



The Greendaler Monthly June 2023

The Sounds of Summer Concert - Saturday, June 3, 2023

The MVE and Forward Harmony team up to give you a great summer concert on **Saturday, June 3, 2023 at 7pm**. The venue is the beautiful **Shattuck Auditorium** at Carroll University at **218 North East Avenue, Waukesha, WI**. Tickets are just \$20 and are available from the singers from both FH and the MVE or are easily accessed at: [The Sounds of Summer \(mve.org\)](http://www.mve.org/thesoundsofsummer)

Get your summer going right with new songs from two great choruses.



FRIDAY, JULY 28

Performance at **Liberty Park in Delafield** at **901 Genesee St, Delafield, Wi 53018**



as part of the Delafield Arts Board's summer concert series. Our performance will be in the evening, estimated around 7pm, but our call time will be earlier.



Afterglow and Installation of Officers of our Greendale Chapter

An installation of our officers will be held during the afterglow (location TBD) after our show at Carroll University on June 3. With both choruses there, this is the most efficient way for us to install our **2023 Greendale Board of Directors**.

Our 2023 Board is:



President - **Brian Lynch**
Immediate Past President - **Jim Franklin**
Secretary - **Bonita Ziegler**
Treasurer - **Jim Ansay**
VP Music - **Matt Post**
VP Membership - **Dylan Keegan**
VP Marketing - **Aaron Davis**
BMAL (MVE) - **Tom Rogina**
BMAL (FH) - **Rhonda Gould**

But installations also involve a number of awards as well. What could those be? The Board may decide to have more than one winner for these, or just one



The President's Award - Presented by **Jim Franklin** (Immediate Past President)

The Do-It Award - Presented by **Matt Post** (most recent winner)

The Russ A Foris Directors Award - Presented by **Bryan Ziegler** (Director)

The Barbershopper of the Year Award (BOTY 2022) - Presented by **Jim Ansay** (BOTY 2021)

The Rookie of the Year Award - Presented by **Dylan Keegan** (VP Membership)





Wisconsin Celebration of the Marriage of Kathryn Record & Bryan Ziegler - Aug 6th

Kathryn & Bryan will be married in **New Hampshire** on **June 25, 2023**. But for those of us in Wisconsin who want to join in the celebration without travelling to New England, we are invited by **Bonita and Walt Ziegler** to a celebration of their marriage at their home.

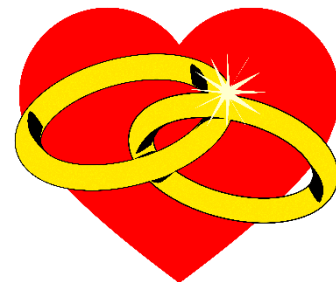
The Wisconsin celebration will be on **Sunday, August 6, 2023** at Walt &

Bonita's home at **124 Highland Ave, Pewaukee** from **1pm-10pm**. Come anytime during those hours to congratulate **Bryan and Kathryn** and show our love for them.

You'll get an email from **Bryan** with the Facebook link to **RSVP** for this Wisconsin celebration of their



marriage. Please respond to the email so that **Bonita and Walt** know how many are coming.



Chorus Time Off Planned

Both choruses are planning to have summertime off from rehearsals from **July 3 through August 26**. We still have several performances and social events. For example, the dedication of the Schmitt Brothers Memorial Stage on **Saturday, July 15** in the afternoon, and the **Friday evening July 28** at Liberty Park in Delafield.



Calendar of Scheduled June Events – FH & MVE & Chapter

Monday, 29 – Memorial Day – no rehearsal

Friday, June 2 – Greendale Chapter Music/Tech at Shattuck @ 5:30-8:30pm

Saturday, June 3 – Songs of Summer – 4pm Shattuck
Call Time for our 7pm Show. Our fans can enter at 6:30pm and Afterglow & Installation after at location TBD.



Monday, June 5 – MVE Rehearsal at 7pm at Elm Grove Lutheran (EGL)

Sunday, June 11 – FH Rehearsal at 6-9pm at Emmanuel United Church of Christ (Eucc)

Monday, June 12 – MVE Rehearsal at 7pm at EGL

Monday, June 19 – MVE Rehearsal at 7pm at EGL

Sunday, June 25 – FH Rehearsal at 6-9pm at EUCC

Monday, June 26 – MVE Rehearsal at 7pm at EGL

Tuesday, June 27 – Board Meeting from 7-8:30 via Zoom

Monday, June 29 – MVE Rehearsal at 7pm at EGL

SATURDAY, JULY 15 at Central Park West, @ 1717 W Park St, Two Rivers, WI 54241

Performance for the **dedication** of the new **Schmitt Brothers Memorial Stage** in downtown Two Rivers, WI (just north of Manitowoc).

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We are two of 7-8 choruses and several quartets, including **Happiness Emporium, St. Croix Crossing**, and **Coulee Classic**.

Dedication begins at 1:00pm, show is from 2-5pm, and there is a dinner afterward. [Schmitt Brothers Stage Dedication](#) |



[Two Rivers Wisconsin \(exploretworivers.com\)](http://exploretworivers.com)

We Want Shirts! We Want Shirts!

Watch your email for an order form for the new **Greendale Polo Shirts** which we will be wearing at **International** and when we perform this summer. Members will have a choice of the **MVE logo**, the **Forward Harmony logo**, or the new **Greendale chapter logo**. Shirts will be \$20 each. Hey, maybe I'll get multiple types of shirts!

Huge Turnout for Randy Will's Wife's Celebration of Life on Saturday, May 20

[Karen Goodreau Obituary - Milwaukee Journal Sentinel \(jsonline.com\)](https://www.jsonline.com/story/news/obituaries/2023/05/20/karen-goodreau-obituary-milwaukee-journal-sentinel/7044444002/)

"Karen passed away unexpectedly May 5, 2023, aged 65. She was the beloved wife of 42 years of **Randy Will**, the loving mother of Katie Will (Nathan Kalmoe) and Alex Will, and the proud Gma of Olivia and Benjamin.



Karen was exceptionally giving and generous, not only to those she loved but to anyone whom she could help. More than anything, she cherished time with loved ones. Highlights included family vacations to Door County, Christmas at Grandma Helen's, and 40-plus years of Holiday Dinners with our bonus family, at which she was a four-time Uno champ. A passionate educator, she spent over 20 years as a reading specialist with Franklin Public Schools, where she was beloved by students and colleagues. She spent her short retirement in a book club, gardening (excellently), working on home improvement projects, and enjoying her grandchildren, who had recently moved to Wisconsin from out of state. Her love of Barbieri's garlic bread, peanut M&Ms, and Kopp's custard are legendary. We will dearly miss her inquisitive mind, her practical wisdom, and her fierce love for us." *[This is a shortened obit, see the whole by clicking the link.]*

Padiddle and the First Kiss – Dick Marcus

Lots of MVEers came to give **Randy Will** hugs and their sincere condolences. These included **Jim Ansay, Ilana and Scott Ganswindt, Dick Marcus, Bruce Vitale, and Bonita and Walt Ziegler**, and likely others as the events went from 10am to 3:30pm. Many friends and family spoke glowingly of their love for **Karen Goodreau**.

Last up, was **Randy**. He told us of the first time he met **Karen** in about 1977 at a bar and was immediately impressed with her. He asked everyone at the filled *Heritage Funeral Home* in Oak Creek who knew what "**padiddle means?**" Many raised hands and said yes. The term often means seeing a car with only one headlight, and some narrow it to a VW with only one headlight shining.



Well, **Randy** walked **Karen** to her car the night they met (not officially on a date, but an old-fashioned meeting up at the bar, well before *Match.com*). Near her car

a VW with only one headlight drove past. Knowing that this is the sign to kiss, Randy and Karen did. The rest, they say, is history.

The history of Padiddle, and how it originally involved kissing

Also called perdiddle, padoodle, padiddly, pediddle, bediddle, perdidido, or whatever other silly-sounding word you prefer

Unfortunately, there is no official source or record that explains the exact meaning and origin of Padiddle. Its earliest appearances are in the 1940s, when mentions of the activity appeared in [Archie comic strips](#), song lyrics, and various folklore journals.

Padiddle refers to a vehicle with one headlight burnt out. Passengers who point such cars on the road, hitting the ceiling of their own car and shouting “Padiddle!” earn points, with the amount varying based on the type of vehicle, location or amount of burnt lights, etc.

Padiddle wasn’t originally a point-based family game, though. It was a way for young lovebirds who were driving around town to **exchange kisses**. Instead of playing for points, participants played for the opportunity to receive kisses from the other person (or, if the lady preferred, to slap the man). Another way Paddiddle has been played was that the last player to shout “Padiddle!” when one passed by would have to remove a piece of clothing.

The word itself is most likely a nonsense word, but could be related to “diddle,” which means to aimlessly pass the time. Because there’s no one official source, though, the game has taken on many names over the years, and no single one is technically the correct one.

Source: [The Origin and Meaning of Padiddle, the One-Headlight Car Game - The News Wheel](#)

Randy Will has amusing and insightful posts on **LinkedIn**.

This photo is on **LinkedIn**.

Randy’s Profile

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