



TODAY'S PRESENTATION:

Wanderings
Gretchen Herrmann

Today's Presentation



Today we welcome fellow Rotarian Gretchen Herrmann.

During most evenings over the past several years, Gretchen has gone for long walks through local landscapes. Along the way she has taken thousands of snapshots with her phone capturing the tranquil and varied vistas, light, and features of her journeys.

Gretchen mindfully takes notice of both the grand, sweeping views of twilight skies and fields, as well as nature's small intricacies and imperfections as a meditative practice of renewal and healing.

For this exhibition presented in the Paine's Main Gallery (now through Oct 25) and an online gallery, Gretchen selected a range of photographs conveying the spectrum of her experiences as well as the peace and beauty she wishes to share with others.

Thank you Gretchen!

Wanted!



Rotarians to present Vocational talks.

Contact Gretchen Herrman to schedule.

New Member

The following individual has been recommended for membership by the Board of Directors. **First Posting**

Name: Ryan Rohde
Vocation: The Waters Event & Operations Manager
Proposed by: Bill Wyman



Walk to School Day Eric Smiltneek



Hi Walk Friends,
Today was one of our favorite days of the year. Walk to school day. Because we are still in virtual school, we got creative and did walk to school and chalk the school. Kids came to school as families or small groups and decorated the sidewalk outside the school as did a number of teachers. We even had a butterfly release.

Thanks for looking for helping to look for unique ways to keep people active.



Attending in person ??

FACE COVERING REQUIRED

zoom
Video Conferencing

SEE YOUR EMAIL FOR MEETING ID AND LINK



Calendar of Events

Upcoming Programs

- Oct 21 Acupuncture
Steven Mui, LAc
- Oct 28 2Blondes
Deanna Qualley,
Tammy Russell
- Nov 4 DG Craig Burnett
Paul Harris Awards
- Nov 11 Downtown BID
Jessica Meidl

Recurring Events

- 2nd Club Board Meeting
- Monday 4-5pm, Location TBD
- Nov 9 All are welcome to attend

Invocation

October ~ Karlene Leatherman

Greeters

October 14 ~ Sue Schnorr, Mike Vaughan
October 21 ~ Dave Guerden

Today's Meeting Location

Best Western Premier,
1 N Main St, Oshkosh WI 54901

**Coats for Kids
Matt Bakalars**



Our bank (Fox Valley Savings) like other locations in Oshkosh is collecting Coats for Kids now thru October 30th.

With COVID-19 spiking again, many places that collected coats have closed their lobbies. While we may do so again soon I still am open to collecting any coats from Rotarians. If anybody wants to donate coats, they can just give me a call and I can make sure they can get in the lobby to drop them off if we are not open or possibly even pick the coats up.

I believe the need will be ever greater this year than in years past and it may prove difficult to meet this need.

For more information, contact Matt Bakalars.



Oshkosh on the Water Rotary Club (formerly eClub) is hosting a booth at the Farmers Market on Oct 24 to educate on Rotary's efforts with polio eradication

They will have the Iron Lung to show.

2 hour shifts, 4 people per shift
Setup 7am Takedown 12:30pm

For more information, contact Andy DeWitt.



**Meet our Members
Kari Seefeldt**



Meet Kari Seefeldt!

Kari serves on the Southwest Rotary Board of Directors - Programs and New Generations committees!

Hometown: Blanchardville, WI. You've probably never heard of it. It's a very

small town in the southwest part of the state!

Occupation: Marketing Manager at Omni Glass & Paint. Omni is a full service glass and paint contractor, which provides residential and commercial glass, specialty glass, OEM glass and specializes in commercial and industrial painting.

Family: Husband - Eric, Dog - Dez and a baby boy on the way due in October!

Hobbies & Interests: We love to travel! Our favorite trip was Greece and Italy last year. We love to read! We have our own mini library in our basement. We love to stay active - running, taking our dog for a walk, hiking, etc.

College(s) and degree(s): UW Oshkosh Bachelor's Degree in Radio TV Film and Journalism

Awards & Accomplishments: Rotarian of the Year 2017, Leadership Oshkosh Graduate 2015

What do you love about Oshkosh Southwest Rotary? I've enjoyed volunteering since I was young and Rotary has been a way I can continue that passion. I love helping people and making a difference in their lives. It's a great way to connect with other community members and difference makers.

What you're favorite program and/or event to be a part of? I've been a part of the New Generations committee for several years and I've really enjoyed volunteering in the classrooms and helping the students any way I can at Roosevelt Elementary (our PAL).

What organization(s) do you enjoy volunteering for in the community? Oshkosh Food Pantry, Junior Achievement of Wisconsin, Big Brothers Big Sisters.

What's something people wouldn't know about you? I probably seem like a girly girl but I actually grew up on a dairy farm & I was a TV news producer for FOX 11's Good Day Wisconsin right out of college.

If you could have a superpower, what would it be? Fly! I could travel anywhere in the blink of an eye!

We're so excited for Kari and her husband to welcome their first child SOON!

Congratulations!

**Recipe of the Week
Karlene Leatherman**

If you've been to Dick Ames' Founders Picnic ... you've had these. Enjoy!

Calico Beans

- 1# ground beef (browned)
- 1# bacon (fried to desired crispness)
- 1/2 cup chopped onion (sautéed)
- 1 tsp salt
- 1 Tbl vinegar
- dash ginger
- 1/2 cup white sugar
- 1/2 cup brown sugar
- 1/2 cup catsup
- 1 tsp dry mustard
- 1 – 55 oz can Bush's Baked Beans ** (do not drain)

Combine all.
Bake uncovered @ 350° for 30-45 minutes.

Or place in crock pot on high for 2 hours ... basically until the sugars have melted and everything is heated through

** original recipe calls for
1 – 15-1/2 oz can kidney beans
1 – 15-1/2 oz butter beans
1 – 31 oz can pork & beans
... hence the name "Calico Beans"

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THE FOUR-WAY TEST
Of the things we think, say or do

first
Is it the **TRUTH**?

second
Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?

third
Will it build **GOODWILL**
and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?

fourth
Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?