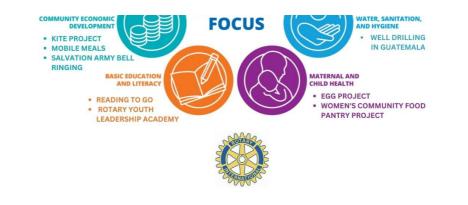
> We provide service to others, promote integrity, and advance world understanding, goodwill, and peace through our fellowship of business, professional, and community leaders.



Together, we see a world where people unite and take action to create lasting change-across the globe, in our communities, and in ourselves.

# How does *your* Wausau Early Bird Club make an impact?





## **Zoom Meeting Info**

#### Zoom Link

Topic: Wausau Early Birds Rotary Weekly Zoom Meeting Time: Every week on Thu, at 06:45 AM

Please download and import the following iCalendar (.ics) files to your calendar system. Weekly: <u>https://us06web.zoom.us/meeting/tZApf-2uqz8pHtaQp-NX8u-xYwK-O8BkdMEO/ics?</u> <u>icsToken=98tyKuGsqjMuHNGRsx2FRpwIBoqgLO7wmClegrdcrQ-oLRgLd07uD\_Vpf50nMtPU</u>

Join Zoom Meeting https://us06web.zoom.us/j/84484654342?pwd=NVZnMzFPVEY1WDdxR1NZeHgrVjdlUT09

Meeting ID: 844 8465 4342 Passcode: 351670

Find your local number: https://us06web.zoom.us/u/kdupHNnCLu

## **Mobile Meals Rotation**

First Thursday of the Month

• Gary France (Leader), Patrick Kinney, Rick Nevers

- Second Thursday of the Month
  - Mike Schlichte (Leader), Gary Bezucha, and Greg Bardonner

Third Thursday of the Month

• Nate Birchler (Leader), Cari Logemann, Julie Wildeck, Peter Gaffney, Jim Warsaw, Aaron Mull

Fourth Thursday of the Month

• Dick Jarvis (Leader), Pat Puyleart, Scott Brainard, Roger Utnehmer, Kevin Sorenson, and Ann Lucas

Fifth Thursday of the Month

• Mary Weller (Leader), Rhonda Werner Schultz, and Beth Mueller

On call as needed basis

• Jim Schulz, Jean Burgener, Kelley Gabor, Jim Ascher

#### **Possible Speaker List**

Once you secure your speaker, please submit bio, topic, and contact information to <u>Connie Geiger</u> as soon as possible, but NO later than 2 weeks ahead of your scheduled date. Contact her if you have questions, issues she can assist with, or if you switch with another member.

- Liz Bartholomew-Responders Retreat founder. 501c3 nonprofit support organization for first responders with PTSD. Liz lives in Sugar Camp. <u>1-630-281-0268</u>. tenaciousgal7076@gmail.com. Website is respondersretreat.org.
- Ken McKenzie-Can speak to the Rotary-Toastmasters Alliance for opportunities for club members to hone their presentation and leadership skills. Email: kenmckenzietmg@charter.net (for more info contact Dave Anderson
- Molly A. Kelly-Senior Medicare Patrol (SMP) Volunteer Coordinator. Greater Wisconsin Agency on Aging Resources, Inc. Fraud Presentation. www.smpwi.org <u>1-608-335-8453</u>. Direct email: Molly.kelly@gwaar.org.
- Lisa Berry-Alzheimer's Association Wisconsin Chapter. 505 S. 24th Avenue Wausau, WI. 54401 <u>715-861-6173</u>. Ilberry@alz.org
- Dave Acaley-Member of District Club 2660. Currently has a Russian Family staying with him. His guest, Krill, does a program on what is happening in Ukraine. Dave's contact is <u>715-340-1405</u>.