

**TODAY'S PROGRAM, August 22**

Eric May and Michael Stutzke will share information about the 52nd annual Bureau County Homestead Festival.



**UPCOMING MEETINGS & EVENTS**

- 9/5 - Joe Park will introduce Illinois Senator Win Stoller who will share legislative updates.
- 9/12 - Joanne Sheldon has Molly Blog from Hornbaker Gardens for the program.
- 9/16 - We will be partnering with the Bureau County Food Pantry for a food drive!

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

- 8/31 - Derek Whited
- 9/2 - Justin Gifford
- 9/4 - Andrew Whitlock

**HAPPY ANNIVERSARY**

- 8/29 - Julia & Keith Cain
- 9/4 - Rex & Ann Lasson

**MAKE-UP OPPORTUNITIES**

*within two weeks of missed meeting*

- 1) Attend another Rotary Club's meeting. Go to [my.rotary.org](http://my.rotary.org) - click on *Club Finder*.
- 2) Read articles and/or watch videos at [www.rotaryclubone.org](http://www.rotaryclubone.org) for 30 minutes.
- 3) Give blood at a Blood Drive (schedule at [www.bloodcenter.org](http://www.bloodcenter.org) with Impact Life):
  - ♦ Second Monday each month, 12 p.m. to 5 p.m. at OSF St. Clare.
- 4) Corporate Auxiliary Members can attend as a make-up for the Primary Member.
- 5) Participate in service projects or attend committee meetings. **\*\*Be sure to let Tracy Wright know for make-up purposes.\*\***

The meal option is soup/salad bar unless each Rotarian selects another choice on our webpage at [www.princetonrotaryclub.com](http://www.princetonrotaryclub.com) or sends an email to Rita at [undergroundinn@gmail.com](mailto:undergroundinn@gmail.com)

**by 3:00 p.m. on Monday** with one of the following options:

- Meatloaf & Mashed Potatoes**
- Grilled Chicken Lettuce Salad**
- Turkey Wrap & Fries (or Chips)**
- Hamburger & Fries (or Chips)**
- Chicken Salad Sandwich & Fries (or Chips)**
- Deep-Fried Tenderloin & Fries (or Chips)**

All Rotarians choosing one of these options pay \$11 for the meal to Rotary who pays the Underground.



**August 22 Program  
 District 6420 Task  
 Force Against  
 Human Trafficking**

Tracy Grimmer introduced Kathy Trone of the Silvis Rotary Club and Julie Gelaude of the Rock Island Rotary Club who serve on a

human trafficking task force for District 6420. Their goal is to bring awareness to all 43 clubs in the district by the end of the Rotary year. Human trafficking is modern day slavery; exploiting a person through force, fraud or coercion. Examples include sex trafficking, forced labor, bonded labor, involuntary domestic servitude, and child soldiers. It is happening everywhere, and victims can be US citizens or of any nationality, age, socioeconomic status or gender. Human trafficking is the fastest growing criminal activity, only secondary to the drug industry. It's a \$150 billion industry in the US alone. Data from 2021 shows that there were more than 10,000 cases reported to a US trafficking hotline. Sadly, Illinois is one of the top 10 states with the worst cases;

**ATTENDANCE, Week of August 22**

Membership: 44 Active Members  
 7 Senior Active  
 20 Corporate Auxiliary  
 71 Total

**Percentage: 67%**

**ABSENCES, August 22**

Chhim, Gifford, Hartman, Henkelman, Horras, Hultine, Lange, Madsen, Monier, Nichols, Noble, Orwig, W. Peacock, Remy, Schou, Stutzke, Taylor, Whitlock, Zerneck

**MAKE-UPS, August 22**

W. Peacock, Remy, Taylor, Zerneck

**MAKE-UPS, Before August 22**

I. Legner (8/8), Martin (8/8), Sheldon (8/8)

**GUESTS, August 22**

Julie Gelaude (Rock Island Rotary Club)  
 Kathy Trone (Silvis Rotary Club)

California is highest with 1,334 cases right now. At risk are vulnerable populations: runaways, undocumented immigrants, those with a violent/unstable home life, people who are desperate or living in poverty, and those with addictions. Many times, trafficking begins with a favor or errand, and the relationship evolves, quickly becoming a way of life. In some cases, victims are "branded" with a tattoo or mark such as a crown, dollar sign or money bag. The top app used for trafficking is TikTok, but there are a number of others. Kathy and Julie talked about "In Our Backyard" and "A21," both organizations to end trafficking. The goal is for more collaborations, not more organizations, so they team up with others when possible. For more information, visit their Facebook page. To support the cause, purchase a t-shirt, donate, share flyers, attend walks, and simply spread the word about these organizations.

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 East Moline/Silvis Rotary Club  
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[www.Rotary6420.org](http://www.Rotary6420.org)

**Past District Governor  
 (2022 - 2023)**  
 Laura Kann  
  
**Asst. Governor**  
 Tracy Grimmer

## CLUB OFFICERS & DIRECTORS

July 2023 - June 2024 (term ending)

President	Joe Park (2024)
President-Elect	Eric May (2025)
Vice-President	Steve Bouslog (2026)
Secretary	Tracy Wright (elected annually)
Treasurer	Jeff Hunt (elected annually)
Director	Beth Peacock (2024)
Director	Michael Stutzke (2024)
Director	Wayne Peacock (2025)
Director	Cathy Foes (2026)

Save  
the  
Date

Black Light Bingo at the Princeton Moose Lodge is scheduled for **Saturday, October 7th**. More details to follow! Our annual auction is scheduled for **Saturday, November 11th**. You won't want to miss this!



## COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS: July 1, 2023 - June 30, 2024

### ATTENDANCE

**Tracy Wright**  
Joe Park

### AUCTION

**Eric May**  
Steve Bouslog  
Julia Cain  
Ginger Freeberg  
Tucker Nichols  
Roxana Noble  
Ashley Oliver  
Wayne Peacock  
Pam Pratt Marsh  
Tim Remy  
Pat Schou

### AUDIT

**Dan Legner**  
Dave Horras  
Jeff Martin

### COMMUNITY SERVICE

**Cathy Foes**  
Bonnie Anders  
Justin Gifford  
Bob Henkelman  
Rex Lasson  
Jeff Martin  
Lynn Olds  
Ashley Oliver  
Andrew Whitlock

### SUB - CABOOSE

**Rex Lasson**  
Bob Hayward  
Judd Lusher  
Jeff Martin

### CONNECTIONS

**Tracy Grimmer**  
Bonnie Anders  
Stephanie Gustafson  
Tammy Lange  
Roxana Noble  
Pam Pratt Marsh  
Ashley Oliver

### FOUNDATION

**Gary Bruce**  
Steve Bouslog  
Michele Davis  
Ian Legner  
Michael Stutzke

### FUNDRAISING

**Joanne Sheldon**  
Jene Kinsley  
Shannon Merkel  
Lynn Olds  
Pam Pratt Marsh  
Michael Stutzke

### GRANTS/ SCHOLARSHIP

**Ryan Keutzer**  
Jeff Dzik  
Justin Gifford  
Judd Lusher  
Joanne Sheldon  
Michael Stutzke

### GREETERS

**Beth Peacock**  
Mandi Johnson  
Ryan Keutzer  
Jene Kinsley  
Dan Legner  
Jeff Martin  
Tucker Nichols  
Wayne Peacock  
Pam Pratt Marsh  
Joanne Sheldon

### INVOCATIONS

**Chantha Chhim**  
Bob Henkelman

### PIVOT

**Tracy Wright**  
Chantha Chhim  
Terry Madsen

### PROGRAMS

**Eric May**

### PUBLIC RELATIONS

**Tracy Wright**  
Chantha Chhim  
Bob Mullane

### SERGEANT-AT-ARMS

**Bob Mullane**  
Steve Bouslog  
Jenica Cole  
Tracy Grimmer  
Eric May  
Joe Park  
Pam Pratt Marsh  
Derek Whited

### SHRIMPFEET

**Michael Stutzke**  
Steve Bouslog  
Tracy Grimmer  
Tom Kammerer  
Ryan Keutzer  
Eric May  
Tucker Nichols  
Wayne Peacock  
Joanne Sheldon  
Tracy Wright

### SPECIAL LUNCHEES

**Pam Pratt Marsh**  
Michele Davis  
Shannon Merkel  
Joanne Sheldon

### VOCATIONAL SERVICE

**Gary Bruce**  
Bob Hayward  
Terry Madsen

### YOUTH PROGRAMS

**Derek Fetzer**  
Mandi Johnson  
Ian Legner  
Eric May  
Beth Peacock

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#R Cain, Julia	Flowers by Julia	Keutzer, Ryan	studioK Architecture	R Sheldon, Joanne (4)	Success Realty
Chhim, Chantha	Bunker Hill Church	Kinsley, Jene	Gateway Services	#*R Sorcic, Tony (16)	Ret. Banking
Cole, Jenica	Princeton Chamber	Lange, Tammy	Princeton Park District	# Stutzke, Michael	Ret. Education
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Davis, Michele	Culver's	# Legner, Dan	Compeer Financial	Taylor, Josh	Taylor's Way
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# Dzik, Jeff	Optometrist (Wal-Mart)	Mabry, Ray	City of Princeton	Whitlock, Andrew	Assurance
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Fitzpatrick, Tonya	Freedom House	Marsh, Pam Pratt (1)	Advertising	Wittenauer, Theresa	City of Princeton
Foes, Catherine (2)	OSF HealthCare Foundation	#R Martin, Jeff (2)	Ret. Chiropractic	Wright, Matt	Princeton Park District
Freeberg, Ginger	Heartland Bank	May, Eric	May, May, Angel & Harris	# Wright, Tracy (2)	Gateway Services
Gifford, Justin	Corteva	McNally, Ashlee	Liberty Village	Yepsen, Victoria	City of Princeton
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Hirst, Melanie	Aperion Care	Olds, Lynn	Greenfield Retirement Home	<b>Paul Harris Fellows (non-members)</b>	
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