

# Bulletin

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Rotary Club of Menomonie

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District 6250—Club 2704



This Week—Dec. 23, 2009

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## *This Week—About SCORE*

The Western Wisconsin SCORE Chapter 362 is about twenty years old, currently with 30 active counselors. Headquartered in downtown Eau Claire, our office services a nine county area in Wisconsin: Barron, Chippewa, Dunn, Eau Claire, Pepin, Pierce, Polk, Rusk, and St. Croix.

Whether you are just starting up a business or expanding an established business, SCORE counselors can help. SCORE has assisted more than 4.5 million Americans with small business counseling. Let us help you.

Our counselors offer expert help in areas based on their own personal experience. If you are looking for advice where you feel this background would be useful, please go to the following address and complete the form. <https://www.edmisscore.org/0362>.

A counselor matching your needs will contact you to set up a one-on-one session.

### Counselors Background:

- 5 Small Business Owners
- City Gov. Dept Head
- Computer Industry Mgmt.
- Insurance, General Agent
- VP Supplier Development, Metal Mfg. Co
- 3 Technical College Faculty
- Partner CPA, LL.
- Production, Quality Control Mgr.
- Plant Manager, Foods Business
- President & CEO, Services Firm
- VP & GM Distribution Business
- Current Small business Owner
- Director of Sales
- City Gov. Dept Head
- Lawyer, software designer
- 3 University Faculty
- Fashion Designer
- Partner CPA
- VP & CFO Food Production
- University, Physical Plant Staff
- Exec. VP, Grocery Firm

### Counselors Skills and Interests:

- Management/business, bookkeeping, accounting, marketing, promotion
- Certified Public Account, management, business, retail/wholesale, construction
- Construction, environmental topics, home building, inventory control, office and plant layout, warehousing
- Home building/repair
- Food stores, wholesale, restaurants, fast food, engineering-mechanical & structural
- Soft goods processing
- Administration, economics, labor relations, public relations
- City Government operations
- Buying/selling a business, construction, Gov. contracts, labor relations

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### Officers

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### Editors

Lisa Lyon              Jane Roberts  
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### **THE FOUR-WAY TEST**

Of the things we think, say or do:

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

- Education-vocational, education/training
- Automotive industry, general business, electronic industry, general manufacturing, photography, plant engineer, layout, management
- Administration, budgeting, business start-ups, business plans, computer sys & consulting, home-based business
- Software Design

Source: [http://www.score-eauclaire.org/about\\_us.html](http://www.score-eauclaire.org/about_us.html)

Article submitted by Editor M. McMahon

## Recipe for Christmas All Year Long

Take a heap of child-like wonder  
 That opens up our eyes  
 To the unexpected gifts in life—  
 Each day a sweet surprise.  
 Mix in fond appreciation  
 For the people whom we know;  
 Like festive Christmas candles,  
 Each one has a special glow.  
 Add some giggles and some laughter,  
 A dash of Christmas food,  
 (Amazing how a piece of pie  
 Improves our attitude!)  
 Stir it all with human kindness;  
 Wrap it up in love and peace,  
 Decorate with optimism, and  
 Our joy will never cease.  
 If we use this healthy recipe,  
 We know we will remember  
 To be in the Christmas spirit,  
 Even when it's not December.

*By Joanna Fuchs*

### ***WANTED:***

Rotarians to plan events and to arrange for host families for the GSE Team from Japan during the week of May 16, 2010. Contact President Mark or International Director Sue Beety.

### ***Three Clubs Recognized for Foundation Support***

Three clubs of District 6250 have been recognized for their outstanding support of the Annual Programs Fund of our Rotary Foundation in Rotary year 2008-2009.

They are with their per capital support listed:

The Rotary Club of Madison West Towne Middleton \$262.50

The **Rotary Club of Menomonie** \$129.94

The Rotary Club of Fitchburg-Verona \$125.00

This support for the Rotary Foundation enables our district to participate in both matching and simplified grants, supports our Group Study Exchange program and underwrites the various scholarships offered by Rotary International. The Rotarians of this district are making a difference in the world, are changing and saving lives and extending a helping hand to those who are calling out in need. Thank you to all who do so much to support the good work of the Rotary Foundation.

Mary Kessens - District Foundation Chair

David Warren - District Annual Programs Chair