

TODAY'S PROGRAM, March 11

Ian Legner will introduce Brody Anderson to talk about the PHS Scholastic Bowl.

UPCOMING MEETINGS

- 3/18 - Derek Fetzer will have J Burt with North Central Regional Betterment Coalition talk about literacy.
- 3/25 - Jeff Martin has asked Lex Poppens to give us an update on activities at the Bureau County History Center.
- 4/1 - Shannon Merkel has arranged for Jessica Murphy with Magi Baby Chest to visit with us.
- 4/8 - Bob Mullane has a program about the Illinois Valley Pistol Shrimp baseball team.
- 4/15 - Tucker Nichols will introduce Kerri Hicks to talk about services at BEST, Inc.

INVOCATION SCHEDULE

- ** If you are not available on your assigned date, please contact Chantha Chhim or find your own replacement. **
- 3/11 - Beth Peacock
 - 3/18 - Pat Schou
 - 3/25 - Wayne Peacock
 - 4/1 - Joanne Sheldon
 - 4/8 - Eric May

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

- 3/13 - Steve Bouslog AND Jenica Cole
- 3/14 - Michael Stutzke
- 3/15 - Jeff Martin
- 3/16 - Joanne Sheldon

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

- 3/13 - Laura Kann & Wick Warren

MAKE-UP OPPORTUNITIES

- within two weeks of missed meeting*
- 1) Attend another Rotary Club's meeting.
 - 2) Read articles and/or watch videos at www.rotaryclubone.org for 30 minutes.
 - 3) Give blood at a Blood Drive.
 - 4) 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)
Chicken Strips & Fries (or Chips)
 All Rotarians choosing one of these options pay \$11 for the meal to Rotary who pays the Underground. Drink price: \$3 for someone not eating.



March 4 Program

Rex Lasson introduced Kevin Hieronymus, Sports Editor for the Bureau County Republican. Kevin began working for the BCR on November 4, 1986 when the newspaper was still in the Festival 56 building. They had about 45 employees there at the time with most working in a department with a number of coworkers. There have been a number of changes in the industry, largely due to technology. Most people find their news on Facebook, and printed newspapers are not as popular. Kevin remembers starting with stenotype, then proofing, making changes, and running it again. They used a waxing machine, pasted stories and pictures and then sent everything to the press room. Today, they just type and lay out everything on a computer. Kevin used to do his own layout whereas now he writes and someone else does the copy. Kevin spoke about various sports and stand-outs at PHS. He estimates he has attended more than 4,000

ATTENDANCE, Week of March 4

Membership: 42 Active Members
 6 Senior Active
 14 Corporate Auxiliary
 62 Total
Percentage: 64%

ABSENCES, March 4

Cain, Chhim, Davis, Kammerer, Lacy, D. Legner, Marsh, Martin, Monier, Mullane, Nichols, Noble, Orwig, Park, Taylor, Wittenauer, Zerneck

MAKE-UPS, March 4

Taylor, Zerneck

GUESTS, March 4

Daniel Elmore & Sky Abrassart
 Christine & Mark Pratt
 Kevin Hieronymus (Rex Lasson)
 Lindsey Burrows (Wayne Peacock)
 Jaimie Pinter (Wayne Peacock)

NEW MEMBER PROPOSAL

Lindsey Burrows has been proposed for membership. Unless signed objections stating reasons why are received by the Secretary no later than March 11, she will be eligible for membership.
Jaimie Pinter has been proposed for membership. Unless signed objections stating reasons why are received by the Secretary no later than March 11, she will be eligible for membership.

LOTTERY WINNER

The lottery rolled over to \$150!!!

sporting events (and that was 2 years ago!) He has lost track of the number of gyms he has visited but will be going to Marengo for the first time now. Kevin has covered 7 state championship teams, 2 in Morton before coming to Princeton and 5 here. His favorite sports to cover are baseball and basketball, and he said he has "seen it all." Kevin concluded his presentation with Q&A.

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CLUB OFFICERS & DIRECTORS July 2024 - June 2025

President	Eric May
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JOINT MEETING

ILLINOIS VALLEY SUNRISE | LASALLE | PERU
PRINCETON | PUTNAM COUNTY

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 9, 2025
STARVED ROCK LODGE & CONFERENCE CENTER
IN THE STARVED ROCK ROOM

**OUR SPEAKER WILL BE
DR. LAURA KANN**

**CDC:
79 YEARS OF MAKING A
WORLDWIDE HEALTH IMPACT**

MINGLE/REGISTRATION BEGINS AT 5 P.M.
DINNER AT 5:30 P.M. | SPEAKER AT 6 P.M.

MENU:
CHICKEN, SALAD, STARCH & VEGETABLE
COST IS \$30 (INCLUDES TAX/TIP)

RSVP TO YOUR CLUB PRESIDENT BY FRIDAY, APRIL 4 AT NOON
(A "NO SHOW" WILL RESULT IN BILLING OF MEAL COST)



4/29 - Our annual Foundation Dinner is scheduled for the evening. Details will follow.

COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS: July 1, 2024 - June 30, 2025

First name in bold is chair; second name in bold is vice-chair

<p>AUCTION Eric May Beth Baker Steve Bouslog Julia Cain Ginger Freeberg Pam Pratt Marsh Tucker Nichols Roxana Noble Ashley Oliver Wayne Peacock Tim Remy Pat Schou</p> <p>AUDIT Dan Legner Jeff Martin</p> <p>COMMUNITY SERVICE Cathy Foes Bonnie Anders Rex Lasson Jeff Martin Lynn Olds Ashley Oliver Andrew Whitlock SUB-CABOOSE Rex Lasson Jeff Martin Judd Lusher</p>	<p>CONNECTIONS/ MEMBERSHIP Joe Kitchens Bonnie Anders Stephanie Gustafson Pam Pratt Marsh Roxana Noble Ashley Oliver Joanne Sheldon</p> <p>FOUNDATION Gary Bruce Steve Bouslog Michele Davis Ian Legner</p> <p>FUNDRAISING Stephanie Gustafson Reka Albrecht Jene Kinsley Pam Pratt Marsh Shannon Merkel Joanne Sheldon Michael Stutzke</p>	<p>GRANTS/ SCHOLARSHIP Tracy Grimmer Joanne Sheldon Jeff Dzik Derek Fetzer Judd Lusher Joe Park Michael Stutzke</p> <p>GREETERS Mandi Johnson Ryan Keutzer Jene Kinsley Dan Legner Pam Pratt Marsh Jeff Martin Tucker Nichols Beth Peacock Wayne Peacock Joanne Sheldon</p> <p>INVOCATIONS Chantha Chhim</p> <p>PROGRAMS Steve Bouslog</p> <p>PUBLIC IMAGE Tracy Wright Chantha Chhim Bob Mullane</p>	<p>SERGEANT- AT-ARMS Bob Mullane Joe Park Steve Bouslog Jenica Cole Tracy Grimmer Pam Pratt Marsh Eric May Bob Mullane Derek Whited</p> <p>SHRIMPFEET Michael Stutzke Ryan Keutzer Steve Bouslog Tracy Grimmer Stephanie Gustafson Tom Kammerer Laura Kann Pam Pratt Marsh Eric May Tucker Nichols Ashley Oliver Wayne Peacock Joanne Sheldon Tracy Wright</p>	<p>SPECIAL LUNCHES Pam Pratt Marsh Michele Davis Shannon Merkel Joanne Sheldon</p> <p>STRATEGIC PLAN IMPLEMENTATION Steve Bouslog Pat Schou Mandi Johnson Lynn Olds</p> <p>VOCATIONAL SERVICE Gary Bruce</p> <p>YOUTH PROGRAMS Beth Peacock Derek Fetzer Mandi Johnson Ian Legner</p>
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Our first "Love Our Community Grant" recipients received \$1,000! Congrats to Western Bureau County Food Pantry AND Elmore Disaster Relief!

<p>Albrecht, Reka Anders, Bonnie Baker, Beth #R Bouslog, Steve (5) #*R Bruce, Gary (10) Burrows, Kyle #R Cain, Julia Chhim, Chantha Cole, Jenica Davis, Michele # Dzik, Jeff # Fetzer, Derek Fitzpatrick, Tonya Foes, Catherine (2) # Freeberg, Ginger #*R Grimmer, Tracy (3) Gustafson, Stephanie Hartman, Scott #*R Heiden, Nancy (4) Hunt, Jeff (5) Johnson, Mandi Kammerer, Tom #^ Kann, Laura (3) #+^ Kautz, Paul # Keutzer, Ryan Kinsley, Jene</p>	<p>Country Financial Freedom House Grant-Johnson Funeral Home KB Elliott Fin. Advisors Ret. Jeweler OSF St. Clare Flowers by Julia Bunker Hill Church Princeton Chamber Culver's Walmart Vision Heartland Bank Freedom House OSF HealthCare Foundation Heartland Bank First State Bank Taylor's Way OSF St. Clare Retired Banking Central Bank Gateway Services City of Princeton Ret. / Public Health Ret. / Executive Director studioK Architecture Gateway Services</p>	<p>Kitchens, Joe # Lacy, Kate Lasson, Rex # Legner, Dan Legner, Ian #R Lusher, Judd (25) Mabry, Ray Marsh, Pam Pratt (1) #R Martin, Jeff (2) # May, Eric Merkel, Shannon Monier, Shellee *R Mullane, Bob (2) Nichols, Tucker #*R Noble, Roxana (3) Olds, Lynn Oliver, Ashley Orwig, J.D. #* Park, Joe (1) # Peacock, Beth (3) # Peacock, Wayne (3) Remy, Tim (3) # Rux, Samantha Harker # Schou, Pat R Sheldon, Joanne (5) #*R Sorcic, Tony (16)</p>	<p>Midland Wealth Mgmt. Self-Employed RE Investments Compeer Financial KB Elliott Fin. Advisors Ret. / School Administrator City of Princeton Bureau Co. History Center Ret. / Chiropractic May, May, Angel & Harris Gateway Services Meadows Home Décor Starved Rock Media Edward Jones Berkshire Hathaway Home Greenfield Retirement Home Shaw Media Princeton Elementary In Home Care Connection KBC Solutions, Inc. Key Builders Construction Heartland Bank OSF St. Clare Ret. / ICAHN IV PADS Ret. / Banking</p>	<p>#R Stutzke, Michael Taylor, Dennis Taylor, Josh # Weborg, John Whited, Derek Whitlock, Andrew Wittenauer, Theresa #R Wright, Tracy (3) Yepsen, Victoria Zerneck, Michael (3)</p> <p># Paul Harris Fellow + Rotary Foundation Benefactor ^ Major Donor * Past President R Rotarian of the Year () Number indicates years of perfect attendance</p> <p>Paul Harris Fellows (non-members) Carla Bouslog Lynn Bouslog Diane Bruce Leanne Martin</p> <p>Ret. / Education Taylor's Way Taylor's Way Ret. / Pastor, Professor Taylor's Way Assurance City of Princeton Gateway Services City of Princeton Freedom House Kim Park Donna Sorcic Wick Warren</p>
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