

**TODAY'S PROGRAM, April 2**

Ryan Keutzer has Kelly Giovanine to share information about the Rotary District grant.

**UPCOMING MEETINGS & EVENTS**

- 4/9 - Tracy Wright will introduce Brittany Adams with Fur Real Heroes to talk about their services.
  - 4/16 - Bob Henkelman has Allyssa Burk from Royal Family Camp for the Kids as our speaker.
  - 4/18 - Join us for Business After Hours from 4 - 6 p.m. We're hosting!
  - 4/23 - No noon meeting. We'll have our annual Foundation dinner this evening!
  - 4/30 - No noon meeting. Join us for park clean-up at Rotary Park tonight!
  - 5/1 - Join us for our joint club meeting with other area Rotarians at Uptown Grill at 5:30 p.m.
- \*\*\* Programs needed for 5/7, 5/14, 6/4, 6/11, and 6/18. Contact Eric if you have ideas! \*\*\***

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

None

**HAPPY ANNIVERSARY**

4/2 - Shellee & Steve Monier

**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)**
- Chicken Strips & Fries (or Chips)**

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

**March 26 Program  
 Foundation Committee**

Our own Foundation Committee presented the program in anticipation of the upcoming Foundation dinner to be held on April 23rd. Doors open at 5:30 p.m., and dinner will be served at 6 p.m. Al Brown will provide musical entertainment, and we will again have joke tellers for a few laugh and to raise money. Gary shared some interesting statistics — there have been 96 Paul Harris Fellows in the history of our club. All-time giving totals an impressive \$348,496.00. Last year, Princeton Rotary Club was recognized with the highest average member donations for the entire District 6420. To date, 2 Rotarians in our club are signed up for direct donations, and there has been 1 benefactor in the history of Princeton Rotary. This year, Second Story Teen Center was chosen to receive funds from the joke telling and the District Grant. This will aid in their building project that will begin soon. A diamond pendant will also be raffled, and proceeds will go toward the gift to Second Story. Steve shared some facts from The Rotary Foundation and provided handouts for everyone. Since 1947, the Rotary Foundation has raised \$5.5 billion, with the

**ATTENDANCE, Week of March 26**

Membership: 43 Active Members  
 7 Senior Active  
 20 Corporate Auxiliary  
 70 Total

**Percentage: 56%**

**ABSENCES, March 26**

Cain, Chhim, Davis, Foes, Hirst, Horras, Kann, Lange, Lasson, Martin, Monier, Noble, Orwig, Park, Schou, Taylor, Whitlock, Williams, Wittenauer, Zerneck

**MAKE-UPS, March 26**

Zerneck

**GUESTS, March 26**

Jim Smith (Steve Bouslog)

very first donation being made by the Rotary Club of Kansas City for \$26.50 many years ago. A focus has been on eradicating polio, and today only two countries continue to experience the disease — Afghanistan and Pakistan — yet it only costs 60 cents to vaccinate a child. Gary talked about the various incentives being offered to Rotarians who contribute toward their Paul Harris Fellow. This includes some matching funds by the club and the award of recognition points. For specific details, Rotarians can seek out anyone on the Foundation Committee for further explanation. Reservations for the dinner can be returned to Gary. Steve noted how great it would be for our club to be recognized for "Every Rotarian Every Year" which simply means that each Rotarian commits to a gift of at least \$25 to the Rotary Foundation's annual fund. Can we do it?!

"Whatever Rotary may mean to us, to the world it will be known by the results it achieves." ~ Paul Harris

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

## CLUB OFFICERS & DIRECTORS

July 2023 - June 2024

President	Joe Park
President-Elect	Eric May
Vice-President	Steve Bouslog
Secretary	Tracy Wright
Treasurer	Jeff Hunt
Director	Beth Peacock
Director	Michael Stutzke
Director	Wayne Peacock
Director	Cathy Foes



**Be sure to return your RSVP for the annual Foundation Dinner! We hope you'll join us on April 23rd and that you'll consider a contribution to the Rotary Foundation!**

**Mark your calendars for our joint meeting at May 1st at Uptown Grill!**

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

### AUCTION

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

### AUDIT

**Dan Legner**  
Dave Horras  
Jeff Martin

### COMMUNITY SERVICE

**Cathy Foes**  
Bonnie Anders  
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  
Pam Pratt Marsh  
Roxana Noble  
Ashley Oliver

### FOUNDATION

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

### FUNDRAISING

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

### GRANTS/SCHOLARSHIP

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

### GREETERS

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

### INVOCATIONS

**Chantha Chhim**  
Bob Henkelman

### PIVOT

**Tracy Wright**  
Chantha Chhim

### PROGRAMS

**Eric May**

### PUBLIC RELATIONS

**Tracy Wright**  
Chantha Chhim  
Bob Mullane

### SERGEANT-AT-ARMS

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

### SHRIMPFEET

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

### SPECIAL LUNCHESES

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

### VOCATIONAL SERVICE

**Gary Bruce**  
Bob Hayward

### YOUTH PROGRAMS

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

*What are the best financial practices for grant funds? Because grant funds come from donor contributions, it's important for sponsors to manage these funds prudently, transparently, and in accordance with Rotary Foundation policies. Some good ways to do that are to: follow your spending plan to distribute and use grant funds for their stated purpose in a timely manner; make project-related payments by check or other traceable method; if payments are made electronically by one person, maintain a paper record showing that the payment was approved by both signatories; maintain detailed receipts and record each transaction. Your ledger should list each transaction and note the date, the amount, and the reason for it; share information so you can manage grant payments smoothly and keep funds secure. THANK YOU for helping Rotary maintain the highest level of grant oversight.*



## ROTARY CLUB OF PRINCETON MEMBERSHIP

Anders, Bonnie	Freedom House	Kammerer, Tom	City of Princeton	Rux, Samantha Harker	OSF St. Clare
Baker, Beth	Grant-Johnson Funeral Home	# Kann, Laura (3)	Retired Public Health	# Schou, Pat	ICAHN
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#*R Bruce, Gary (10)	Ret. Jeweler	Keutzer, Ryan	studioK Architecture	#*R Sorcic, Tony (16)	Ret. Banking
Burrows, Kyle	OSF St. Clare	Kinsley, Jene	Gateway Services	#R Stutzke, Michael	Ret. Education
#R Cain, Julia	Flowers by Julia	Lange, Tammy	Princeton Park District	Taylor, Dennis	Taylor's Way
Chhim, Chantha	Bunker Hill Church	Lasson, Rex	RE Investments	Taylor, Josh	Taylor's Way
Cole, Jenica	Princeton Chamber	# Legner, Dan	Compeer Financial	# Weborg, John	Ret. Pastor/Professor
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Davis, Nick	Princeton Park District	Mabry, Ray	City of Princeton	Williams, Amanda	Liberty Village
Diaz, Jennifer	Liberty Village	Marsh, Pam Pratt (1)	Advertising	Wittenauer, Theresa	City of Princeton
# Dzik, Jeff	Optometrist (Wal-Mart)	#R Martin, Jeff (2)	Ret. Chiropractic	# Wright, Tracy (2)	Gateway Services
# Fetzer, Derek	Heartland Bank	# May, Eric	May, May, Angel & Harris	Yepsen, Victoria	City of Princeton
Fitzpatrick, Tonya	Freedom House	McNally, Ashlee	Liberty Village	Zerneck, Michael (3)	Freedom House
Foes, Catherine (2)	OSF HealthCare Foundation	Merkel, Shannon	Gateway Services		
Freeberg, Ginger	Heartland Bank	Monier, Shellee	Meadows Home Décor	# Paul Harris Fellow	
#* Grimmer, Tracy (2)	First State Bank	*R Mullane, Bob (2)	Starved Rock Media	+ Rotary Foundation Benefactor	
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Hartman, Scott	OSF St. Clare	Nichols, Tucker	Edward Jones	R Rotarian of the Year	
# Hayward, Bob (20)	Ret. U of I Extension	#*R Noble, Roxana (3)	Berkshire Hathaway Home	( ) Number indicates years of perfect attendance	
#*R Heiden, Nancy (4)	Retired Banking	Olds, Lynn	Greenfield Retirement Home		
Henkelman, Bob	People Church	Oliver, Ashley	Shaw Media		
Hirst, Melanie	Aperion Care	Orwig, J.D.	Princeton Elementary		
Horras, Dave	Ag View FS	# Park, Joe (1)	In Home Care Connection		
Hunt, Jeff (4)	Central Bank	# Peacock, Beth (3)	KBC Solutions, Inc.		
Jackson, Susan	Aperion Care	# Peacock, Wayne (2)	Key Builders Construction		
Johnson, Mandi	Gateway Services	Remy, Tim (2)	Heartland Bank		

### Paul Harris Fellows (non-members)

Carla Bouslog  
Diane Bruce  
Donna Sorcic