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**2005-2006  
Directory**

## Mission

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To provide an educational program where individuals can practice leadership skills, deepen their understanding of community issues and prepare for leadership roles, thereby creating a network of individuals committed to the future of Green County.

## Program Leadership



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# Program Leadership

## Executive Committee

- Al Benzschawel
- Sheila Berrey, Public Relations Manager, The Swiss Colony, Inc.
- Sarah Burgert, Community Resource Development Educator, Green County UW-Extension
- Art Carter, Owner, Carter and Gruenewald
- Sue Disch, Realtor, Towne Square Realty
- Kim Hawthorne, Director of Business Development, Monroe Clinic
- Anita Huffman, Continuing Education Specialist, Monroe Campus of Blackhawk Technical College
- *Chair*~ Anna Schramke, Executive Director, Green County Development Corporation

## Curriculum Committee

- Kent Anderson, Community Leader, New Glarus
- *Chair*~ Sarah Burgert, Community Resource Development Educator, Green County UW-Extension
- Bob Erb, Client Relationship Manager, Integrated Marketing Solutions
- Anita Huffman, Continuing Education Specialist, Monroe Campus of Blackhawk Technical College
- Dan Karlen, Graduate, Wisconsin Rural Leadership Program
- Chris Wellington, Dean, Monroe Campus of Blackhawk Technical College
- Andy Ziehli, President, Advisory Management & Research Services, Inc

# What is Green County Leaders?

Green County Leaders is a community leadership program consisting of an orientation, 9 classes and a graduation.

Classes are held the second Wednesday of each month, September through May.

## Goals

- Establish an active community leadership network characterized by county-wide collaboration and increased citizen participation in community issues.
- Create an environment in which communities can work together to combine limited resources and use available experience and expertise to benefit each community and the entire county.



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Member ~ Kiwanis  
Synod Functions of Church Denomination  
Hobbies include gardening and being outdoors

Wife ~ Carmel Daughters ~ Elish & Ezrie

# Green County Leaders Schedule 2005-2006

Each session focused on a different set of leadership skills and issues of concern to Green County communities. Participants networked with local and non-local experts.

**August 24, 2005**

Orientation: Building Our  
Leadership Team

**February 8, 2006**

Community Organizations

**September 14, 2005**

Individual Leadership

**March 8, 2006**

Community Infrastructure

**October 12, 2005**

Community Leadership

**March 29, 2006**

Economic Development

**November 9, 2005**

Local Government

**April 12, 2006**

Natural Resources,  
Agriculture & Land Use

**January 11, 2006**

Youth Leadership & K-12  
Education

**May 10, 2006**

Leadership in Practice

**May 17, 2006**

Graduation Banquet ~ Chalet Landhaus  
Featured Speaker: James Schneider of Blue Chip Training  
"Leadership in Cycles, Not in Circles"

# Green County Leaders Alumni

- Ryan Kubly, Director of Strategic Planning, The Swiss Colony, Inc - 2004-2005
- Jill Leitzen, Human Resources Manager, Kuhn-Knight, Inc. - 2003-2004
- Tom Luchi, Vice President, TCL Enterprises, Inc. - 2003-2004
- Ron Markham, Vice President, Wisconsin Community Bank - 2002-2003
- Onalee Marx, Occupational Health Nurse, Monroe Clinic - 2004-2005
- Tanna McKeon, Project Manager, Green County Emergency Management - 2002-2003
- Becky Mischka, Patient Education Specialist, Monroe Clinic - 2003-2004
- Barbara Nelson, Monroe Chamber of Commerce & Industry & Green County United Way - 2002-2003
- Mark Peterson, Director of Operations, Foremost Farms, USA - 2003-2004
- Charles Polus, Green County Broadcasting - 2002-2003
- Paul Risley, Information Analyst, The Pleasant Company - 2003-2004
- Chris Roberts, Sales, Carl & John's Paddlin' - 2004-2005
- Susan Rolander, Main Street Coordinator, Monroe Main Street - 2004-2005
- Jan Sanders, Director of Mission & Service, Monroe Clinic - 2004-2005
- Mike Sanders, President/CEO, Monroe Clinic - 2002-2003
- Bob Schatz - 2002-2003
- Mimi Schroeder, Owner, Schroeder Photography, Ltd. - 2002-2003
- Andrew Sefcik, I.S. Consultant, The Swiss Colony, Inc. - 2002-2003
- Mike Shuda, Director of Accounting & Finance, Kuhn-Knight, Inc. - 2002-2003
- Angie Strack - 2004-2005
- Rhonda Urban, Wisconsin Community Bank - 2002-2003
- George Vernon, Law Offices of George Vernon - 2002-2003
- Kerrie Warne - 2003-2004
- Dawn Yunk - 2002-2003
- Andy Ziehli, President, Advisory Management & Research Services, Inc - 2004-2005
- Kandi Zumkehr, Senior Credit Risk Analyst, DM Services, Inc. - 2003-2004

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Independent Sales Representative for Avon

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Sons ~ Blake (13), Jonah (11), Devon (10), Braeggan (21 mo.)

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Member ~ Business and Education Board  
Master Gardener, Red Cross First Aid & CPR Instructor

Wife ~ Jessica Son ~ Nicholas (2)

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**Mindy Allen**, Project Mgr, Green County Emergency Mgmt – 2003-2004

**Mark Aylesworth** – 2002-2003

**Kirk Blumm** – 2002-2003

**Kim Bright**, Owner, Bright Financial Services – 2003-2004

**Adam Buholzer**, Engineer, Klondike Cheese Co. – 2004-2005

**Luke Buholzer**, Marketing Director, Klondike Cheese Co. – 2004-2005

**Kevin Callahan**, General Manager of List Service, Integrated Marketing Services – 2004-2005

**Terri Cook**, Manager of Sales & Service, TDS Telecom Monroe – 2003-2004

**Sandra Einbeck**, Coordinator, Monroe Area Safe Communities – 2002-2003

**Seth Engen**, Owner and Sales, Computer Know How – 2002-2003

**Bob Erb**, Client Relationship Manager, Integrated Marketing Solutions – 2002-2003

**Lynne Erb**, Clerk-Treasurer, Village of New Glarus – 2002-2003

**Matt Erdley**, Engineer, Klondike Cheese – 2002-2003

**Kelly Finkenbinder**, Director of Public Works, City of Monroe – 2004-2005

**Paul Fredrickson**, Sales Manager, New Glarus Motors – 2003-2004

**Sara Fredrickson** – 2003-2004

**Rob Frie**, Operations Manager, Roth Käse USA, Ltd. – 2004-2005

**Ric Genthe**, Graphic Designer, Ric Genthe & Associates – 2004-2005

**Dave Hardy**, Home Office Examiner, MetLife Auto & Home – 2003-2004

**Kristine Hartwig**, Administrator, Rainbow Childcare, Inc – 2004-2005

**Shari Heinzen**, Supervisor of Customer Service, TDS Telecom – 2002-2003

**William Hustad**, Account Executive, SPSI – 2002-2003

**C. Scott Huth** – 2003-2004

**Patty James**, Director of Nonfood Inventory Management, The Swiss Colony, Inc – 2004-2005

**Amanda Kloeping**, Merchandising Asst, The Swiss Colony – 2004-2005

**Lori Koehn**, Lakeview Restaurant – 2003-2004

**John Koopmans**, Office Manager, Carter & Gruenewald Co, Inc. – 2003-2004

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I am a certified child passenger car seat technician & certified lead  
hazard investigator.

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Cats ~ Sparkle & Tiger

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Community Advisory Board, Monroe Noon Optimists, Green  
County Local Emergency Planning Committee,  
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Wife ~ Amy Son ~ Will (2) Shi Tzu ~ Lucy Lou



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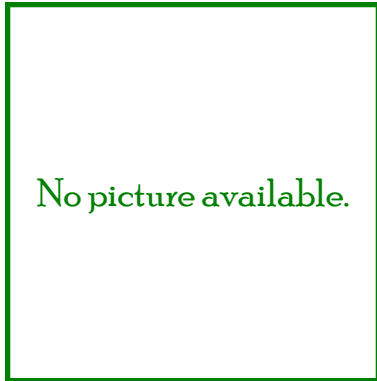
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Member ~ State Bar of Wisconsin

Member ~ Medical Group Management Association

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Teaches Sunday School for 3-4 year olds.

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