# The Hub





# Club of Oshkosh Southwest

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**TODAY'S EVENT:** 

Oshkosh Food Co-Op Offsite

# Today's Presentation



#### Everyone's welcome.

Today we are OFFSITE at the **Oshkosh Food Co-Op**.,

155 Jackson St, Ste 101, Oshkosh

The Oshkosh Food Co-op aspires to be a place where all people feel a sense of belonging – honoring each person's race, ethnicity, sexuality, gender, religion, ability, economic status, and lived experience.

Therefore, the Oshkosh Food Co-op commits to initiate and support actions that are anti-racist, justice-oriented, and developed through co-creation.

Thanks for having us!

https://www.oshkoshfoodcoop.com/



The **July** meeting of the Board of Directors will be held **Monday**, **July 11**, **4pm**Best Western Premier
Lake Poygan room (2<sup>nd</sup> floor)
1 N Main St, Oshkosh
All are welcome to attend.

# Welcome from President Brad Dunn



Welcome to the 2022-2023 Rotary year!! It's going to be a fantastic year!! We are riding the wave that Mike Vaughan, the

board, and all Southwest Rotary club members created this past year.

I am very proud to be associated with such an outstanding group of Rotarians and I'm humbled to be your leader this year. Let's have fun, get a lot done, and ask others to join us along the way this year. Service above self! What a great motto to live by.

Thanks to everyone who planned the 4th of July participation in handing out flags and leading the way in the parade.

# Changing of the Guard

Thanks to Mike Vaughan for a great Rotary year.

Congratulations to award recipients.

New Member Induction: Allison Garner

Rotary Hero: Mike Scott

New Rotarian(s) of the Year(s): Karen Boehm, Eric Smiltneek

Nicole Peterson Service Above Self

Award(s):

Jim Chitwood, Erik Gialdella, Siri Smits

Rotarian of the Year: Karlene Leatherman

Congratulations!

#### 2022 - 2023 Board

**President** Brad Dunn

President ElectKarlene LeathermanPast PresidentMike VaughanSecretaryKarlene / MikeTreasurerKathy HansonSergeant-at-ArmsBarb Herzog

#### Avenues of Service

Club:

Griffin Pollnow, Becky Metz

Community:

Scott Waterworth, Allison Garner

International:

Bill Thimke, Nick Hahn

**New Generations:** 

Eric Smiltneek, Jessica Benesh

Vocational:

Autumn Urban, Matt Vaughan

#### **Committees**

Foundation:

Bill Wyman, Todd Slagter

Membership:

Nate Olson

**Programs:** 

Jessica Benesh, Allison Garner

Public Relations:

Siri Smits

Greeters / Invocations:

Erik Gialdella

Environmental:

Tom Weber

#### District 6270

District Governor: Mike Phillips

Area-B Asst Governor: Michael Rust

RI President: Jennifer Jones



#### Calendar of Events

#### **Upcoming Programs**

Jul 13 NASA (via Zoom) Mike Hess

Jul 20 **GO-EDC** 

Tricia Rathermel

**EAA/Flying Rotarians Picnic** Jul 27

Aug 3

Candice Lane

**Brewing Futures Mobile Café** Aug 10

Linda Pierron

#### **Upcoming Events**

Jul 12 Let's Cruise Jul 28 The Gathering Founder's Picnic Sept 7

#### Recurring Events

2nd Monday Jul 11

**Club Board Meeting** Best Western Premier

Lake Poygan Room,

2<sup>nd</sup> Floor

1 N Main St, Oshkosh All are welcome to attend!

# EAA Flying Rotarians Picnic July 27

Flying Rotarians Picnic

Wednesday **Jul 27** 12noon



Sign up at a meeting or use this link.

https://www.oshkoshrotarysouthwest.org/si gnup/eaa-2022

For more information, contact Nick Hahn.

#### Welcome!



Welcome Kristopher Ulrich! Kristopher recently relocated to Oshkosh (from Neenah) and has joined our club. We're glad to have you!

# Let's Cruise ~ Boat Social **July 12**

Tuesday Jul 12

Social 5pm Departure 6pm

Fox River Brewing Co 1501 Arboreum Dr

For more information, contact Captains Nate Olson & Jerry Hendrickson

Sian up!

# EAA The Gathering July 28

The Gathering Thursday, Jul 28 5:30pm



EAA Museum

Hangar - Volunteers needed. Sign up!

For more information, contact Nick Hahn.

# EAA Convention & Visitors Bureau Volunteers Wanted



Once again, we are looking for volunteers for the Oshkosh

Information Booth during AirVenture.

Sign up here, or contact Jodi Jensema at the Oshkosh CVB.

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/805 0f49a5ab2da7fb6-eaaairventure2



# Words of Inspiration July

Allison Garner

Greeters

July 6 ~ Mike Vaughan

July 13 ~

**Greq Giles** 

Barb Herzog

#### Today's Meeting Location

Oshkosh Food Co-Op 155 Jackson, Suite 101 Oshkosh

### SW Rotary Website

oshkoshrotarysouthwest.org

The District Website rotary6270.org

Rotary International Website rotary.org

Oshkosh Rotary Southwest



Rotary Club of Oshkosh Southwest







Imagine Rotary" is the 2022-23 presidential theme that RI President-elect Jennifer Jones revealed on January 20. She is asking Rotary members to dream big and take action: "We all have dreams, but acting on them is a choice. Imagine a world that deserves our best, where we get up each day knowing that we can make a difference."

The logo for the theme was designed by Riki Salam, an Australian artist and graphic designer specializing in contemporary Indigenous art, design, and communications. He also created the 2023 Rotary International Convention logo which will be held in Melbourne, Australia, thus connecting the two by a shared visual language.

# Meaning of the design elements

There is, of course, a deeper meaning behind each element of the design. The circle in aboriginal culture for instance, signifies our connections to one another. The dots around it represent people and there are seven because of Rotary's areas of focus.

The circle and the dots together become a navigation star – our guiding light. The solid line underneath is what is referred to as a digging stick and it is used when doing hard work. And since Rotary members are people of action – it represents a tool for getting things done.

#### The colors

The colors green, purple, and white are not necessarily connected to aboriginal culture. President-elect Jennifer Jones asked the new crew of Governors to use one, two, or all three when dressing for official events instead of using a theme jacket. "As we celebrate diversity, equity and inclusion, I wanted all of us to be able to express ourselves differently in what we wear, but still have connection," she explained.

There are several ways to interpret the colors: Purple for example stands for polio eradication, green for the environment, the newest addition to our areas of focus, and white for peace, our core mission. Together, they are the colors of the women's movement, the Suffragette – a subtle nod to this history as Jones pointed out, since she will be the first female RI president.

