

TODAY'S PROGRAM, February 10
 Jene Kinsley has Luke Tomsha and Matt Rowlee with The Perfectly Flawed Foundation as her guests.

UPCOMING MEETINGS
 2/17 - Join us for the Valentines Day celebration at Comfort Inn! Lex Poppens will share famous couples in history.
 2/24 - NO NOON MEETING! We'll have details for our evening social soon.
 3/3 - Gary Bruce has the program.
 3/10 - Ian Legner has the program.
 3/17 - Derek Fetzer has the program.
 3/24 - Shannon Merkel has the program.
 3/31 - Bob Mullane has the program.


INVOCATION SCHEDULE
 Please contact Chantha Chhim or find your own replacement if you have a conflict.
 2/10 - Steve Bouslog
 2/17 - Jenica Cole
 3/3 - Stephanie Gustafson
 3/10 - Beth Peacock
 3/17 - Pat Schou
 3/24 - Wayne Peacock
 3/31 - Joanne Sheldon

HAPPY BIRTHDAY
 None

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY
 None

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.

 **February 3 Program**
 Laura Kann introduced Molly Blog, CEO and co-owner of Hornbaker Gardens. Her parents started the business in 1987. She and her brother now manage operations, but their father, Rich, is still involved but somewhat retired. Molly focused her presentation on native plants, as this is a big trend right now. Many think of natural or wild plants as tall, overgrown, and weedy, but there are also many varieties that fit nicely into residential landscapes. There is a two acre prairie at Hornbaker's with a variety of native plants and the Jane Morris Pollinator Garden at the entrance/end of the drive. Jane was the head gardener for 10 years. Native plants are often found in nature. Some are native to North America or, more specifically, to Illinois. They typically have desirable traits, are disease-resistant, and propagated by nature. Molly shared several photos of native plants, all of which can be found on their website. The monarch population has lost over 80% of its population over the last 20 years, and there are 1,600 species of bees, beetles, bats,

ATTENDANCE, Week of February 3
 Membership: 44 Active Members
 6 Senior Active
 15 Corporate Auxiliary
 65 Total
Percentage: 80%

ABSENCES, February 3
 Davis, Jackley, Lasson, I. Legner, May, Murphy, Olds, Orwig, Taylor, J. VanAutreve, Wittenauer, Zerneck

MAKE-UPS, February 3
 May, Orwig, J. VanAutreve

GUESTS, February 3
 Molly Blogg (Kann)
 Connor Cofoid (Cole)
 Fran Wilsak (Bouslog)

hummingbirds, and butterflies with some at risk of becoming extinct. Coneflowers are a popular native plant that attracts many of these pollinators. Molly noted that some plants are bred so much they can lose their pollinator effect. In addition to plants, there are also native trees. These include the white oak, serviceberry, and eastern redbud. There are a number of benefits to bugs and birds. Hornbaker Gardens opens for the season on April 10th. Molly concluded with Q&A, and we learned that hostas are not a native plant here, although Hornbaker's has over 400 varieties. The plant is native to Japan. Illinois is considered "Zone 5" for planting and any gardening considerations. For more information on native plants and plants and trees in general, visit their website at www.hornbakergardens.com.



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President	Steve Bouslog
President-Elect	Pat Schou
Vice-President	Cathy Foes
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Treasurer	Jeff Hunt
Director	Jeff Martin
Director	Ashley Oliver
Director	J.D. Orwig
Past President	Eric May



3/19 - Business After Hours; 4 p.m. - 6 p.m. at Underground Inn; we will be honoring our various fundraising sponsors during the evening.
4/10 - 12 - District Conference. Details coming soon!
4/21 - Annual Foundation Dinner. Stay tuned for more info!

Can't attend in person?! Join us by Zoom!

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/82075090614?pwd=eDQEnSYRtLCLnb10hS9J8jCE3wbua.1>

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COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS: July 1, 2025 - June 30, 2026

Name(s) in bold is chair

AUCTION

Ashley Oliver
Beth Baker
Steve Bouslog
Lindsey Burrows
Julia Cain
Eric May
Tucker Nichols
Wayne Peacock
Jaimie Pinter
Tim Remy
Pat Schou

AUDIT

Dan Legner
Jeff Martin

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Cathy Foes
Bonnie Anders
Rex Lasson**
Jeff Martin**
Lynn Olds
Ashley Oliver
Joe Park**
Lex Poppens
Andrew Whitlock
** Caboose

CONNECTIONS/ MEMBERSHIP

Joe Kitchens
Lindsey Burrows
Derek Fetzer
Jaimie Pinter
Joanne Sheldon
Andrew Whitlock

FOUNDATION

Gary Bruce
Steve Bouslog
Ian Legner
Jaimie Pinter

FUNDRAISING

Stephanie Gustafson
Jene Kinsley
Shannon Merkel
Joanne Sheldon
Michael Stutzke

GRANTS/ SCHOLARSHIP

Tracy Grimmer
Joanne Sheldon
Jeff Dzik
Judd Lusher
Derek Fetzer
Michael Stutzke

GREETERS

Mandi Johnson
Ryan Keutzer
Jene Kinsley
Dan Legner
Jeff Martin
Tucker Nichols
Ashley Oliver
Beth Peacock
Wayne Peacock
Joanne Sheldon

INVOCATIONS

Chantha Chhim

PROGRAMS

Pat Schou

PUBLIC IMAGE

Tracy Wright
Lynn Olds

SERGEANT- AT-ARMS

Bob Mullane
Janica Cole
Tracy Grimmer
Eric May
Joe Park

SHRIMPFEET

Jeff Hunt
Joe Park
Tracy Grimmer
Stephanie Gustafson
Tom Kammerer
Laura Kann
Ryan Keutzer
Eric May
Tucker Nichols
Wayne Peacock
Joanne Sheldon
Tracy Wright

SPECIAL LUNCHES

Joanne Sheldon
Lindsey Burrows
Shannon Merkel

VOCATIONAL SERVICE

Gary Bruce
Steve Bouslog

YOUTH PROGRAMS

Beth Peacock
Derek Fetzer
Cathy Foes
Mandi Johnson
Ian Legner
Pat Schou



Thanks to everyone who helped out with the Wildside Challenge. Names and photos will be shared in next week's Pivot.

Happy "Anniversary" in FEBRUARY

Years are with our Princeton Club only based on current membership; many Rotarians have previous service with another Club and/or rejoined our Club after an absence.

*Tonya Fitzpatrick - 3 years
Tom Kammerer - 7 years
Rex Lasson - 14 years
Ian Legner - 3 years*



Anders, Bonnie	Freedom House	Kinsley, Jene	Gateway Services	#R	Stutzke, Michael	Ret. / Education
Baker, Beth	Grant-Johnson Funeral Home	* Kitchens, Joe	Midland Wealth Mgmt.		Taylor, Dennis	Taylor's Way
Baker, Matthew	Grant-Johnson Funeral Home	Lasson, Rex	RE Investments		Taylor, Josh	Taylor's Way
Boettcher, Anikah	Grant-Johnson Funeral Home	# Legner, Dan	Compeer Financial		VanAutreuve, Dana	Second Story Teen Center
#R= Bouslog, Steve (6)	KB Elliott Fin. Advisors	Legner, Ian	KB Elliott Fin. Advisors		VanAutreuve, Jeff	Second Story Teen Center
#*R= Bruce, Gary (10)	Ret. / Jeweler	#R Lusher, Judd (25)	Ret. / School Administrator		Whited, Derek	Taylor's Way
Burrows, Lindsey	Key Builders Construction	Mabry, Ray	City of Princeton		Whitlock, Andrew	Assurance
#R Cain, Julia	Flowers by Julia	#R Martin, Jeff (2)	Ret. / Chiropractic		Wittenauer, Theresa	City of Princeton
Chhim, Chantha	Bunker Hill Church	#* May, Eric (1)	May, May, Angel & Harris	#R=	Wright, Tracy (4)	Gateway Services
Cole, Jenica	Princeton Chamber	Merkel, Shannon	Gateway Services		Yepsen, Victoria	City of Princeton
Davis, Michele	Culver's	*R Mullane, Bob (2)	Starved Rock Media		Zerneck, Michael (4)	Freedom House
# Dzik, Jeff	Walmart Vision	Murphy, Michael	Conxxus	#	Paul Harris Fellow	
# Fetzer, Derek	Heartland Bank	Nichols, Tucker	Edward Jones	+	Rotary Foundation Benefactor	
Fitzpatrick, Tonya	Freedom House	#*R Noble, Roxana (3)	Berkshire Hathaway Home	^	Major Donor	
# Foes, Catherine (3)	OSF HealthCare Foundation	Oertel, Erica	Bureau Co. History Center	=	PolioPlus Society	
= Grady, Julie	Second Story Teen Center	Olds, Lynn	Greenfield Retirement Home	*	Past President	
#*R Grimmer, Tracy (4)	First State Bank	Oliver, Ashley	Shaw Media	R	Rotarian of the Year	
Gustafson, Stephanie	Taylor's Way	Orwig, J.D.	Princeton Elementary	()	Number indicates years of perfect attendance	
Hartman, Scott	OSF St. Clare	#* Park, Joe (1)	In Home Care Connection			
#*R Heiden, Nancy (4)	Retired Banking	#= Peacock, Beth (3)	KBC Solutions, Inc.			
# Hunt, Jeff (6)	Central Bank	# Peacock, Wayne (4)	Key Builders Construction			
Jackley, Mystie	Peak Medical Home Care	Pinter, Jaimie	Pinter Plowing			
# Johnson, Mandi	Gateway Services	Poppens, Lex	Bureau Co. History Center			
Kammerer, Tom	City of Princeton	Remy, Tim (3)	Heartland Bank			
#*= Kann, Laura (4)	Ret. / Public Health	#= Schou, Pat	Ret. / ICAHN			
#+^ Kautz, Paul	Ret. / Executive Director	R Sheldon, Joanne (5)	IV PADS			
# Keutzer, Ryan	studioK Architecture	#*R Sorcic, Tony (16)	Ret. / Banking			

Paul Harris Fellows (non-members)

Carla Bouslog	Leanne Martin
Lynn Bouslog	Kim Park
Diane Bruce	Donna Sorcic
Keith Cain	Wick Warren