

Rotary Club of Menomonie  
Committee Assignments 2008-2009

**DIRECTOR A – CLUB SERVICE – Bryan Kneeland**

This avenue of service works to keep our club active, growing, and informed.

A1. FELLOWSHIP ACTIVITIES promote acquaintance, friendship, and participation among the members and their families in organized Rotary recreational and social activities.

Promotes District 6250 activities \_\_\_\_\_  
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Tony Manzella

Organizes an annual club picnic -- the newest members

Baseball Outing at Carson Park with Group 1 Clubs Sandy Ott

A2. SUNSHINE COMMITTEE provides information on Rotarians that may be ill or facing health problems and communicates the Club's best wishes to them. It keeps survivors of Rotarians informed and invited to club activities.

Jim Anderson

A3. CLUB BULLETIN AND MAGAZINE publishes the weekly bulletin, files a copy of each bulletin with the historian, and e-mails a copy to each member and to the District Governor.

Lisa Lyon – chair

Jane Roberts

Wally Smetana

Maltee McMahan

Chris Smith

Rose Burns

Seth Sundeen

David Hesse

A4. FUND RAISING committee implements fund raising activities.

Rose Sale, the major fund raiser is under direction of Directors A and B.

Don Williams

Chuck Brenner

All club members are expected to sell 20 dozen roses or to donate the profit from 20 dozen.

Christmas Gala/Auction - Sandy Ott

Members are asked to donate items for the auction and to participate in the event.

Grant writing  
Jeff Heinzen  
Mary Jorgensen

Wheelchair Classic is a golf outing competition between Rotary (our club and the Sunrise Rotary Club) and the Menomonie Lions to raise money for wheelchairs or other needs at the Senior Center.

Joe Larkin – chair  
John Wesolek  
Brad Waznik  
Richard Rhiel  
Brad O’Connell  
Bobbiejo Miller

A5. HISTORIAN/ARCHIVIST collects and organizes records of the club's activities and maintains a permanent file of the club's bulletins.

Dennis Shaw – chair  
Carroll Rund

A6. MEMBERSHIP/ATTENDANCE committee develops methods to attract new members, encourages regular meeting attendance and generates ideas to improve member retention.

Tim Eiden chair  
Steve Arntzen  
Carroll Rund  
Dick Edwards  
Past presidents (Ruby Pin Committee)  
Vice President will meet with new members to match them with a  
Committee

A7. MUSIC committee selects appropriate songs and leads group singing.  
Carroll Rund

A8. PROGRAM CO ORDINATOR is the secretary – Sandy Ott  
All members will be asked to provide a program; this is about one program every two years per member.

A9. ROTARY INFORMATION/INDUCTION/EDUCATION/INSTALLATION  
COMMITTEE

Vice President arranges and facilitates the New Member Orientation  
Current Board Members will present information about their avenue of service at the New Member Orientation

Dennis Beety – chair of the Installation  
Past Presidents (Ruby Pin Committee)  
Carroll Rund

A10. SERGEANT-AT-ARMS provides for the physical property arrangements for the weekly meeting, acts as hospitality person for guests, provides name tags for visiting Rotarians and guests and assures the maintenance of order in the Rotary storage area.

Scot Catto – chair  
Neal Prichard

A11. PUBLIC RELATIONS committee presents information to the public about the club, Rotary, its history, goals, and accomplishments throughout the Rotary year.

- Provide special emphasis during Rotary Awareness Month (January).
- Work with the media to secure proper publicity for the club's activities.
- Informs RI and the District of newsworthy club projects.
- The committee has responsibility for the club's display at the District Convention.

Clint Moses – club photographer

Linda McIntyre – writer

Dennis Shaw

Secretary will email the monthly board minutes to the members.

- Website Responsibility – Dennis Shaw chair  
Rick Suydam

**DIRECTOR B –INTERNATIONAL SERVICE** – Bryan LaVoy

This avenue of service studies and recommends how we work effectively and positively with non-Rotarians, Rotarians, and Rotary Clubs in other countries.

B1. WORLD COMMUNITY SERVICE studies and recommends to the board how we might develop cooperative projects with Rotary Clubs in other countries. It also evaluates and recommends responses to WCS Projects designated or recommended by District 6250

Mark Kinney

Brice Medin

Bill Powell

Ambassadorial Scholarship

Roxann Vanderwyst

Chris Smith

Dennis Shaw

GSE: John Wesolek

Diane Simon

B2. INTERNATIONAL STUDENT ACTIVITIES stimulates activities of Rotarians with international students at UW-Stout and MHS.

Linda McIntyre, chair

Claudia Smith

B3. IN-BOUND INTERNATIONAL YOUTH EXCHANGE brings young people from other countries to live and study in the Menomonie area, locates host families for them, encourages these students to attend the weekly Rotary meetings, provides transportation to these meetings, and coordinates any of their special needs while they are in our area.

Mike Glapa – chair /YEO  
Paulette Sorensen - counselor  
Lori Ausman – Youth Protection Officer  
Mike Fekete  
Tim Peterson  
Lisa Montgomery

B3. OUT-BOUND INTERNATIONAL YOUTH EXCHANGE sends selected high school aged youth from the Menomonie area to study in a Rotary community abroad for up to one year. Exchanges must be approved at the District Level.

Elizabeth Spader – chair  
David Paulson  
Roy Harrisville III

B4. ROTARY FOUNDATION spreads knowledge and promotes support for the Rotary Foundation and Paul Harris Fellowships.

Greg Lentz  
Chris Smith  
Ed Smith

B5. SHORT TERM INTERNATIONAL YOUTH EXCHANGE sends selected high school aged youth from the Menomonie area to a Rotary community abroad for a short-term exchange that lasts several weeks. This exchange need not include an academic program; it often takes place when schools are not in session. Students are expected to house a host student when the exchange student visits Menomonie. Summer exchanges must have District approval.

Mike Fairchild – chair  
Ellen Ochs

**DIRECTOR C – COMMUNITY SERVICE – Sue Beety**

This avenue of service focuses on our local community and how Rotarians can improve this community.

C1. ENVIRONMENTAL committee identifies local environmental issues and develops projects to help solve them.

Amy Young  
Wayne Barcus  
John Dotseth

Bruce W Trimble  
Bruce M. Trimble  
Mary Jorgensen  
Don Williams  
Larry Feiler – chair of highway clean up along US 12 and WI 29-the area  
immediately east of town.  
Chuck Brenner

C2. HEALTH SERVICES & SAFETY committee identifies the needs of our  
community and recommends plans for improvement. The focus this year is to  
initiate a project to reduce child mortality either locally or internationally.

Dennis Beety  
Joseph Heimler  
David Hesse  
Jack Lewis  
Steve Lindberg  
James McSweeney  
Clint Moses  
Patrick Rebman  
Richard Rhiel  
Diane Simon  
Hank Simpson

Relay for Life Activity – Ellen Ochs  
Senior Citizens – Mike Ritland

C3. YOUTH ACTIVITIES committee supports Badger Boys and Girls State and the  
National Honor Society Banquet, and the Youth Volunteer Student Award, which  
is based on the Rotary Motto of “Service Above Self.”

Tom Johnson – chair of The Youth Volunteer Student Award  
Jack Lewis – Superintendent of Schools

C4. HOLIDAY FAMILY PROJECT committee provides items for families identified by  
social services during the Christmas season.

Lori Ausman co-chair  
Lisa Montgomery co-chair  
Maltee McMahon – co- chair  
Mary Solberg – co-chair  
Chris Meyer  
Diane Simon

**DIRECTOR D – VOCATIONAL SERVICE**–Bill Butsic

This avenue of service works to improve our understanding of the vocations of fellow  
Rotarians.

D1. LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

Junior Achievement

RYLA (Rotary Youth Leadership Awards) Lori Ausman

Leadership Menomonie

D2. VOCATIONAL AWARENESS committee develops projects and programs that increase members' knowledge and appreciation of various occupations. It emphasizes the worthiness to society of all useful occupations, promotes use of the Four Way Test in business decisions, and encourages a high standard of ethical practices.

Vocational Talks \_\_\_\_\_

Business Tours\_\_\_\_\_

D3. LITERACY COMMITTEE

Barb Anderson chairperson

Gwen Bee

Earl Gunderson

John Rendon

Gerry Leff and Jeanne Leff – Elementary Literacy Program

Annette Taylor