

mYP Newsletter

July - August 2015

Marshfield **Young** Professionals

Events

Monthly Meeting

July 13 (5:30pm) at MACCI

Business After 5

“Hot Time in the City”

July 23 (5pm) BMO Harris Bank
(101 W 4th Street, Marshfield)

Monthly Social - July

July 23 (6pm) at Hot Time in the City - BMO Harris Bank

Volunteer Opportunity

Hub City Days Dualathlon

July 25 (8-11am)
UW-Marshfield/Wood County campus, variety of duties

Volunteer Opportunity

Hub City Hoops Brat Fry & Scoring Table

Saturday, July 25 (10am-4pm)
multiple shifts available.

Monthly Meeting

August 10 (5:30pm) at MACCI

Monthly Social - August

Aug. 27 (6pm) at Prevention Genetics

Visit [Gmail calendar](#) or [Facebook](#) for more details & other events.

There are many additional volunteer opportunities. See Marisa Zane, Community Service Chair to help out.

2015 “Sand 4 Sandboxes” Recap

Written by: Josh Miller

Since 2011, the Marshfield Young Professionals have organized the [Sand 4 Sandboxes](#) event. On May 9th, Young Professionals and other volunteers once again helped to deliver sand to local area residences.

The group started at 9:00 am and had a few delays; one of the trailers sustained a flat tire when loading it up with sand and a wheelbarrow was also in need of repair. After the trailer was dropped (with lots of hand digging involved to free the trailer) and the wheelbarrow was fixed, the group made its way through the City (and Hewitt) to deliver the sand. The last wheelbarrow was delivered by 11:00 am and everyone stopped for drinks at the Brew Pub afterwards.

The majority of the proceeds will be donated to [Right 2 Play 4 All](#), a partner project with the Marshfield Area United Way to provide scholarships to pay for a portion of the fees to participate in sports programs. The sand was donated courtesy of Completion Industrial Minerals and we want to thank them for their generous donation.

Total Delivery Stops:

19

Wheelbarrows Delivered:

39

Money Raised:

Over \$300

We would also like to thank Dan Hiller, owner of CAVU Landscaping for helping to deliver the sand and to all the volunteers that helped out.



MYP Participants:

- Graham Pearce
- Chris Lotzer
- Jes Mannigel
- Jenny King
- Heather Carlson
- Liz Vickers
- Joshua Theisen

Young Professionals Making “Great Strides”

Written by: Anna Cisler

When May rolls around each year, communities throughout Wisconsin hold an event called the [Great Strides 5k Walk](#). This is organized through the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation and is meant to show support for the individuals and families throughout our communities who are affected by Cystic Fibrosis (CF). Cystic Fibrosis is a chronic genetic condition that affects the respiratory, digestive and reproductive systems. The most common health concerns for individuals with CF include risk for progressive lung disease and problems with the digestive system that in many patients includes difficulty properly absorbing the daily nutrients they need, which then affects their health and growth. Progress continues to be made in developing new treatments for CF, but the lives of those who have the disease are still cut far too short too often.



Marshfield Clinic is one of five Cystic Fibrosis (CF) Care Centers in Wisconsin and for the past several years the CF Care Team has hosted a Great Strides event at the Wildwood Park and Zoo here in Marshfield. For the past three years, the Marshfield Young Professionals (MYP) have had the opportunity to join the Care Team in putting on this event. During this time MYP's role in the event has evolved from participating as walkers and fund raisers, to volunteer staff, and to becoming organizers of the event as well. Participation in these roles has doubled since MYP's first year being involved with **over 20 members participating this year**.

Each year a fund raising goal is set and MYP did an amazing job this year raising over 90% of their fund raising goal, which was set at \$1000. Marshfield's walk as a whole raised almost \$18,000. Funds raised are used by the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation to help ensure individuals with CF have access to high-quality, specialized care, to provide them with a support network, and to help in funding research and drug development. Congratulations walkers and thank you to all in our community who participated!!



Birthdays

JULY

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|---------------|----------------|
| 1 | 16 |
| Jill Bendixen | Bryan Londre |
| 7 | Melissa Easker |
| Brooke Wolff | 17 |
| 11 | Matt McLean |
| Nick Graves | |

August

Darn, no birthdays this month

Get your birthday drink at the next social!

Get to Know: Brooke Wolff

Written by: Wendy Vandenberg

1. How long have you lived in Marshfield?

I was born and raised in Marshfield but I moved to Minneapolis for 6 years to attend college and work. My husband and I moved back 2 years ago.



2. What do you like best about living in Marshfield?

Marshfield is a great community. It's one of the most generous and supportive communities that I've ever experienced and I've truly enjoyed being a part of it, both when I was growing up and now as a young professional. It's small, but vibrant.

3. Where do you work? I work at Marshfield Clinic in the Development department as the donor relations coordinator.

4. What made you decide to join MYP and how long have you been involved? A colleague introduced me to MYP and invited me with her to attend a meeting when I moved back 2 years ago. I joined the membership committee and a volleyball team and have been hooked ever since!

5. What are you looking forward to this summer? Everything about a Wisconsin summer is great, but I look most forward to time spent on the lake and frequent trips to Hub City ice cream.

6. Favorite Sports Team? The Green Bay Packers, obviously.

7. Do you have any Vacation Plans this year? We took a belated honeymoon to Hawaii earlier this year, so our summer vacation plans include yard work and deck staining!

9. What is one of your best memories of MYP? Everything that I've been involved in with MYP has provided me with positive memories and great friendships.

10. What are some of your hobbies? I love to play volleyball and do yoga, cook with my husband, work on home improvement projects, and binge watch Netflix!

Newsletter Submissions

Do you have a photo, story or event you would like included in the next newsletter? Please let us know! Send any submissions to marshfieldyp@gmail.com

mYP Sports Report

This summer, members of the Marshfield Young Professionals (MYP) are playing co-ed sand volleyball at Abare's Outer Limits on Wednesday nights. There are 16 players who make up the two teams, both battling a tough season. 5 weeks into the summer league and only one match win between them. But they are not letting the losing streak ruin their fun and are staying optimistic.

VOLLEYBALL TEAM 10: 1 - 3

VOLLEYBALL TEAM 15: 1 - 4

Hopefully things will start to look up heading into the second half of the summer.

The group is also participating in a co-ed softball league, held Thursday evenings at the fairgrounds. Headed by John Kaprelian, the MYP slow-pitch team is ranking well.

SOFTBALL TEAM 4: 4 - 5

If you're interested in watching a game or playing, check the [Facebook Page](#) for game times. The teams are always welcoming subs and fans!

Get in touch!

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