

THE ROTARY CLUB
OF WHITE BEAR LAKE
PROUDLY PRESENTS
5TH ANNUAL
TASTE OF WHITE BEAR LAKE
SEPTEMBER 10, 2016
2:00—5:00 P.M.
PINE TREE APPLE ORCHARD
FOOD FOOD FOOD
LIVE MUSIC LOCAL WINERIES
SILENT AUCTION AND BREWERIES

Enjoy a fall afternoon in the beautiful surroundings of the Pine Tree Apple Orchard, while sampling some of the finest food and spirits in the White Bear area. All while helping raise funds for Rotary programs in our community and around the globe

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The Russians are coming...

Greg Bartz announced that WBL Rotary will again be hosting Russian guests from the Open World Program between October 28-November 5, 2016. Six host families are needed and other volunteers will be needed as drivers and hosts. If you are interested, contact Greg Bartz. Also, check out the article that Greg wrote regarding the Rotary International Open World program:
<http://blog.rotary.org/2016/08/25/open-world-program-promotes-understanding>

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK:

“Not all of us can do great things. But we can do small things with great love.”
-Mother Teresa
(now St. Teresa of Calcutta)

PROSPECTIVE NEW MEMBERS

The following person has been approved for Rotary membership in the WBL Club. She is transferring from the St. Paul Club. If there are no objections from club members within 10 days, she will be inducted at an upcoming meeting:
ANN FRISCH
Senior Advisor, Nonviolent Peaceforce
Classification: INGO
Sponsor: Jim Muellner (and others)

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO YOU...
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September 7.....Jill Schroeder
September 9.....Gordy Beulke
September 13.....Pat McFarlane
September 13.....Scott Neilson
September 23.....Carter Johnson
September 28.....John Wayne Barker

PROGRAM: Lt Colonel Anthony Nardecchia, USAF (ret): F-15 Fighter Pilot

Colonel Nardecchia, “Nino” to his friends, had a 20 year storied career in the United States Air Force holding many positions including being a F-15 Combat Fighter Pilot, Pilot Trainer, Logistics Officer at Grand Forks Air Base, Air Defense Officer, Missile Defense System Maintenance Officer, NATO Logistics Officer in Turkey, 12th Air Force Chief Flight Safety Officer and other high level security clearance only positions. The Colonel was a member of various Air Force F-15 fighter squadrons, including the 8th Fighter Squadron (8FS known as the “Black Sheep”) stationed at Holloman Air Force Base, New Mexico.

After graduating from White Bear HS in 1967 he attended the United States Air Force Academy graduating in 1971 receiving the rank of second lieutenant. From there he enrolled in the pilot training at Webb Air Force Base in Texas where he received his “Wings” as an air force pilot and went on to be combat qualified as an F-15 fighter pilot ready to deploy at a moment’s notice. The F-15 “Eagle” is a 2 engine combat airplane. It is as big as a B-52 bomber, flies 1,900 mph, costs \$40 Million Dollars, travels 2.5 times the speed of sound and can reach a record breaking straight vertical height of 12 miles in 2 minutes 3 seconds. It carries the AIM-7 radar missiles, the AIM-9 heat seeking missiles, and 20 mm cannon which shoots high explosive incendiary bullets at 100 rounds per second. During part of the Colonel’s career he was a Pilot Training Instructor for the T-38 “Talon” aircraft. It takes one year of training on a series of aircraft to become a US Air Force pilot. Potential pilots first train on a Cessna 172, a single engine aircraft, to learn the basics of flying; then on the T-37 “Tweet”, a twin engine jet flying at 426 mph, where the pilot wears a parachute, needs oxygen, and learns basic combat maneuvers and how to deploy missiles; next is the T-38, “Talon”, which is a twin engine supersonic jet flying at 812 mph, where the pilot needs a G-suit to enable them to withstand high forces of acceleration without blacking out. Here they train first with a flight leader traveling in another aircraft next to them and later in a 4 aircraft training position. Upon successful completion of the T-38 training, the pilot obtains their “Wings” but still needs an operational assignment and additional training for their assigned aircraft. The pilot’s skill is evaluated and they become either a non-combat or a combat pilot. It takes about 6 months of additional specialized training on the F-15 “Eagle” to become a qualified combat pilot. In addition to Colonel Nardecchia’s power point presentation he played a most exciting video of F-15’s simulated hostile combat maneuvers (dog fights) and the procedure for mid-air refueling, while cruising at 300 mph with a 13 inch clearance for the boom and probe.

Nino, thank you for the excellent program, your service to the country and all you do for the White Bear Lake community.

Writer of the week: Dick Galena

**Rotary Club of White Bear—building friendships and
improving lives through hands-on projects
in the White Bear area and around the globe**

September 14: Jessica Berg, Brenda Chandler & Charlie Groetsch, Minncor Industries
Chairperson: Mark Burch
Classification: Jim Rathburn
Greeters: Ryan Boog & Scott Nelson
Invocation: Steve LaLiberte
Writer: Greg Young

September 28: Ashley Filipp, YMCA
Chairperson: Gene Altstatt
Classification: Brady Ramsay
Greeters: Connie Bossard & Jeff Otto
Invocation: Randy Johnson
Writer: Rita Pechmann

**October 5: Greg Bartz presents:
Ann Frisch, Cherwon and the DMZ**

**October 12: John Channon presents: Horst Craft,
Chapter Chair, St. Paul SCORE**

**October 19: Jeff Otto presents: Mark Stutrud,
Founder & President of Summit Brewery**

October 26: John Wayne Barker, Merrick Services

At least three weeks in advance of your scheduled date, please contact Jeff Otto, jeff.otto@opmpallet.com.

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Bear Bulletin Deadline: Friday, 5pm

CLUB SERVICE COMMITTEE: Meets 2nd Tuesday of each month, Eat @ Banning & 5th, 7 a.m.

BOARD MEETINGS: Meets 4th Tuesday of each month, WBL City Hall, 7 a.m.

PUBLIC IMAGE COMMITTEE: Meets 2nd Wednesday of each month after Rotary meeting

COMMUNITY SERVICE: Meets last Wednesday of each month, 12 noon, Location TBD

VOCATIONAL COMMITTEE: Meets 1st Thursday of each month, Keys Restaurant, 7 a.m.

INTERNATIONAL SERVICE COMMITTEE: Meets 2nd Thursday of each month, Eat @ Banning & 5th, 7 a.m.

FUNDRAISER COMMITTEE: Meets immediately following Wednesday meeting (seasonal)

President Ken Galloway
President-Elect Craig Drake
Past President Brady Ramsay
Treasurer Pam Tschida
Secretary Connie Bossard
Exec. Secretary ... Marlyce Paulson
Sergeant at Arms . Scott Nelson
Public Image Steve Carlson
Rotary Foundation. Curt Akenson
Community Service. Rita Pechmann
 Cathy Wyland
Vocational Service . Ken Baltzer
 Ryan Boog
Club Service Chuck Sandstrom
 Craig McNulty
International Greg Bartz
 Patty Hall
Youth Protection ... Gene Altstatt
Youth Exchange ... Had Solberg/Jill Schroeder
Bulletin Writers ... Mark Sather
 Darrell Stone
 Greg Young
 Rita Pechmann
 Dick Galena
 Bob Timmons
 Cathy Wyland
Invocations Rich Ramsay
 Bill Rust
 Bryce Johnson
 Bob Gehrke
 Randy Johnson
 Katie Strom
 Steve LaLiberte



President Ken gave an up-date on the **2016—5th Annual Taste of White Bear Lake**. On-line ticket sales are going well; he asked that people turn in ticket monies to **Pat McFarlane** so that we know how many tickets can still be sold before we reach the “full” status.

STILL NEEDED: donations of bottles of wine for the cork pull. If your cellar is a little low, consider passing a \$20 to **Eric Hendrickson** and he will do the shopping for you. **Rob Weber** is chairing this event and needs your wine donations now!

Pam Tschida is organizing the Silent Auction and needs your donations.

All Rotarians are urged to attend and work at this one and only annual Fundraiser for the Club!

Mark N. Miller
CEO/Founder
North Oaks
Financial Services, Inc.

Greeters: Peg Black & Scott Neilson

Invocation: Katie Strom

Writer: Darrell Stone

Classification: Rich Ramsay

**Program: Jeff Otto presents:
Joanie Grundal, Capernaum pro-
gram at WBL Young Life**

Song Leader: Ken Baltzer



Happy Days Are Here Again

Happy days are here again!

The skies above are clear again.

Let us sing a song of cheer again

Happy days are here again!

Altogether shout it now!

There's no one who can doubt it now,

So let's tell the world about it now

Happy days are here again!

Your cares and troubles are gone;
There'll be no more from now on.
(First verse)