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Kiwanis Club of Madison West - Kiwanogram

Guests: Jim Martin and Ed Walker, guests of Joseph Tevaarwerk, Taylor DuVarney (student), Stephanie DuVarney (parent); Ana Massoglia (student) and Nancy and Michael Massoglia (parents).

Program: 'Bikes for Kids Madison' was presented by Christie GoForth, executive director of Bikes for Kids Madison. This organization strives to insure Transportation Equity, with a goal of providing the same access to affordable and reliable transportation to everyone.

The impact to date in 2024:

1. 12,500 + bikes distributed,
2. \$1,687,500 in value distributed to those in need,
3. 210 organizations served,
4. 85,000 pounds of metal recycled, and
5. 2,652 volunteer hours.

Wisconsin Reach – Strategic Partners are the Key:

1. Great Lakes Inter-Tribal Council,
2. Boys and Girls Clubs,
3. Habitat for Humanity and
4. Rusk County and Schools

Sources of Funding:

- 50% - Individuals,
- 30% - Grants,
- 5% - Corporate support and
- 15% - Sales and Service



Christie GoForth

June 14, 2024

Presiding: Millard Johnson
Opening Word: Ken Saville
Checkpoint: Joseph Tevaarwerk
Greeter: Paul Aspinwall
Meeting Setup: Tom McCrill

Today, **Cody Kramschuster** was inducted as a new member of Madison West Kiwanis by **Ken Saville**, Lt. Gov. of Division 5 of the WIUM Kiwanis District. Cody is a Financial Advisor at Edward Jones. Cody graduated from the University of Dubuque, Iowa with a degree in business administration. He enjoys reading, hiking and boating. Cody's Kiwanis sponsor is Brian Martin. Cody's Kiwanis interests include club meetings and administration.



Cody receiving Kiwanis shirt from Ken

Date	Event
June 21	Foundation Trustees Covenant, 1:00 pm
July 12	Board of Directors Covenant, 10:30 am

Up Coming Programs

Date	Program	Greeter	Opening Word	Check In	Setup
June 21	Pheasant Branch Conservancy Hans Hilbert	Art Stauffacher	Jim Wiederhoeft	Joseph Tevaarwerk	TBD
June 28	The Food Pantry-Munch Truck Ryan Holley	Dwight Gribble	TBD	Leroy Baker	TBD
July 5	No Meeting				

Meeting Time and Location

Every Friday, 11:45 am

Covenant Presbyterian Church

326 Segoe Road, Madison, WI 53705

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Email: rschuler@wisc.edu

Facebook:

<http://www.facebook.com/madisonwestkiwanis/>

President Wiederhoeft encouraged club members and friends visit our club Facebook page and hit 'Like'. Our Facebook is listed above on this page.

Dwight Gribble reported **Ed Reid**, and **Dwight** and Emma **Gribble** have volunteered for Midvale School Lunch Buddies on Wednesday, June 5. Seven students participated. This will be the last Lunch Buddies of this school year. Tom Loomis, Midvale Instructional Coach will attend one of our meetings to receive donated books and a \$1,000 payment to be used at the principals discretion.

Jim Danner reported the next Second Harvest date is July 25.

George Shook reports the next Habitat ReStore event is scheduled for June 20, (9:00 am to noon). All future Habitat activities will at the Restore West location on Odana Road. Volunteers are **Rich Donkle**, **Case Dorresteijn**, **Dwight Gribble**, **Tom McCrill**, **Joseph Tevaarwerk** and **George**.

Arlin Brannstrom reported the next Culver's Share Night is scheduled for July 23. A sign-up will be circulated at a future meeting.

'Thank You' Notes were received from Isabella Baldo, Music scholarship recipient, and Ava Bachhuber, Ahlgren Humanitarian Scholarship recipient.

On Monday, June 10, about 300 prescription pill bottles were delivered to Madison Downtown Kiwanis. The bottles will then be delivered to Elm Grove Golden K to be available to community health centers located in low income areas of Milwaukee.

On Thursday, June 20, **Dennis** and Betty **Keeney** will be celebrating their 65th Wedding Anniversary. Congratulations!!!!

Club Officers (2023-24)

Co-Presidents:

Millard Johnson

Jim Wiederhoeft

Vice President

Ken Saville

Secretary

Ron Schuler

Treasurer:

Randy Grobe

Co-Past Presidents

Harold Green

Fred Ross

Board of Directors:

Jim Danner

Randy Shaver

Dwight Gribble

Kathleen Newman

Leroy Baker

Joseph Tevaarwerk

Interclub opportunities:

Bruce Hoehne, **Ed** and Mary Lou **Reisch**, **Ken** and Lois **Saville** and **Ron Schuler** participated in the Kiwanis night at the Madison Mallards Baseball on June 14 which was organized by Madison East Kiwanis. This qualifies as a Kiwanis Interclub. For the 2023-24 Kiwanis year we have eight successful interclubs. Two more interclubs, we qualify for a 'Round Robin award (banner patch).



Bruce Hoehne and **Ron Schuler** under the watchful eyes of Maynard the Mallard during the Mallards baseball game.

Madison East Kiwanis: June 26 (11:45 am)

Millard Johnson is providing the program titled 'Wilderness Cabin Building in NW Ontario'. The Madison East meeting take place at the Great Dane restaurant on Cottage Grove Road.

Ernie Rothe Scholarship

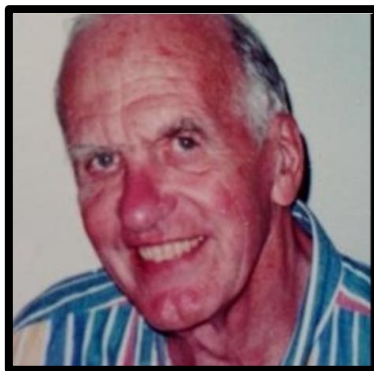
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2024 Recipients

Taylor Duvarney and Ana Massoglia

Who is Ernie Rothe?

Ernel (Ernie) Rothe was born in Fennimore where his family operated a hardware store. He was a UW-Madison graduate and had successful career in Madison with Research Products Corporation. He joined Madison West Kiwanis in 1959 as a charter member of our club. Ernie passed away in 2014 at the age of 91. The Rothe fund was established to annually provide three scholarships to Key Club and Circle K students. Each scholarship was to be \$1,000.



Ernell Rothe

Taylor Duvarney has been the Membership Recruitment Officer and Co-president of the West High School Key Club. She has volunteered at the RCC Sexual Violence Resource Center and the Miracle League of Dane County as a buddy to children with disabilities. Taylor is member of Mega 4 Segra where she does fundraising to support secondary education for girls in Tanzania.

She has been a student council representative and has served as Student Body President. Taylor is co-captain of the West High School Dance Team, an AP Exam Scholar, WACPC Scholar Athlete and a member of the National Honor Society.

Ana Massoglia has served as secretary and co-president of the West High School Key Club. Ana has volunteered at the Catholic Multicultural Center, Habitat for Humanity, Aktion Club, participated in the Lupus Walk, and assisted with our Pancake Breakfast and Christmas Pageant.

Ana is a 4-year member of the West High School Dance Team and has been co-captain the last two years. She is a member of DECA and has qualified to compete at the State and National levels in the area of Sports and Entertainment Marketing.



Taylor being introduced by Art Stauffacher



Ana being congratulated by Art Stauffacher