



# Madison Area Volkssport Association Newsletter

July-August 2019

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## July - August Events

- July 1 Evening Group Walk:  
5:45pm Reg. 6:00pm Start  
West Side Parks (Monday)
- July 10 Board Meeting  
6:00pm Lakeview Library -  
2845 N. Sherman Ave., M.
- July 13 - Sat. Walk & Eat Grp  
8:45am Reg., 9:00am Start  
Eastside Walk - P.4 Article
- July 20 Sat. Walk & Eat Group  
8:45am Reg., 9:00am Start  
Arboretum - P. 4 Article
- July 23 Evening Group Walk:  
5:45pm Reg., 6:00pm Start  
Civil War (Tuesday)
- July 27 Milwaukee FLW Walk  
Article P. 2 6km & 11km
- July 29 Evening Group Walk:  
5:45pm Reg., 6:00pm Start  
Capitol (Monday)
- Aug. 6 Evening Group Walk:  
5:45pm Reg., 6:00pm Start  
Eastside (Tuesday)
- Aug. 10 Sat. Walk & Eat Grp  
8:45am Reg., 9:00am Start  
Picnic Point - P. 4 Article
- August 14 Membership Meet.  
5:00pm 5km Walk & Potluck  
Picnic, 6:00pm Lakeview  
Park Allen Blvd., Middleton
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- Aug. 22 Evening Group Walk:  
5:15pm Reg., 5:30pm Start  
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### July

- Nat. Deli Sandwich Month  
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- 1 Nat. Postal Worker's Day
- 2 Made In the USA Day
- 2 UFO Day
- 4 Independence Day
- 7 Father-Daughter Take a  
Walk Day
- 10 Teddy Bears Picnic Day
- 15 Gummi Worm Day
- 16 Full Moon – 4:38 pm CT  
“Buck Moon”  
“Thunder Moon”
- 24 Tell an Old Joke Day

### August

- Nat. Water Quality Month  
Happiness Happens Month
- 
- 1 Respect for Parents Day
- 4 American Family Day
- 7 Purple Heart Day
- 9-13 Perseid Meteor Showers
- 10 Nat. Bowling Day
- 15 Full Moon – 7:25 am CT
- 29 Whiskey Sour Day
- 31 Bacon Day

## NEWSLETTER ARTICLE SUBMITTAL DEADLINE

for  
September – October  
2019

Deadline: August 20

Put an **Article Specific Title**  
on the subject line, **not**  
merely “Sept.-October”  
Newsletter Article”  
and send articles to the  
DW Newsletter email  
address:  
[dairylandnews@gmail.com](mailto:dairylandnews@gmail.com)

This email address is regularly  
monitored ten days before and  
ten days after a newsletter  
edition is published.

## Dairyland Walkers Membership Meeting, Group Walk and Potluck Picnic – Wednesday, August 14 By Terry Wendt, Vice-President

The Dairyland Walkers annual picnic will be held on Wednesday August 14, 2019 at 6PM at the Lakeview Park Shelter on Allen Blvd in Middleton. This a potluck dinner so all members are asked to bring a dish to pass. Members should also bring what they want to drink. There will be a 5 k walk beginning at 5PM. Terry Wendt 608 849 5702

## **Middleton Walk is Now Completely Open**

**By Don Suloff**

It is good news to announce that the Middleton Walk is now completely open for walking with all five bridges over Pheasant Branch reopened and the boardwalk around Tiedeman Pond restored and open.

## **Milwaukee Walk - Saturday, July 27**

**By Don Suloff**

This Frank Lloyd Wright walk will be held on July 27 with a start point at the Madison Park Picnic Area in Wauwatosa. The address of the park is 9800 W Glendale Avenue. The walk will walk past the magnificent Wright-designed Annunciation Greek Orthodox Church, through several city parks and next to the Timmerman Airport, along a section of the Oak Leaf Trail, and past Pine Lawn Memorial Park.

There will be 6k and 11k options for this walk with registration available from between 8 am and noon. All walkers need to have completed their walk by 3 pm. Those wishing to walk as a group should meet at the start point at 9 am. Approaching Milwaukee on I-94, take exit 305A north on US-45 for about six miles. At exit 45 turn right on Hampton Ave and follow it for about one mile to N 100<sup>th</sup> St. Turn right on N 100<sup>th</sup> St, then take the first left on Glendale to the Madison Park start point. Ample parking is available in the park.

A short drive from the start point are the Wright-designed American System-Built Homes which were developed between 1912 and 1916. Plan on visiting them after the walk.

### Volunteer Opportunity

Help register walkers and take payments between 8 am and 9:30 am at the start point. Contact Don Suloff at [suloff@tds.net](mailto:suloff@tds.net) if interested in helping on this walk.



Annunciation Greek Orthodox Church - Milwaukee FLW Walk

## **Madison to Host the 2021 AVA Biennial National Convention**

**By Jerry Wilson**

The Dairyland Walkers' bid to host the 2021 AVA Biennial National Convention was met with applause during the general session of the 2019 Albany Convention. For the second convention in a row only one site bid for hosting the national convention was submitted to the National Office for review, approved and presented to the membership for consideration. The 2021 Convention will take place in Madison on the projected dates Tuesday, June 29 - Saturday, July 3. Typically conventions have two days with pre-convention walks; convention events, including walks, for three days; along with two days of post-convention walks. We may need to alter this schedule because the Fourth of July falls so close on the end of the convention dates.

In the coming months we will ask for people to be on or chair the different sub-committees. The Dairyland Walkers aren't in this alone: the National Office will negotiate and sign all local contracts, control the budget, and be on-site to help manage the Convention; four other midwest clubs have supported our club in applying to hold the Convention and will surely help in 2021; and thirty-eight individuals at the 2019 Convention signed up to help at the 2021 Convention.

## **Racine Walk - Saturday, August 17**

**By Don Suloff**

This Frank Lloyd Wright walk will be held on August 17 with a start point at the North Beach Park Gazebo in Racine. The address of the gazebo is 100 Kewaunee Street. The walk will pass two Wright-designed structures including the SC Johnson Administrative Building and Research Tower, through several city parks, along the shore of Lake Michigan, and down historic Main Street passing unique one-of-a-kind art pieces which are auctioned off at the end of the summer.

There will be 5k and 10k options for this walk with registration available from between 8 am and noon. All walkers need to have completed their walk by 3 pm. Those wishing to walk as a group should meet at the start point at 9 am. From I-94 south of Milwaukee turn left at Hwy 20 and follow it for about 8 miles into Racine (Hwy 20 will also be called Washington and then 6<sup>th</sup> St as you drive into Racine). Turn left on Main St and follow it for 0.8 miles across the Root River. Turn right on Kewaunee and drive two blocks to the North Beach start point. Ample parking is available along Michigan Blvd and in the park.

Short drives from our walk are the Wright-designed Keland House and the Johnson Foundation at Wingspread. Free tours are available for both the SC Johnson Campus and Wingspread, but must be made by reservation on [www.scjohnson.com/visit](http://www.scjohnson.com/visit).

### Volunteer Opportunity

Help register walkers and take payments between 8 am and 9:30 am at the start point. Contact Don Suloff at [suloff@tds.net](mailto:suloff@tds.net) if interested in helping on this walk.

## **Pie Walk Volunteer - Volunteer Needed**

**By Don Suloff**

Barb Lund, who has faithfully supported our annual Pie Walk, will not be continuing in her coordinating position for next year. Please consider volunteering for this position for 2020. The position entails taking reservations for the Pie Walk (by phone or email) and ordering the pies that we will need from the Hubbard Avenue Diner, then picking the pies up on the day of our walk. Contact Don Suloff at [suloff@tds.net](mailto:suloff@tds.net) if willing to provide this club support for next year.

**Saturday Walk & Eat Group**  
**By Mary Liebig**

**Saturday Walk & Eat Group**  
**Madison Eastside—July 13, Arboretum—July 20, Picnic Point August 10**

More Saturday Group Walk and Eat opportunities are coming up in July and August:

**July 13 Madison Eastside**

On Saturday, July 13, we'll meet just outside the start point of the Madison Eastside Walk, Monty's Blue Plate Diner located at 2089 Atwood Ave. Those wishing to walk 10k should meet at 8:45 a.m. to register for the walk and plan to start walking at 9 a.m. A parking option is the United Way Reserved Parking Lot located across the street from the United Way Building at 2059 Atwood Avenue. It is only reserved for United Way parking from 3 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday – Friday and should be available for public parking on Saturdays. For those interested in lunch after the walk, we'll plan to eat at the Daisy Café & Cupcakery at 2827 Atwood Ave. Monty's Blue Plate Diner does not accept reservations and cannot accommodate our group. Here is a link to the menu at the Daisy Cafe:

<https://daisycafeandcupcakery.com/>

**July 20 Arboretum**

On Saturday morning, July 20, we'll meet inside the start point of the Arboretum Walk, Colectivo Coffee, at 2530 Monroe St. in Madison at 8:45 a.m. to register for the 10k walk. The walk starts at 9 a.m. We'll eat at Colectivo after the walk. Here is a link to their menu: <https://colectivocoffee.com/menu/>

**August 10 Picnic Point**

Saturday morning, August 10 will find us walking to Picnic Point in Madison. We'll meet at the start point of the Picnic Point walk, inside the lobby of the Best Western PLUS InnTowner, located at 2424 University Ave. at around 8:45 a.m. to register for the 10k walk; plan to start walking at 9 a.m.

It is worth noting that parking has been tight at the Best Western InnTowner, so it may be helpful to park at our lunch location, Blue Moon Bar & Grill at 2535 University Ave. The Blue Moon opens at 11 a.m. on and should be able to accommodate our group. For those interested in lunch after the walk, here is a link to the Blue Moon Bar & Grill menu:

<http://www.bluemoonbar.com/menu.php>

**Electronic Sanctioning Request (ESR) Processor**  
**By Maureen Engelberger**

**The Duties are:** Collect and verify event information from the club Trailmaster, Sanctioned Events Coordinator and all walk Point Of Contacts. Electronically submit all event sanction requests for both Traditional and Year Around/Seasonal events. Submit all information published in the *Starting Point* book and on the AVA Events webpage. Submit requests for additional, named insured, insurance certificates.

Update club specific information on ESR system annually, or more often, if needed.

Inform AVA of any changes to *Starting Point* information that occur after data entry deadline of August 31.

**Skills needed:** Requires basic computer skills and high speed internet access in order to access the AVA website and enter required data in a timely manner. Attention to detail and communication skills to work with Points Of Contact and Board Members. Be familiar with AVA procedural manuals.

Any questions about the position please contact Tom Gundlach at [tnt84@chorus](mailto:tnt84@chorus).

View on the Dairyland Walker Website at [www.dairylandwalkers.com](http://www.dairylandwalkers.com)

## **Volunteer Recognition By Don Suloff**

A big thanks to June Quesnell and Chis Flessert for staffing the start table for an hour and a half at the walk. This is a big help to those planning and staffing our walk.

Cottage Grove

## **LaCrosse Walk - Monday, September 9, 2019 By Kevin Moore**

The Wandering Wheels Volkssport Club will be visiting La Crosse on Monday, September 9th. The Club was founded for the sole purpose of taking advantage of all of the AVA year round walks and seasonal events. They schedule bus trips and their associated walks twice a year. Most of the trips are for from 5 to eleven days. They have visited all 50 states over the years which means they occasionally have to fly somewhere and then rent a bus.

The club consists of slightly more than 100 members, most of whom live in the Ohio/Indiana/Kentucky area, but they do have members from all over (Pennsylvania, Florida, Texas and a few more). The trips are put together at cost - no profit.

According to Club President James Medzviega, "Most of the time we have managed to fill the bus (25-40 walkers). It has been so much fun. We have learned a lot from our early days when we would do up to three walks per day. Now we try to do one walk per day (we're getting older) and allow plenty of time for shopping or sightseeing. We try to plan at least one non-walking event per trip. It has been a great way to see the USA and for everyone to get books stamped for AVA credit for state walks, capitol walks etc."

If you would like to join them on their walk, please contact Kevin Moore at (608) 334-4886 or [kevin@dawnrd.com](mailto:kevin@dawnrd.com)

## **Dairyland Walkers - Secretary Position to be Filled - After December 2019, Elected in October By Maureen Engelberger**

Susan Wester, current Secretary for the Dairyland Walkers, will be resigning her position at the end of December, 2019. Attached is a job description for anyone interested in the position.

### **Dairyland Walkers Job Description - Secretary Position**

**Brief Description:** Elected position to serve on the Board.

**Duties:** Attend monthly board meetings and membership meetings. Take minutes and email the minutes to each Board Member. Correct minutes as needed and then upload final minutes to Google Drive Storage.

**Skills Needed:** Good typing/writing and communications skills needed.

**Time Commitment:** One meeting/month and computer time to post the minutes.

**Application Process:** Contact Susan Wester at [smwester@mac.com](mailto:smwester@mac.com) for more details of position.

## Event Date Correction - Sunday September 15

By Cindy Haagensen

The September event walk at Lake Farm County Park is on Sunday, September 15. We have scheduled this walk on Sunday in order to avoid a multi-school cross country meet that takes place on Saturday the 14th. This walk will include the new Lower Yahara River Trail that crosses over Lake Waubesa extending to McDaniel Village Park in McFarland. We'll be starting at 9:00 a.m. from Pavillion #2 in this wonderful Dane County park!

## Club Milestones

By Doug Wiest

The following are the milestones of club members as reported by the June 2019 issue of The American Wanderer:

Events		Kilometers	
800	Pam Wilson	3,500	Curtis Armstrong
850	Pam Wilson	4,500	Cindy Haagensen
1,000	Susan Bacon	4,500	Mary Liebig
1,000	Arthur Bacon	5,500	Arthur Bacon
1,050	Susan Bacon	5,500	Bonnie Hamer
1,050	Arthur Bacon	5,500	David Riyeff
1,050	Jerry Wilson	5,500	Kim Riyeff
1,100	Donald Suloff	6,000	Susan Bacon
1,100	Jerry Wilson	6,000	Arthur Bacon
1,150	Jerry Wilson	6,000	Chris Flessert
1,450	Jogena Wiest	6,000	Irena Paronis
3,000	Douglas Wiest	6,500	Irena Paronis
3,100	Douglas Wiest	7,000	Ann Misener
3,800	Bonita Johnson	7,000	Phillip Ringhand
		8,000	June Quesnell
		9,000	Pam Wilson
		12,000	Donald Suloff
		12,000	Jerry Wilson
		17,000	Carol Hollar
		65,000	Douglas Wiest

Congratulations to all on your accomplishments!

If I, or The American Wanderer, overlooked your accomplishments, send me an e-mail at [douglaswiest@yahoo.com](mailto:douglaswiest@yahoo.com) and they will be listed in the next Dairyland Walkers newsletter.

## Membership Update

By Mary Liebig, Membership Coordinator

Please welcome the following members who have joined since our last newsletter:

- Tina Fatke, Madison, WI
- Jack & Sheryl Thielke, Sun Prairie, WI
- Patricia Brinker, Rock Island, IL
- Renee Forrest, Madison, WI

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### 2019 Dairyland Walkers Calendar at a Glance

When in doubt, verify on [AVA.org](http://AVA.org) or [dairylandwalkers.com](http://dairylandwalkers.com) The Membership Chairperson sends out an informative e-mail each month, check it out!

<p>Saturday, January 12 Saturday, February 9 Saturday, March 16 Saturday, April 13 Saturday, May 18 Saturday, June 22 Sunday, June 23</p>	<p>East Towne Walk West Towne Walk Middleton Pie Walk Madison FLW Walk Cottage Grove Walk Richland Center FLW Walk Spring Green FLW Walk</p>	<p>Results: Total=36; Credit=30, Non-Credit=6 Results included in West Towne YR Counts Results included in Middleton YR Counts Results: Total=44; Credit=36, Non-Credit=8 Results: Total=31; Credit 28, Non-Credit=3 Results: Pending Results: Pending</p>
<p>Monday, July 1  Wednesday, July 10  Saturday, July 13  Sunday, July 20  Tuesday, July 23  Saturday, July 27  Monday, July 29  Tuesday, August 6  Saturday, August 10  Wednesday, August 14  Saturday, August 17  Thursday, August 22</p>	<p>Evening Group Walk Madison West Side Parks Walk - Garner Park, 333 S. Rosa Road, Mad. Board Meeting: Lakeview Branch Library 2845 N. Sherman Avenue, Madison Saturday Walk &amp; Eat Group Madison Eastside Walk Monty's Blue Plate Diner, 2089 Atwood Saturday Walk &amp; Eat Group Madison Arboretum Walk Collectivo Coffee, 2530 Monroe Street Evening Group Walk Madison Civil War Walk - Best Western InnTowner 2424 University Avenue, Madison Milwaukee FLW Walk 11 km and 6 km Madison Park Picnic Area 9800 W. Glendale Avenue, Wauwatosa WI Evening Group Walk: Madison Capitol Park Hotel, 22 S. Carroll St., Madison  Evening Group Walk - Mad. Eastside Olbrich Gardens North Parking Lot - Near Picnic Table 3330 Atwood Avenue, Madison Saturday Walk &amp; Eat Group Picnic Point Walk - Lobby Best Western InnTowner, 2424 University Avenue Membership Meet. 5:00pm 5km Walk 6:00pm Meeting &amp; Potluck Picnic, Lakeview Park, Allen Blvd., Middleton Racine FLW Walk 10 km and 5 km North Beach Park Gazebo 100 Kewaunee St., Racine, WI Evening Group Walk Monona Monona Community Center 1101 Nichols Road, Monona</p>	<p>5:45pm Register; 6:00pm Start 10 km  6:00pm Meeting  8:45am Register, 9:00am Start 10 km  8:45am Register, 9:00am Start 10 km  5:45 Register; 6:00pm Start 10 km  8:00am - 12:00 Noon, Finish by 3:00pm  5:45 Register; 6:00pm Start 10 km  5:15 Register; 5:30pm Start 10 km  8:45am Register, 9:00am Start  5:00pm 5 km Walk 6:00pm Meeting and Potluck Picnic  8:00am - 12:00 Noon, Finish by 3:00pm  5:15 Register; 5:30pm Start 10 km</p>

**Future 2019 Traditional Walk Events.**

- September 15 – Lake Farm County Park on **Sunday**
- October 11 – Moonlight Walk on Friday Evening at Pheasant Branch Conservancy
- November 16 – Veteran’s Walk, Downtown Madison
- December 1 – Christmas Party Walk, Madison Eastside

**Attachment A**

**Minutes Pending Approval**

**Dairyland Walkers Board Meeting**

**Northside Goodwill, Northside Town Center, 2901 N. Sherman Avenue, Madison, WI  
May 8, 2019**

**Minutes**

**Members present:** Russ Crane, Mary Liebig, Maureen Engelberger, Kevin Moore, Don Suloff, Karen Reger, Doug Wiest, Susan Wester, Terry Wendt, Tom Gundlach

**Call to order:** The meeting was called to order by President Doug Wiest at 6:00pm. The meeting’s agenda was approved with two additions submitted by Mary Liebig: 1) follow up on Kristi Kenyon’s recommendation to find a smaller storage space; and 2) consider options to replace Susan Wester at the end of her term as secretary.

**Approval of minutes:** The corrected minutes of the 13 March 2019 Board meeting (inadvertently not yet previously distributed) were approved.

**Officer Reports**

**President:** No report

**Vice President:** Terry Wendt said preparations for the June 12 general membership meeting have been made. However, because of the AVA convention occurring at the same time, attendance may be sparse. There is no speaker.

**Secretary:** No report

**Treasurer:** Doug reported for Kristi that in the most recent period, income was \$697.00 and expenses were \$482.48. The May 8 balance is \$2,703.61, representing an increase of \$214.52 from the previous month’s balance. The report was accepted and filed for audit.

**Director at Large:** No report

**Other Reports**

**Membership Chair:** No report.

**Sanctioned Event Coordinator:** No report.



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**Trail Master:** Don Suloff received a communication from Irene Irwin that there may be a better start point for the Port Washington walk, one having better hours.

Rosemary Sprenger fainted on the recent Frank Lloyd Wright walk and injured her shoulder. Don filed an incident report with the AVA as required.

The annual picnic walk is usually led by Don. He has a commitment out of town though and cannot lead this year's walk on August 14.

The 2020 walk schedule is well under development. In addition to the usual East Towne, West Towne and Pie Walks early in the year, other locations being planned include Baraboo, Westport, High Point, Milton, Monona and Belleville.

**Publicity Chair:** No report

**Volunteer Coordinator:** No report.

**Newsletter Editor:** No report.

**Website Administrator:** Susan brought up the issue of the Stevens Company's annual charges for hosting the website. At the end of 2018, the club decided to at least investigate whether cheaper, but feasible, options exist. Kevin Moore will look into the matter. It was pointed out that there may be a considerable initiation cost when switching to another company

**AVA Electronic Sanctioning Volunteer:** Tom Gundlach said first quarter reports are all in and he has updated Jerry Wilson's information for the two walks for which he is POC. 2020 walks need to be sanctioned by the end of August. Don recommended this item be on the agenda for the July board meeting.

Tom added that he is willing to continue as the Electronic Sanctioning Volunteer for one more year, but not more. In light of the fact that the AVA has assumed responsibility for electronic registration, Kevin asked if there are any of the current Dairyland walks which should transition to this format. It was generally agreed that this decision should be made before submitting walks for sanctioning in August. The walks in Port Washington, Cedarburg and Milwaukee were felt to be good candidates. This item will be put on the agenda for July's board meeting. Mary will contact Jerry too.

**Stores Manager:** No report.

### **Unfinished Business:**

Newsletter Articles: Doug will write about significant accomplishments; Don, the Milwaukee and Racine walks; Mary, the walk and eat events as well as a membership update. The deadline for articles is June 20.

### **New Business:**

Storage facility: The club recently paid over \$900 for the annual storage locker fee. Kristi had emailed the Board earlier that perhaps there should be consideration of finding a smaller/cheaper space. Don and Russ Crane, who use the space most frequently, agreed that downsizing to a 5 x 5 ft space could work. Russ will investigate and come back with a recommendation.

Secretary replacement: Don recommended a newsletter article about this position becoming available, as has been done in other years. Because of the formation of a nominating committee in August, an article in the July/August newsletter would be timeliest. Maureen Engelberger is in possession of some, but not all (inherited) job descriptions. With Susan's input, a job description for the secretarial position will be created and information submitted to Jerry for a newsletter article.

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25th anniversary 2020: Russ said there's always been an event associated with a club anniversary. Russ suggested either the 2020 picnic or Christmas party. The picnic was favored due to mid year occurrence and better weather. Other comments included adding "25th anniversary" to the newsletter, website and possibly stamps. Don will check with Jerry about the stamps, and Russ, the graphic for the newsletter.

**Adjournment:** The meeting was adjourned by Doug at 7:06 p.m.

Next Board meeting – Wednesday, 10 July 2019, Lakeview Branch Library

Next General Membership Meeting – Wednesday, 12 June 2019, Hody's Bar & Grill, Middleton, WI.

Next Special Event Walks:

--Cottage Grove walk, Saturday, 18 May 2019

--Walking weekend:

--Richland Center Frank Lloyd Wright walk, Saturday, 22 June 2019

--Spring Green Frank Lloyd Wright walk, Sunday, 23 June 2019

Next Saturday "Walk & Eat" group walks:

--Monona YRE walk, Saturday, 11 May 2019

--Madison Eastside YRE walk, Saturday, 13 July 2019

Next summer evening group walks:

--Madison Picnic Point YRE walk, Monday, 13 May 2019

--Madison Arboretum YRE walk, Thursday, 23 May 2019

Respectfully submitted,  
Susan Wester, Secretary

Attachment B

Minutes Pending Approval

**Dairyland Walkers General Membership Meeting  
Hody Bar & Grill (Lower level), 1914 Aurora St., Middleton, WI  
June 12, 2019**

**Minutes**

Number of attendees: 7

**Call to Order:** The meeting was called to order by President Wiest at 6:30 pm.

**Agenda:** The agenda was adopted as distributed. The minutes of the April 2019 general membership meeting were approved as written.

**Officer Reports**

**President:** Nothing to report.

**Vice President:** Terry reported that everything is set for the August picnic at the Lakeview Park Pavilion. This year we have the larger section of the pavilion.

**Secretary:** Nothing to report.

**Treasurer:** Kristi Kenyon was not present, but sent her report, which indicated a balance as of 8 May 2109 of \$2,489.09. This represents an increase of \$222.00 from the previous month's balance. The Treasurer's report was accepted and filed for audit.

**Director At Large:** Nothing to report.

**Other Reports**

**Membership Chair:** Nothing to report.

**Sanctioned Event Coordinator:** Nothing to report.

**Trail Master:** Don Suloff stated that he received word from Jerry Wilson that no other AVA clubs submitted an application for the next AVA Convention in 2021. A vote is to be taken at the current AVA Convention on the location for the 2021 convention, and it looks like Madison may be the location of the 2021 AVA Convention. If Madison receives the nomination for the 2021 AVA Convention, the Board will begin looking at establishing necessary committees. Don has also begun thinking about possible walks—Tenney Park would be a good possibility, for example. In addition, a National Executive Committee usually meets in the forthcoming convention city the year before. The committee board meeting will be held on 13 June 2020.

Don also stated he will have a sign-up sheet for dinner at the Richland Center walk on Saturday 22 June for an evening dinner at the Wisconsin Riverside Resort. He also stated that all walks for 2020 are set. However, the dates for the Sauk Prairie, Sheboygan, High Cliff State

Park, and Belleville walks are not yet locked in. A replacement for Barb Lund is being searched for arrangements of the Pie Walk in March. He also said we should look at the possibility of including in next year's stamps of the wording noting the club's 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary. Because of space limitations on the stamps, something else would have to left out, such as the specific walk the stamp currently indicates. We might need to consider possibly reducing the number of year-rounds/seasonals in 2021 if Madison is the site of the 2021 convention.

**Publicity Chair:** Nothing to report.

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**Volunteer Coordinator:** Nothing to report.

**Newsletter Editor:** Nothing to report.

**Website Administrator:** Nothing to report.

**AVA Electronic Sanctioning Volunteer:** Tom Gundlach stated that the Board must decide at the next Board meeting which year round and seasonal walks the club wishes to sponsor/continue in 2020. This will be an agenda item for the July Board meeting. Tom also indicated that he will resign as AVA Electronic Sanctioning Volunteer at the end of this year. The search will begin for a new AVA Sanctioning Volunteer for 2020.

**Stores Manager:** Nothing to report.

**Unfinished Business:** None.

**New Business:** None.

**Adjournment:** The meeting was adjourned at 7:00 p.m.

Next Board Meeting: 10 July 2019, 1800 hours (6 pm), Lakeview Branch Library.

Next General Membership Meeting and picnic: 14 August 2019, 1800 hours (6:00 pm), Lakeview Community Park, Allen Blvd., Middleton. A 5km walk beforehand will begin about 5PM.

Next Special Event Walks:

--Walking Weekend events:

--Richland Center Lloyd Wright Walk, Saturday, 22 June 2019.

--Spring Green Frank Lloyd Wright walk, Sunday, 23 June 2019.

--Milwaukee Frank Lloyd Wright walk, Saturday, 27 July 2019.

Next Saturday Walk & Eat Group Walks:

--Madison Eastside YRE, Saturday, 13 July 2019

--Madison Picnic Point YRE, Saturday, 10 August 2019.

Next summer evening group walks:

--Middleton YRE, Tuesday, 18 June 2019

--Madison West side Parks YRE, Monday, 1 July 2019

Doug Wiest, President

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## Attachment C July Event

<b>Dates:</b>	<b>7/27/2019 - 7/27/2019</b>
<b>City / State:</b>	<b>Milwaukee, WI</b>
<b>Event Name:</b>	<b>Milwaukee Frank Lloyd Wright Walk</b>
<b>Event Type:</b>	<b>Walk</b>
<b>Event ID:</b>	<b>113516</b>
<b>Distance - Trail Ratings:</b>	<b>11K &amp; 6K - 1A</b>
<b>Description:</b>	<b>GPS: N 43.10137 W 088.03606. The walk visits the beautiful Annunciation Greek Orthodox Church, passes through several city parks and next to Timmerman Airport, and walks along the secluded Oak Leaf Trail before walking alongside Pine Lawn Memorial Park.</b>
<b>Amenities:</b>	<b>Strollers: medium   Wheelchairs: medium   Pets: Yes   Restrooms: Yes</b>
<b>Special Programs:</b>	<b>Take a Walk In a City Park, Walking the USA A - Z</b>
<b>Start Times:</b>	<b>8:00 am to 12:00 noon, finish by 3:00 pm</b>
<b>Location:</b>	<b>Madison Park Picnic Area</b>
<b>Start Point / Driving Directions:</b>	<b>9800 W Glendale Ave, Wauwatosa, WI 53225. Approaching Milwaukee on I-94, take exit 305A north on US-45 for about six miles. At exit 45 turn right on Hampton Ave and follow it for about one mile to N 100th St. Turn right on N 100th St, then take the first left on Glendale to the Madison Park start point. Ample parking is available in a parking lot.</b>
<b>Awards &amp; Fees:</b>	<b>IVV Credit Only</b>
<b>Comments:</b>	<b>SPECIAL PROGRAMS: 1. Take a Walk in a City Park 2. Walk WI Counties-Milw. 3. Walk the USA A-Z (Milw.)</b>
<b>Host Club:</b>	<b>Madison Area Volkssport Assn.</b>
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## Attachment C

 August Event

<b>Dates:</b>	<b>8/17/2019 - 8/17/2019</b>		
<b>City / State:</b>	<b>Racine, WI</b>		
<b>Event Name:</b>	<b>Racine Frank Lloyd Wright Walk</b>		
<b>Event Type:</b>	<b>Walk</b>		
<b>Event ID:</b>	<b>113517</b>		
<b>Distance - Trail Ratings:</b>	<b>10K &amp; 5K - 1A</b>		
<b>Description:</b>	<b>GPS: N 42.73960 W 87.7823. The walk passes two Frank Lloyd Wright-designed structures with two others within a very short drive. The walk passes through city parks and along the shores of Lake Michigan, then around the SC Johnson Administration Building and Research Tower. The final part of the route walks down historic Main Street and past unique one-of-a-kind art pieces which are auctioned off at the end of the summer.</b>		
<b>Amenities:</b>	<b>Strollers: medium   Wheelchairs: medium   Pets: Yes   Restrooms: Yes</b>		
<b>Special Programs:</b>	<b>See below.</b>		
<b>Start Times:</b>	<b>8:00 am to 12:00 noon, finish by 3:00 pm</b>		
<b>Location:</b>	<b>North Beach Park Gazebo</b>		
<b>Start Point / Driving Directions:</b>	<b>100 Kewaunee St, Racine, WI. From I-94 south of Milwaukee turn left at Hwy 20 and follow it for about 8 miles into Racine (Hwy 20 will also be called Washington and then 6th St as you drive into Racine). Turn left on Main St and follow it for 0.8 miles across the Root River. Turn right on Kewaunee and drive two blocks to the North Beach start point. Ample parking is available in the park and along Michigan Blvd.</b>		
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