



October Meetings & Events:

- 5** Superiorland Library Cooperative—Pam Christensen
- 12** NMU Technician Certificate Programs—Jen Cenko
- 19** Hiring in a Multigenerational Workplace—Ruth Solinski
- 25** Board Meeting—Landmark Hotel at 7:15 a.m.
- 26** Club Day

The Breakfast Bulletin

Polio Plus—Finish It!

In the late 1940s and early 1950s, polio reached its peak in the US at nearly 60,000 cases a year. One in 10 infected patients suffered permanent paralysis, and, of those, five percent died when that paralysis stilled their lungs.

Rotary has worked with many partners since the 1980s to End Polio Now. So far this year, 10 new cases have been reported IN THE WORLD.

October has many opportunities for all of us to help make the final push. If we don't succeed in total eradication, it is estimated 200,000 cases of polio could occur worldwide in just 10 years.

All of our Marquette County clubs will be working

to raise money in October to end this scourge for good.

Please get involved by asking five friends to donate \$5 to the final push. The Gates Foundation has pledged to double all these gifts from Rotaries around the world (tripling any donation).

Watch your email and enjoy a "Pint for Polio" at a number of local restaurants and pubs who have agreed to donate 25 cents per pint. The winning establishment will host a World Polio Day Party on October 24. Help place Polio Plus by hosting change jugs in local businesses for the month.

If you have questions, contact new member Amanda Erspamer-Berry at aerspamerberry@hotmail.com.

Upcoming Involvement Opportunities

October 11—PR & Marketing planning at Ore Dock at 5:30. Focus on outreach, media releases, website, and social media.

October 15- INTERACT work day at the community garden. Kaisa Mullett has the club members scheduled but is in need of tools for the young ones to use—and I'm sure a couple members would be welcome to help too.

October 16-District training session focused on membership and community outreach at 5:30 p.m. If interested talk with DG Tina Hall.

October 28 - 906 Adventure Team: As part of our district grant we need to have a work day with the club. We will work on the trailer that our donation helped purchase. Contact is Scott Knaffla if you'd like to help.

Fishboil planning meeting - with focus on our ticket price. Talk with Reed Ben-ton or Jen Huetter for the details

Open World- Chuck Weinrick is looking into if the Club would like to be involved again next year. This is the program through which we hosted a number of forest products experts from Russia this year. It's a pretty quick commitment deadline so let Chuck know your thoughts.

Rotary International President's tree planting effort-Eric Meister has (been) volunteered to lead up the Club's involvement with this service project. The goal is to have our plan in place by Earth Day and to do the planting in the Spring. If you'd like to help with the planning, contact Eric.

Rebounds for Rotary-Consensus at the September meeting was to move forward with a celebrity basketball game as our second fund raiser with a goal of raising about \$5,000. Reed & Jen will be leads on this event as it is one they did for Dancing with Our Stars in 2017. The event is one designed to encourage attendance by entire families. Look for more information on this one soon.

Special dates in October:

Birthdays		Anniversaries	
8	Milt Soderberg	12	Tina & Bruce Hall
12	Mike Ansell	13	Katie & Jeff Koch
19	Kasia Mullett		
27	Sherry Anderson		
29	Eric Meister		

By the Numbers:

Marquette Breakfast Rotary
 District 6220
 58 Members Strong!
 1,220,115 Rotarians Worldwide
 34,558 Clubs