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## **TODAY'S MEETING**

**Fox-Wolf Watershed Alliance**

**South Breakouts Convention Center**

**Jessica Schultz**

Fox-Wolf Watershed Alliance is working to protect and restore the water resources of the Fox-Wolf River basin. Learn about their holistic approach to watershed management, working across traditional boundaries and priorities to improve water quality. They work at the scale of the entire watershed, because all of our waters are connected.



## **Annual Rotary District Dinner**

On Tuesday, November 3, 2026, the annual Rotary District 6270 Foundation Dinner, celebrating the good works done by our district's clubs, will be held at the Chandelier Ballroom in Hartford, WI. The cost of the dinner is \$49 per person, inclusive, and we invite you to take advantage of a special offer this year.

We are hoping to start a tradition of idea sharing, and show all clubs in the district how grant money can make a difference in the lives of people, both locally and internationally.

We will have 6-foot tables available for any club that responds to this email, letting us know you intend to participate. **WE NEED YOUR RSVP BY OCT 15th**, in order to secure the proper number of display tables. We expect at least 250 attendees, many with no idea how they can use grant money.

In addition, our keynote speaker will be RI Director and Past District Governor Tom Gump. He is always topical and entertaining. Tom is a Major Donor, a recipient of the RI "Service Above Self Award", and chair of the Host Organizing Committee for the 2028 RI Convention in Minneapolis.

If you have any questions, you can contact me. See you in November.

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## **2026-27 Board**

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| <b>President</b>        | James Chitwood and Nate Olson |
| <b>President-elect</b>  | Sarah Danahy                  |
| <b>Past President</b>   | Karen Boehm                   |
| <b>Secretary</b>        | Karlene Leatherman            |
| <b>Treasurer</b>        | Katherine Hanson              |
| <b>Sergeant-at-Arms</b> | Howard Schwartz               |

## **Avenues of Service**

### **Club:**

Mike Vaughan, Erik Gialdella

### **Community:**

Jessica Benesh, Dan Lenz

### **International:**

Bill Thimke, Nick Hahn

### **Youth Services:**

Brad Dunn, Karen Boehm

### **Vocational:**

Pat Hughes, Amy Montgomery

## **Committees**

### **Foundation**

Craig Burnett, Dave Omachinski

### **Membership**

Howard Schwartz, Amy Montgomery

### **Programs**

Sara Moyle, Nancy Leipzig

### **Public Image**

Jana Garl

### **Greeters/Invocations**

Barbara Key, Dick Ames

### **Environmental**

Tom Hallquist

*Come and celebrate survivors past and present*  
Join us for our  
**Cancer Honor Walk**

**October 7**

**Aurora Medical Center**  
855 N. Westhaven Dr.  
Oshkosh

 *Check out the newly renovated cancer center*

 *Music, food trucks and more!*

The event will be held rain or shine and is free and open to the public.

You do not need to be an Aurora patient to participate.

 Aurora Health Care

 **4:00 p.m. – Ribbon cutting** with the Oshkosh chamber

 **Tours of the new space** offered until 5:30 p.m.

 **5:30 p.m. – Survivorship** picture in the Healing Garden

 **5:50 p.m. – Welcome and Walk Kick-off** by Dr. Santosh Gowda, MD, medical oncologist

 **6:00 p.m. – Walk begins**

Scan the QR if you'd like to make a donation to the Aurora Foundation in support of the cancer center and its patients.



## Upcoming Meetings & Events

- Oct 7      **Fox-Wolf Watershed Alliance**
- Oct 12     **Board Meeting**
- Oct 14     **New ThedaCare Center Oshkosh**
- Oct 21     **Winnebago Media Group (Oshkosh Herald)**
- Oct 28     **Oshkosh Corporation LOCATION REVS**

Sign up for the upcoming events on the next page and more via our chapter's SignUP Genius page, which you can access via this QR code.



## **Greeters**

**John Dinse, Dick Ames- Oct 7**  
**Kristopher Ulrich, Chase Hildebrand- Oct 14**  
**Words of Inspiration**  
**Dick Ames- Oct 7**  
**Carmen Leal- Oct 14**

