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Rotary This Week Feb 20, 2025

Announcements:

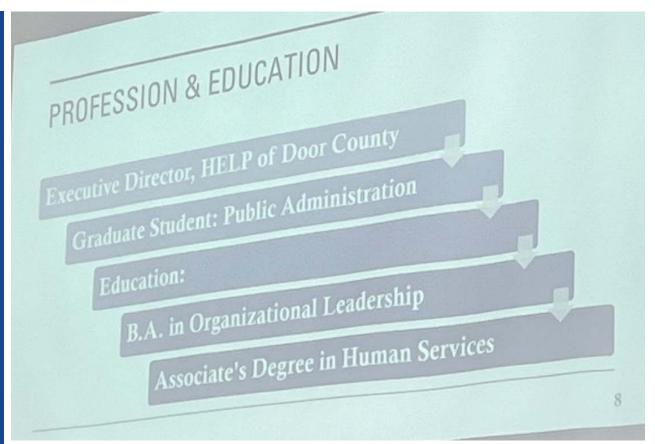
- Rotary District Speaking Contest-The three Door County Rotary Clubs are jointly sponsoring a speaking contest directed at 9th grade students in the DC School Districts (+ homeschooled). The competition is structured by using the Rotary 4-Way Test to address online bullying. The event is sponsored by the YMCA of Door County and will be held at the Sturgeon Bay YMCA on Saturday, March 22nd at 5pm. First place is \$1000, 2nd place \$500 and 3rd place \$250. The contest has been shared with all school districts.
- Where is Waldo? Or where is our Mark Nelson? A reliable source has spotted Mark at Marco Island, Fla. Mark, your weekly jokes are sadly missed (by some), so please come home when the DC weather gets above freezing.

Feb 13th Program-Rotarian Moriah Benzow shared her classification talk (apologies for the late posting, the editorial staff was unavailable). Moriah is the Executive Director of HELP of Door County. HELP provides services and programs throughout Door County for victims of domestic abuse as well as family and friends. Services are free, confidential and available regardless of age, gender, race, sexual orientation or disability.

When answering the classic question, where are you from? Moriah shared this map with a star everywhere she has lived.



Now that is an expansive list of locals.



Club RYE Chair Past President

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Birthdays

Cameryn Ehlers-Kwaterski February 20th Dennis K. White February 21st Grace Rossman March 4th Karen M Gosser March 13th William A Hooker March 13th Erin R Helgeson March 18th Tonya Felhofer March 19th Bret Bicoy March 29th

Years of Service

Brian Hinrichs 02-24-2023 2 Years Today's Program- Cari Josephson, Executive Direction of "Walk to End Alzheimer's Association, WI Chapter". Her responsibilities cover Door, Brown and Kewaunee Counties with over site as far south as Oshkosh. Her office is in Green Bay. Visit alz.org/wi or call 414-479-8800.



Deaths from Alzheimer's and Dementia are increasing and, unfortunately, there is no known cure and the diseases are fatal. Alzheimer's disease is the 7th leading cause of death.

In 2020, there were 110,900 people over 65 and older with Alzheimer's in WI or 10.6% of adults over 65. Per capita Medicare spending on people with Dementia in 2023 is \$27,335.



BREAST CANCER PROSTATE CANCER

COMBINED

IN 2024, ALZHEIMER'S

\$360 BILLION

BY 2050, THESE COSTS COULD RISE TO NEARLY

\$1 TRILLION

ALZHEIMER'S () ASSOCIATION

OVER 11 MILLION
AMERICANS PROVIDE
UNPAID CARE
FOR PEOPLE WITH ALZHEIMER S



THESE CAREGIVERS
PROVIDED MORE THAN
18 BILLION HOURS
VALUED AT NEARLY
\$347 BILLION

Healthy Behaviors for Your Brain



HEART HEALTH



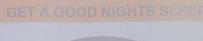
EAT HEALTHY



QUIT SMOKING



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PROTECT YOUR HEAD



Cari's primary message was to share the importance of raising funding to address the cost of research and treatment. Please consider attending the Joint Annual Fundraiser-Walk to End Alzheimer's and the 2025 Sun Flower Fest will again be at Martin Park on September 13, 2025. This event was extremely well-attended in 2024 and really showcases The Alzheimer's Assoc of WI and Sunshine House in Sturgeon Bay. Reach out to Cari at cajosephson@alz.org or 920-609-1342 or Jeremy Paszczak at jpaszczak@sunshinehouseinc.org.



Jeremy did a great job filling in and prepping for the future. He was concerned about being left behind, so Happy Dollars are modified to "Don't Fine Me Dollars" when Jeremy leads the meeting. (Oh, Jeremy, when in front of the camera, best to keep your eyes open, just saying).

Summary-One of the true values of Rotary meetings is to understand the issues facing our community and lives. They can be sad, tough subjects, but important to understand. Thanks, Moriah, Cari and Jeremy for all you do.

Future Meetings:

- Feb 27- Kaira Rouer- Executive Director of MUSE Sturgeon Bay
 Mar 6- Club Assembly

Back by popular demand:

