



BRAINERD ROTARY CLUB

Rotary Riverside Park Update

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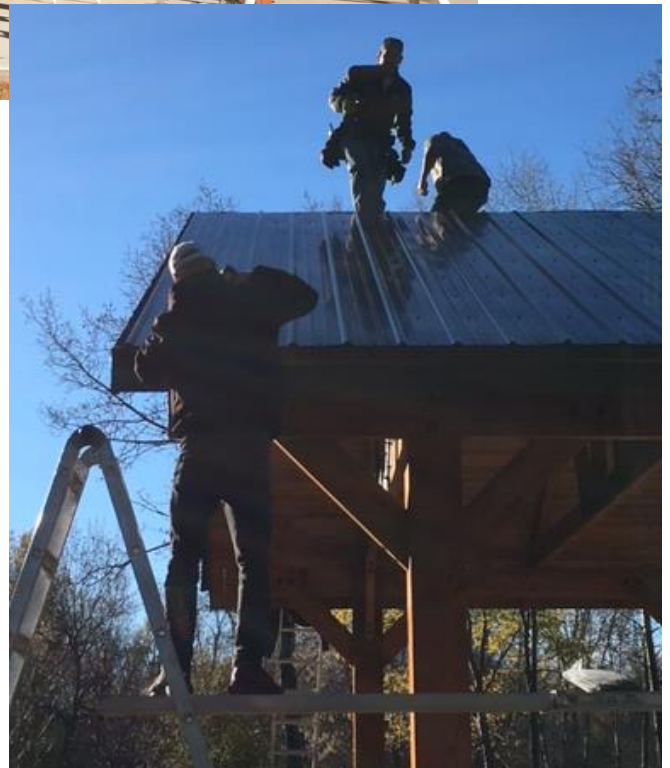
We have completed our Centennial Project.

The roof planking was stained by GEO'S PAINTING AND FINISHING at no cost to the club. They also donated the use of lifts during the construction process. This was very helpful because it minimized the potential fall hazards associated with ladders.



Steel sheets can cover a roof in a short amount of time. Multiple hands are used in the transport and raising of the sheets to assure no bends in the material.

Steel roofs are known to be slippery. Extra care is needed to assure no accidents on the roof. Although small, screw heads can provide a good grip.



The finished roof looks very good. It is intended to last 50+ years.

Very little maintenance will be required for this structure. All exposed wood is well sheltered from the sun and the rain.

The steel crew included John Forrest, David Wagner, Peter Nelson and with Mike, Matt and Kyle from Teen Challenge.



The dedication pavers have also been installed.

Although the Centennial Project is complete, several enhancements are being considered. These include:

- Fireplace at the end of the pavilion.
- Paved parking lot at the pavilion.
- Landscaping around the parking lot and pavilion.
- Solar system for power
- Rest rooms
- Picnic tables

The Rotary Club of Brainerd can be proud of this contribution to our legacy

