



## Waunakee Rotary Club

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Waunakee Rotary Club committees have several projects in the works, and they reviewed them at club assembly June 3.

Craig Larson reminded the club that the Pontoon Cruise is set for July 13, and said the ride should start at 4 or 4:30 p.m. with dinner at Fitz's afterwards.

Brent Ziegler said the club is working on some projects around the Rotary Walk at Village Center Pond. The lighting needs to be finished up, the club plans to install a fishing pier. Also, the club plans to spend \$500 on a prairie restoration project at Prairie Elementary School. The 50x80 foot area has become overrun with weeds. The club will weed it and plant flowers, and it will be an ongoing project during upcoming work days.

Speakers are lined up, according to the meetings and publicity committee.

Pat Durden said the membership committee is looking at ways to attract farmers or farm families. He urged Rotarians who know farm families to talk to them about joining the club.

The international committee has a school supply collection coming up. They will meet at Bill Erickson's house June 16 at 5 p.m. to box and sort the supplies for shipping.

Linda Olson said the Philippines book project is done and that committee is looking for a new project. The well project in Guatemala is moving slowly, she said.

Harriet Statz said Bird will be done with school next week and looking for stuff to do for the remainder of his stay here. The good news for the Youth Exchange committee is that families are coming forward to host next year's exchange student.

### Other news:

• Brent Ziegler is anxious to take office as Rotary Club President, so the changing of officers dinner is moved up to Tuesday, June 22.

• Dan said the club is desperate for WaunaFest chairs. Basically, these people are needed to be on call for the food booth. The idea is to have three volunteers so each one can take a day (Friday, Saturday or Sunday, July 23-25).

Guests: Alan Langeteig, guest of Ken Ballweg.

Visiting Rotarians: None.

Birthdays: June 15, Bill Tygum.

Anniversaries: June 13, Sandy and Tim Taylor; June 15, Bob and Jody Pulvermacher.

Prayers: June 10, Pat Durden. June 17, Susan Vergeront; June 24, Leonard Allen.

Programs: June 17, Harriet Statz with Bird; June 17 ???

Greeters: June 17, Rich Wipperfurth and Rob Wolfe; June 24, Brent Ziegler and Mike Ableidinger; July 1, Peggy Acker-Farber and Leonard Allen.

### On the lighter side...

A bar owner in the Old West has just hired a timid new bartender. The owner of the establishment is giving his new hire some instructions on running the place. He tells the timid man, "If you ever hear that Big John is coming to town, drop everything and run for the hills!! He's the meanest, biggest, nastiest

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### Calendar of Events:

- June 22, changing of officers.
- July 13, pontoon cruise on Lake Wisconsin.
- July 14, senior citizens picnic

outlaw who ever lived!"

A few weeks pass uneventfully. But one afternoon, a local cowhand comes running through town yelling, "Big John is coming to town! Run for your lives!"

When the bartender exits the saloon to start running, he's knocked to the ground by several townspeople scurrying out of town. As he's picking himself up, he sees a large man approaching the saloon, probably about 7 feet tall, muscular, grunting and growling as he walks. He stomps up to the door, orders the poor barkeep inside, and demands, "I want a beer NOW!" He pounds his heavy fist on the bar, splitting it in half.

The bartender nervously hands the big man a beer, hands shaking. He takes the beer, rips the top of the bottle off with his teeth, and downs the beer in one gulp. As the bartender cowers behind the bar, the big man gets up to leave.

"Do you want another beer?" the bartender calls out.

"Dang it, I don't have time!!" the big man yells. "I gotta get out of town! Didn't ya hear Big John is a-comin'?"

## Make up meetings online

It's easy to make up a meeting on the Internet. The site is [www.rotaryclubone.org](http://www.rotaryclubone.org). Print out the form and give it to Phil Willems, the club secretary.