

TODAY'S PROGRAM, October 10

Cathy Foes will introduce Mark White, Ph.D. from the U of I Extension to talk about "Leading the Way in Rural Vitality."

UPCOMING MEETINGS & EVENTS

10/17 - Our District 6420 Governor, Dave Emerick, will be with us to talk about his goals for this Rotary year!
 10/24 - Ryan Keutzer will have Bob Schirmer from Combat-Do speaking about martial arts and life experiences.
 10/31 - To be announced.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

10/10 - Jennifer Diaz
 10/12 - Ray Mabry

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

10/13 - Kyle & Jessica Burrows



REMINDER

Don't forget to turn in ticket stubs for the 11/11 auction to Jeff Hunt at your earliest convenience!

MAKE-UP OPPORTUNITIES

within two weeks of missed meeting

- 1) Attend another Rotary Club's meeting. Go to my.rotary.org - click on *Club Finder*.
- 2) Read articles and/or watch videos at www.rotaryclubone.org for 30 minutes.
- 3) Give blood at a Blood Drive (schedule at 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 or sends an email to Rita at 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.



**October 3 Program
 Sam Fisher & Bettyann Harrison,
 Master Gardeners**

Jeff Hunt introduced Sam Fisher, a former 25 year Rotarian in Princeton. Sam retired 2 years ago and became a Master Gardener. He introduced Bettyann Harrison with the U of I Extension Office. She is a Master Gardener/Master Naturalist Coordinator. Sam was proud to report he has 59 volunteer hours so far. He spoke of the requirements to become a Master Gardener and the fact that classes are online or hybrid. Educational modules are varied and cover everything from botany to living with wildlife. Trainees are required to have 40 hours of volunteer work in 2 years. Active volunteers are then required to have 10 hours of continuing education every year thereafter. Their goal is to spread the word about building the Master Gardener program in

ATTENDANCE, Week of October 3

Membership: 45 Active Members
 7 Senior Active
 20 Corporate Auxiliary
 72 Total

Percentage: 64%

ABSENCES, October 3

Bouslog, Cain, Davis, Gifford, Hartman, Horras, Hultine, D. Legner, Martin, Monier, Nichols, Noble, Orwig, W. Peacock, Remy, Schou, Stutzke, Taylor, Whitlock, Wittenauer, Zerneck

MAKE-UPS, October 3

Bouslog, W. Peacock, Remy, Stutzke, Zerneck

MAKE-UPS, Before October 3

None

GUESTS, October 3

Sam Fisher (Jeff Hunt)
 Bettyann Harrison (Jeff Hunt)

Bureau County. Bettyann talked about the Seeds to Harvest six-week program that is currently located in every elementary school in Marshall and Putnam Counties. Students plant crops and learn about pests, then harvest and make salads. Plant beds are built and maintained by Master Gardeners. They are preparing for a Pilot Hydroponics Program at Hall High School, a partnership with 4-H. The Master Gardeners shared some of their community projects that included a clean-up of the Freedom House courtyard, Earth Day at Hall High School, and a Conservation Day in Warneke Woods sponsored by the Bureau County Soil & Water District. They have some upcoming presentations and programs in Princeton and Walnut to focus on fall harvest. If anyone is interested in learning more about becoming a Master Gardener, they are encouraged to contact Sam or Bettyann.

CLUB OFFICERS & DIRECTORS

July 2023 - June 2024 (term ending)

President	Joe Park (2024)
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Director	Cathy Foes (2026)

Rotary's Areas of Focus (Part 2)

Rotary is dedicated to causes that build international relationships, improve lives, and create a better world to support our peace efforts and end polio forever. We have covered some areas of focus, and here are the rest. Maternal and child health: Nearly 6 million children under age five die each year because of malnutrition, poor health care, and inadequate sanitation. We expand access to quality care, so mothers and their children can live and grow stronger. Basic education and literacy: More than 775 million people over the age of 15 are illiterate. Our goal is to strengthen the capacity of communities to support basic education and literacy, reduce gender disparity in education, and increase adult literacy. Community economic development: We work with

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

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

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Cathy Foes
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Rex Lasson
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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
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Chantha Chhim
Bob Henkelman

PIVOT

Tracy Wright
Chantha Chhim

PROGRAMS

Eric May

PUBLIC RELATIONS

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Bob Mullane

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Jenica Cole
Tracy Grimmer
Eric May
Joe Park
Pam Pratt Marsh
Derek Whited

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Michael Stutzke
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Tracy Grimmer
Tom Kammerer
Ryan Keutzer
Eric May
Tucker Nichols
Wayne Peacock
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Tracy Wright

SPECIAL LUNCHES

Pam Pratt Marsh
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Gary Bruce
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YOUTH PROGRAMS

Derek Fetzer
Mandi Johnson
Ian Legner
Eric May
Beth Peacock

communities to create opportunities for decent and productive work for young and old. We strengthen local entrepreneurs and community leaders, particularly women. Environment: We develop projects that conserve and protect natural resources, advance ecological sustainability, and foster harmony between communities and the environment. We empower communities and spur innovation to address the causes and effects of climate change and environmental degradation. How do YOU want to get involved in the causes you're most passionate about?!



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