



## Weekly Meeting Minutes July 8, 2009

Weekly Meetings: Wednesday @ Noon North Hills Country Club, N73 W13430 Appleton Ave. (262) 251-5750

We joined together with Bud Walsh leading us in the pledge and Tom Furman offering up the prayer; all recited the four-way test. Carrying on the tradition of our Past President, Kim delivered her second presidential joke.

**Guests:** Mark Dahlberg brought a guest from his new law office.

**Raffle:** Toni Yates won Ric Hartman's birthday drawing. KC won the raffle and drew the Q ♣. No win! We're still looking for the 2 ♦.

### Happy/Sad/Other fines:

- Kim was happy that Ann Nischke accepted the post of Vice-President. Also, happy that Mary Jo will be the chairperson of the Fundraising Committee.
- Tony Larke was happy that Dr. Sri had to pay a fine for being late.
- Bill McDonald was happy to be celebrating 60 years of wedded bliss.
- Ann Nischke was happy that Bill was here, and happy to lead our fine club in the future.
- LeRoy Cooper was happy that Kim is continuing the "bad" joke tradition.
- Mark Dahlberg was happy that his guest (and potential member) joined us today.
- Ric Hartman was happy that everything went well with the minor surgery on his ear.

### Health report:

- Bill McDonald was here today. He'll be absent for the next 4 weeks during his cardiac rehabilitation period. His doctor told him that by the time he's done with rehab, he'll be back in football condition. Bill said that since he never played football, he was looking forward to trying it.
- Paul Binzak is on dialysis 3 times per week. Kim signed a card for him on behalf of our club.

### Speaker:

Tom Fuszard presented **2.5 Tips to Make a More Productive and Efficient Day**. He shared the techniques he uses as a self-employed person working from home, and dealing with the many time robbers that cause loss of productivity.

- Email can be a major cause of continuous distraction. Turning off the "new message" alerts and closing the email program will eliminate the constant interruption. Allow yourself a limited amount of time to manage email.
- Manage time with a daily agenda instead of to-do list. Leave some gaps between the scheduled items for extra tasks, like phone messages, returning calls, coffee & bathroom breaks, etc.
- Make use of "opportunity" times, those small blocks of time that result from delays that are out of your control. Use those times to do tasks that tend to get put off, like cleaning your desk to be even more productive.

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### Speakers / Programs

7/15

**Wayne Breitbarth - LinkedIn**

7/22

**Rotary in the Park**

7/29

**Katie Krueger – Rotary  
Foundation Ambassadorial  
Scholar Alum**

### Greeters

7/15 - **Robert Baer  
Lavern Barndt**

7/22 - **Mike Bauman  
Ron Bertieri**

7/29 - **Kim Best  
Paul Binzak**

### **Rotary Links**

[www.menomoneefallsrotary.org](http://www.menomoneefallsrotary.org)

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Meeting minutes respectfully  
submitted by Linda Metzger,  
Secretary



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**Service Awards:** Because Bill McDonald was not in attendance at the Changing of the Guard program, Mike presented him with a service award for his Foundation work.

**Announcements:**

- There's a fundraising meeting after lunch today.
- The monthly coffee will be this Thursday at John Harbor's at 7:30am.
- The next Rotary in the Park meetings will be July 22 & August 19.

**Meeting Adjourned**

**Menomonee Falls Rotary Club Roster**  
*Menomonee Falls Rotary Club (established 1928)*

*Robert Baer	*Donald Heyrman	Anna Ruzinski	<i>President – Kim Best</i>
*Lavern Barndt	Diane Johnson	Mary Seidl	<i>President Elect – Mary Jo McGraw</i>
<b>Michael Bauman</b>	#Karl Koslowski	Steven Sheeks	<i>Vice President – Ann Nischke</i>
*Ronald Bertieri	#Dale Lancelle	<b>*Douglas Stadelmann</b>	<i>Past President – Mike Bauman</i>
Kimberly Best	Anthony Larke	<b>KC Thorson</b>	<i>Secretary – Linda Metzger</i>
*Paul Binzak	<b>*John Leekley</b>	*Sridhar Vasudevan	<i>Treasurer – Edgar Weiler</i>
<b>*Donald Broesch</b>	<b>*Gilbert Lewis</b>	Clare Walker	<i>Sergeant At Arms – John Watson</i>
Gregory Burk	Amy Lippiatt	*George Walsh	<i>Club Service -</i>
Deron Butler	Jack Lohman	John Watson	<i>International – LeRoy Cooper</i>
<b>#Kathleen Cooke</b>	Stan Martin	<b>*Edgar Weiler</b>	<i>Community Svc. – Dick Farrenkopf</i>
*LeRoy Cooper	Keith Marty	*Charles Wendelberger	<i>Vocational Service – Mike Bauman</i>
Mark Dahlberg	<b>William McDonald</b>	Toni Yates	<i>Membership – KC Thorson</i>
<b>*Richard Farrenkopf</b>	Mary Jo McGraw		<i>Fundraising –</i>
Kerry Freiberg	*Anton Meckl		<i>Grant Review – Gil Lewis</i>
Thomas Furman	Linda Metzger		<i>Public Relations – Toni Yates</i>
<b>#Warren Granke</b>	<b>*Mary Metzger</b>		
David Ham	Ann Nischke		
Ric Hartman	Pamela Pederson		<i>Rotary Club of Menomonee Falls</i>
Mike Hawes	Ralph Raasch		<i>P. O. Box 71</i>
Dennis Herman	<b>*Angela Rester-Samse</b>		<i>Menomonee Falls, WI 53051-0071</i>

Bold – Past Presidents    \* – Paul Harris Fellows    # – Paul Harris Sustaining Fellows