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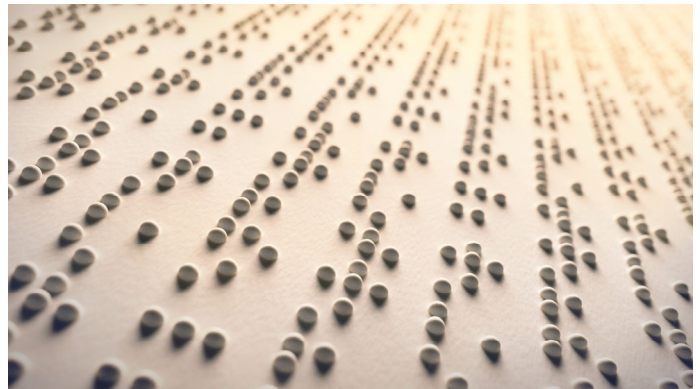
*Retired and Senior Volunteer Program and Foster Grandparent Program
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Braille Transcription Certification

by RSVP Volunteer Jo Ann Gustavson

Do you want to learn a new language and help others at the same time? *Why not consider becoming a Braille Transcriptionist?*

When I retired, I knew I needed to find something to do so I could keep my brain active, and at the same time, help others. That's when I joined RSVP of Dane County and decided to become certified as a Braille Transcriptionist through the Braille Library and Transcribing Services, Inc.



I already knew Braille, as I am legally blind. I learned English Braille, American Edition (EBAE), but I needed to learn Unified English Braille during the course.

I began my journey in late September 2024 and received my certification in February, 2026. I attended class for 60-90 minutes every other week from September to July. After each class, I had to complete an assignment to show that I had learned the information presented in that lesson. The assignment was then proofread and returned to me for corrections. Once I completed the lessons for the course, I started transcribing a small portion of a book that I chose to show that I had learned and understood the concepts and information presented in the course.

You may be asking how I transcribe print into Braille when I am legally blind? The answer is I have some adaptive equipment to help me. The first tool I use is the built-in Windows magnifier on my desktop computer. The magnifier makes the font larger so that I can see what I am typing and brailleing. I feel this tool would benefit a lot of people, but they are not aware that it exists.

Then I have several different video magnifiers that enlarge the print in the book that I am transcribing. Using this equipment, I know that I am entering the correct spelling and punctuation. Without the magnifier, I might not be able to tell the difference between a comma and a period, or a colon and semicolon. Using the magnifier means that I only see a few words at a time. At first, this may seem like a nuisance, but it helps me focus on what I am brailleing, and to braille what is actually printed on the page instead of what I think it says. And that is one of the big rules of transcription: braille exactly what is printed in the book, even if there is a mistake.

I really enjoyed the course, even though it was difficult at times. I love brailleing. If I don't braille at some point during the day, I feel like something is missing. I enjoy the challenge of learning new things and then using them and improving my skills.

Why not give it a try? See if Braille Transcription is right for you. What do you have to lose?

Contact Jan Karst at jkarst@rsvpdane.org or 608.441.7891 for more information.

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RSVP Board Notes

Welcome to Spring!

On December 15, 2025, the RSVP Board approved the 2025 Annual Budget. This was followed up on February 16, 2026, when the Board voted to implement the 2025 budget. This step was necessary because our 2025 Federal Funding was not approved until February 2026.



Speaking of Board activities, the Board currently has several vacant seats which we need to fill. Prospective Board Members should believe in the Mission of RSVP of Dane County: that is, to make a positive impact in the community by recruiting volunteers 55 and older to help deliver priority services to people of all ages throughout Dane County.

Being a Board Member is a volunteer activity requiring about five hours of time each month, and Board Members are elected for a 4-year term. The Board meets every other month for approximately two hours, with at least two hours of time needed to prepare for each meeting. In addition, Board Members are asked to sit on at least two Board Committees including Assessment, Development and Grant Writing, Finance, Marketing, and Recognition.

You do not have to be a Board Member to sit on a Board Committee. All you need is to believe in the Mission of RSVP of Dane County. The following Board Committees are currently recruiting Volunteers: Assessment and Finance. Please contact Jan Karst at jkarst@rsvpdane.org if you are interested in these volunteer opportunities.

Our next Board Meeting is Monday, April 20th, at 1:30 p.m.

On June 11th, RSVP will host the America250 - America Gives Picnic in honor of our Nation's 250th Birthday. Check out **page 5** of this newsletter for more information about this event.

The Board's Annual Meeting will be Monday, June 15th.

The Board would like to thank all of you for contributing to Giving Tuesday and our Annual campaign. Your contributions enable us to provide valuable services to the community. Thank you.

Respectfully submitted,

Deborah Ann Speckmann
President, RSVP Board of Directors

From the Desk of...

Diana Jost
Executive Director

April is National Volunteer Month, a time to honor all volunteers in our communities. I would like to thank and celebrate the more than 1,200 RSVP of Dane County volunteers whose service through our programs and placements helps make our community stronger. Nationwide, the impact is very inspiring—according to Engage Journal, about 33% of older Americans volunteered regularly in

2025, a rate higher than the national average.

In addition to serving in the community, RSVP volunteers play a vital role in supporting the organization's daily operations. Their talents and expertise are put to work on Board Committees, which help lead efforts in areas such as marketing, program assessment, fundraising, and volunteer recognition.

Joining an RSVP committee can be a great way to meet new people and to get more involved in the organization. We are looking for volunteers with fresh ideas, insights, and experience to strengthen programming and community outreach. There are a variety of options to match your interests and talents. Committee members typically meet monthly, with options to join in person or via Zoom.



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Vets Helping Vets Update: A Thank You and a New Chapter

By Steve Jaeschke, Driver Services Program Manager

After many years with RSVP of Dane County, Lorrie Hylkema will be retiring. Her last day is May 29, 2026. We're so thankful for everything Lorrie has done. Her leadership, kindness, and dedication have meant so much to this program and to all of us. She's made a real difference, and she'll definitely be missed! *Please join us in thanking Lorrie for her amazing years of service!*

Looking ahead, we're happy to announce that Camela King will be stepping into the Vets Helping Vets Ride Coordinator role, and she will continue as the Driver Services Coordinator. Many of you already know Camela, and we're thrilled to have her take on this expanded role. She brings much experience, energy, and heart to the program.

Camela is looking forward to working even more closely with both drivers and passengers and keeping the strong sense of community that makes Vets Helping Vets so special. *Please join us in welcoming Camela into her new role!*

Finally, we'd like to acknowledge all those involved in the Vets Helping Vets program: you are what makes this such a caring and connected community.



Camela King (left) and Lorrie Hylkema

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Current Committee Opportunities:

- **Assessment Committee** – Evaluates RSVP programs every three years through surveys, site visits, and reports with recommendations to the Board.
- **Development & Grants Committee** – Leads fundraising efforts, including annual campaigns, sponsorships, and identifying new funding sources.
- **Financial Oversight & Planning Committee** – Oversees finances, budgeting, and financial performance, including audits, investments, and accountability practices.
- **Marketing Committee** – Promotes RSVP through media and community outreach to recruit volunteers and increase visibility, working closely with staff.
- **Recognition Committee** – Plans and supports annual open house and the annual volunteer appreciation event.

Interested in getting involved? Email info@rsvpdane.org to learn more or express your interest, or contact Diana Jost at Djost@rsvpdane.org, or 608.441.1393



Service Together: A Summer Picnic Celebrating America's 250th Birthday

By Kate Seal, RSVP Assistant Director

RSVP of Dane County invites volunteers, partners, and community members to join us for a summer picnic celebrating America's 250th birthday and the spirit of service that strengthens our communities.

Date: Thursday, June 11, 2026

Time: 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. (rain or shine)

Location: RSVP of Dane County Office parking lot, 6501 Watts Rd., Madison



This gathering supports the America250 – America Gives initiative which highlights the importance of volunteerism and civic engagement across generations.

Join us for hot dogs, ice cream, lemonade, and community connection as we celebrate the past, present, and future of volunteering in Dane County and recognize the impact of all who serve our communities.

We also invite you to bring a canned or boxed food item to support Badger Prairie Needs Network (BPNN). Everyone who donates will have their name entered into a drawing to win Madison Mallards tickets!

Learn more: RSVPDane.org

Follow us: facebook.com/RSVPofDaneCounty



Partner Spotlight: Sleep in Heavenly Peace

By Julia Pierstorff, Group Projects/Homeworkers Program Coordinator

Since 2021, **Sleep in Heavenly Peace** has been on a mission to make sure "No kid sleeps on the floor in our town". They build beds for children ages 3 to 17 throughout Dane County, and 2025 was a record-breaking year. The team built and delivered **560 beds**, making hundreds of local kids incredibly happy to finally have a bed of their own.

How the Magic Happens

It's a true community effort. A dedicated crew of volunteers from Sleep in Heavenly Peace meets up regularly to build the bed frames. Once the frames are ready, they are brought right to the child's home to finish the assembly. To ensure the kids are all set for a good night's sleep, every bed is outfitted with a new mattress, fresh sheets, and a handmade quilt. This is all made possible thanks to some great local support, including discounted lumber from **Drexel Lumber** and mattresses from **Ashley Furniture**.

The Snuggle Factor: A Homemade Quilt

While the frames provide the structure, **RSVP of Dane County** Group Projects and Homeworker volunteers and local church groups provide the comfort. For over three years, these volunteers have been pouring their passion into crafting warm and snuggly quilts.

Over 350 quilts were donated by RSVP volunteers in 2025 alone. These quilts offer a special kind of warmth that kids appreciate the moment they tuck in, and will continue to cherish for years to come.

A Partnership We Count On

With the steady support of these talented quilt-makers, Sleep in Heavenly Peace is able to reach more children than ever before. This partnership is something the organization truly relies on to serve the community effectively.

We want to send a huge thank you to Sleep in Heavenly Peace for the positive impact they make across Dane County. RSVP feels so fortunate to work side-by-side with you to ensure our neighbors have a warm, comfortable place to get some rest.



Volunteers in the News

Congratulations to one of our Senior Planet Volunteer Trains, retired lieutenant Stephanie Bradley Wilson, who was honored by the Madison Police Department in March. Read the article here: <https://bit.ly/volnews0426>.

Triad Update

By Mike Thomsen, Triad Program Coordinator

You may not think that using — or not using — a computer is a safety issue, but it is. These days, many aspects of our lives interface with the Internet through our smartphones and computers. These miraculous tools can help us in so many ways: from staying in touch with family and friends, to participating in public meetings, to arranging medical appointments, and taking online classes. But they can also give scammers, fraudsters, and privacy-invading troublemakers opportunities to intrude upon our lives. Knowing how to use electronic devices is essential these days and our Senior Planet classes do exactly that.

RSVP held our first Senior Planet class February 14, 2025, and over the next 11 months of 2025 we:

- held 44 classes and workshops,
- offered 460 person-hours of learning,
- provided instruction to 170 older adults attending at least one class or workshop.

We grew from holding classes just at the RSVP office to holding classes at the Monona Senior Center and the Verona Senior Center. And we will soon begin offering classes at Vista West Senior Apartments. We grew from having six volunteer Senior Planet Trainers to now thirteen. And we're continuing that growth in 2026.

To expand our reach, we need seniors who are pretty good at using their own computers and smartphones to volunteer to become Senior Planet Volunteer Trainers and lead or assist with Senior Planet tech skills classes. To learn about how you can get involved, please email triadcoordinator@rsvpdane.org.

Come Read with Us!

By Paula Reif, Foster Grandparent and Intergenerational Program Coordinator

Exploring the Power of Community and Intergenerational Relationships

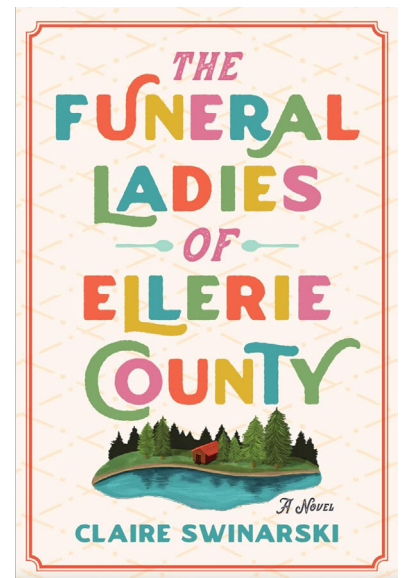
RSVP's Foster Grandparent Program volunteers participate in a perpetual book club. Both fiction and nonfiction books offer an ideal way to explore new ideas, challenge our thoughts, and dig deeper into topics. Books offer enjoyment, entertainment, and an opportunity to keep learning. They can be as comforting as an old friend, or as dramatic as a dog going after a squirrel. Books open our minds and imaginations.

2026 book club choices have started conversations about the impact of community, support, and intergenerational reciprocity. The year's first book, *Tree Table Book* by Lois Lowry, a Newbery Medal winner, draws on the familiar cognitive test of recalling three words. This intergenerational story of two best friends and neighbors, both named Sophie, is centered around the younger helping the older prepare for a test that will determine her ability to continue living independently in her home. Through their bond, the novel highlights the power of intergenerational friendship and the role of community in navigating the challenges of aging.

The Funeral Ladies of Ellerlie County by Claire Swinarski blends themes of community and intergenerational reciprocity with challenges like elder scams, traumas, and mental health. Set in a fictional North Woods Wisconsin county, the story follows a close-knit group of funeral ladies as one member falls victim to an Instagram scam and risks losing her home. The process of developing a cookbook and selling 1,000 copies shines a light on the effects of healing, perseverance, and the power of collective care in intergenerational relationships.

While neither of these stories offer the picture book happy endings that you might imagine, they do present potentially very real outcomes to struggles that the characters face. We encourage you to check these books out and celebrate the display of human connection, encouragement, and the power that comes when we share one another's struggles and joys, because that is what life is all about.

Contact Paula Reif at preif@rsvpdane.org to learn more about the Foster Grandparent Program.



WELCOME New Volunteers

We enrolled 69 new volunteers from January 2026 through March 2026, serving in a wide variety of assignments throughout Dane County. Do you know someone who might like to volunteer? RSVP volunteers are our best recruiters as they spread the word about why they like volunteering and the need for more volunteers. Please pass this newsletter on to a friend or neighbor and tell them what RSVP means to you!

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Join Us at the Ball Park!

By Kate Seal, RSVP Assistant Director

Join **RSVP of Dane County** on **Saturday, June 20, at 6:05 p.m.** as we take the spotlight as the featured nonprofit at a **Madison Mallards** game!

Stop by to connect with us. Our table will be at the entrance. RSVP will be recognized during the game and we will host a 50/50 raffle. When you purchase raffle tickets, you're not only supporting RSVP, but you'll also have a chance to win!



To purchase your seat(s) at a **discounted rate** (\$16) – half of which supports RSVP – please **scan the QR code** and complete your purchase online. RSVP will be seated right behind home plate in Section 104.

We look forward to seeing you at the ballpark! If you have questions, please contact Kate Seal at kseal@rsvpdane.org. *Play ball!*

Want to get in Touch with Us?

Simply dial 608.238.RSVP (7787) or e-mail us at info@rsvpdane.org – or you can reach individual staff members directly at the phone numbers/e-mail addresses listed at right. In the event we're not available at the time you call, our 24-hour voice mail will ensure you receive a prompt response.

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While we often think of landscaping as a way to add curb appeal, planting smart can also help you save energy. To achieve maximum savings, it's key to plant the proper tree or shrub in the proper place. You need to consider what's located above and below your desired planting location, as well as the mature height and spread of a plant. Use these general planting tips for energy efficiency:

- Plant large, leafy trees on the east, west and south sides of your home to provide maximum summertime shade and lower the surrounding air temperature. They should be planted at least 20 feet from the side of your home. A six-foot-tall tree planted near your house will shade windows in the first year. That same tree will shade the roof in five to ten years.
- Trees with lower leaves and branches work well on the west side of your home to offer shade from lower sun angles in the afternoon.
- Position trees and shrubs to shade air-conditioning units. Equipment that operates in the shade will use less electricity; however, be sure not to block the airflow.
- Plant bushes next to your house to create air space that will provide insulation year-round.
- Prevailing winter winds come from the west and north; use dense windbreaks to protect from cold winter winds.

Plant With Safety in Mind

Be sure to contact Diggers Hotline at diggershotline.com or call 811 at least three working days before doing any digging in your yard. MGE and other participating utilities will mark the location of underground facilities on your property and indicate safe overhead line clearances. This free service will help you stay safe and avoid costly fines.

Add External Shading

External shading devices are another option to help prevent unwanted sunlight from entering your home. Shading devices include awnings, overhangs and trellises.

For south-facing windows, a shading device should be based on window size. For example, with a window that is 36 inches tall, the shading device should be placed 10.8 inches from the top of the window. It should be 25.2 inches deep extending out from the house. There are online calculators to help determine where to install a shading device based on window size.

For west-facing windows, the shading device needs a vertical component to block summer sun.

Adding hanging vines to the shading device will help further block the sun. Consider creating a grid-like structure with plastic or rope, then add climbing vines. Vines that have leaves in spring and summer that fall off in fall or winter will help keep sun out during the summer and allow in warmth during the winter.

Get Free Advice From MGE Energy Experts

MGE is available to answer your questions and provide tips on landscaping for energy efficiency. Our energy experts are available 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday at 608-252-7000, or you can send them an email at askexperts@mge.com.

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In Memoriam - April 2026

By Camela King

Steve Jaeschke

Steve Jaeschke's dedication to RSVP Driver Services and to everyone involved in its mission was extraordinary. Over his seven years of service, he guided the program with vision and care, always looking toward the future while making every community event warmer and more welcoming.

His leadership, kindness, and steadfast commitment built a remarkable RSVP Driver Services team. Steve will be deeply missed and remembered with heartfelt gratitude and profound respect.



The True Connections Program

By Paula Reif, Foster Grandparent and Intergenerational Program Coordinator

The True Connections Program is a new program in the 2025/26 school year pairing RSVP intergenerational volunteers with MSCR after school program students at Lake View Elementary. The program offers a unique hybrid framework supporting developing literacy and deepening intergenerational bonds.

Many thanks to Lori Henthorne, an artist, a retired art teacher, and an RSVP volunteer, for guiding the group through the steps to complete a clay planter project. From molding the shapes to bubble painting the clay creations, everyone had a great time. Sharing artist experiences is a wonderful way to connect the generations. One volunteer told us that, "I ... enjoyed the teamwork. In fact, it was great to have the student take home the end project as a memento." The photos tell the story!





RSVP VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

...where volunteers make a difference

“Life is never so busy that there is no time to serve.” - author unknown

SPRING OPPORTUNITIES

Ronald McDonald House needs Family Room Volunteers inside SSM Health St. Mary's Hospital. Help provide a warm, welcoming, and supportive environment for families with children receiving medical care. The Family Room offers a quiet place for families to rest, recharge, and access comfort items just steps away from their child's care area. Volunteers assist with day-to-day operations such as making beds, welcoming guests, turning over bedrooms, maintaining and tidying common areas, giving tours, re-stocking food and supplies, and helping ensure the space remains clean, calm, and inviting.

At this time, we are seeking to onboard volunteers who are already part of the SSM Health volunteer system. These volunteers are already trained and onboarded with the hospital and will receive a brief orientation to the Ronald McDonald House Family Room and its specific guidelines and expectations. We are trying to fill several Saturday morning shifts from 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. and are also looking for sub-volunteers to help out with occasional weekday afternoons from 1:00 – 5:00 p.m.

Neighborhood House Community Center would like volunteers to help with a weekly drop-in program for older adults. The program meets from 11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. on the 1st, 2nd, 4th, and 5th Mondays of each month. You can help by greeting, serving coffee, and chatting with guests, while creating social connection and a sense of belonging to decrease loneliness and isolation for older adults!

Henry Vilas Zoo is gearing up for a busy summer season! Volunteers are needed to help with gardening around the Zoo and grazing area for the animals! Join a weekly Gardening Work Group of fun volunteers on Thursdays from 8:30 – 11:30 a.m. to help maintain the gardens.

Train and Carousel Volunteers are also needed to keep the children's train and carousel running! Shifts are mostly afternoons, 1:00 – 4:00 p.m. on Thursdays, Fridays, or Saturdays. Gate Greeters are needed to work shifts Thursdays to Sundays from 12:30 – 3:30 p.m.

The Textile Art Center of Madison needs volunteers to sort incoming fiber art donations, support sales and other special events, aid workshops, and more! Sign up for our volunteer orientation to get involved and join a wonderful community of textile enthusiasts and makers.

PBS Wisconsin needs volunteers to help keep the “public” in public television! You can help by volunteering for great events like the Garden and Green Living Expo, the Great Wisconsin Quilt Show, PBS Auction, Membership Drives, and the Welcome Neighbor Project.

The **Board on Aging and Long-Term Care** needs volunteer Ombudsmen to advocate for the rights of residents in nursing homes. Volunteers visit designated long term care settings on a weekly basis to observe, listen to, and interact with the residents. They work with residents and their family members to communicate concerns and complaints by providing support and empowerment to resolve issues. Ongoing training and support are provided.

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Operation Fresh Start empowers emerging adults on a path to self-sufficiency through education, mentoring, and employment training. They are looking for volunteers to work at the front desk/reception area to greet visitors and maintain sign-in sheets, answer phone calls and take messages, open the front door via remote button behind the desk, and other light clerical duties. Shifts are Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday 3:00 – 5:15 p.m. at their office on Milwaukee St. in Madison.

St Vincent's Food Pantry needs more volunteers to help sort and shelve produce in the mornings from 8:00 – 10:00 a.m. They also have shifts for Client Greeters, Online Order Fillers, Outside Food Loaders, and Cart Re-loading and Running. The need for food resources has increased and many volunteers are needed to keep the Pantry running.

Badger Prairie Needs Network is a resource center in Verona totally run by volunteers that provides not only a Food Pantry but many other social services and resources in Dane County. Volunteers are needed to help with shifts in the Food Pantry and with picking up and delivering donated food from stores and businesses in the area.

SSM St Mary's Hospital needs volunteers who can offer a caring presence and support to help with various programs:

- **At Your Service:** escorting patients and families, delivering belongings, etc.,
- **Patient Registration:** welcoming patients and escorting them to their destination,
- **Surgical Waiting Area:** supporting families while their loved one is in surgery.

Habitat ReStore needs volunteers to help sort and shelve used and new building materials and supplies, assist shoppers, and work at the cash register with purchases.

Donation Processing – ReStore East and West

- Help at our ReStores, which are critical to raising funds that allow Habitat to build affordable housing. This work includes unloading the donation truck, sorting through donated items, assembling/repairing small items, and merchandising the store floor. Shifts are 9 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. or 1:00 – 5:00 p.m., offered Tuesdays through Saturdays.

Construction – Oregon

- Build homes with us! No experience is needed as all tools and training will be provided on site. This work includes: any number of construction tasks! We welcome volunteers to help build duplexes Thursdays – Saturdays, 8:15 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.
- Location: 557 Kay Ct, Oregon WI

Please contact Jan Karst, RSVP Volunteer Programs **Community Connections Coordinator**, for more information about these Volunteer Opportunities at jkarst@rsvpdane.org or 608.441.7891.

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RSVP Calendar

April

April 20, Board Meeting, RSVP Office, 1:30 - 3:00 p.m.

May

May 25, RSVP Office CLOSED, Memorial Day Holiday

May 27, Triad Monthly Webinar featuring Clare Dahl, Financial Educator, Dane County UW Extension, *Budgeting Tips and Savings Strategies*, 10:00 a.m.

June

June 11, RSVP America250 - America Gives COMMUNITY PICNIC and OPEN HOUSE Celebrating America's 250th Birthday, in the RSVP parking lot, 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

June 15, RSVP Board and Annual Meeting, RSVP Office, 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

June 19, RSVP Office CLOSED, Juneteenth Holiday

June 20, RSVP Nonprofit Spotlight at the MALLARDS baseball game, Warner Park, Madison at 6:00 p.m.

July

July 3, RSVP Office CLOSED, Independence Day Holiday

For the latest information, visit <https://www.rsvpdane.org/events/>.