

The Hub

Oshkosh Rotary Southwest

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October 22, 2003

Today's Program Inductions

Vocational Month

Jeff Thorkildsen's has a change of vocation.

Effective Monday, October 20th I assumed the position of Business Manager at St Raphael's Church in Oshkosh. This ends 10+ years as General Manager / Publisher at the Buyers' Guide. In my new position at St. Raphael' s parish, I will beresponsible for the business functions of the parish as well as Human Resources management and Building and Grounds functions.

I' ve been in managementfor over thirty years and many of my past experiences will serve me well as I begin my new career. I' ve been a member of St. Raphael' s for 16years and now I am looking forward to working directly with Father Dan Felton and the rest of the Parish Leadership.

I intend to maintain most of my involvement throughout the Oshkosh Community as I begin this new phase of my life. Please feel free to stop in for a visit or contact me at any time!

Future Programs

October 29 - Robert Kujawa will be speaking about the highway construction and changes occurring this fall.

November 1 – District 6270 Membership and Foundation seminar at Slinger Middle School. 8:00 A.M. is the welcome with closing remarks at 11:45 A. M. All Rotarians are welcome. RSVP 414.266.5427 or jpedretti@chw.org

November 5 - Open - Round Table

November 12 - Dr. Todd Van Ye - Plastic Surgeon who does Christian Missionary Work in Africa

November 19 - Catherine Zimmerman, 2003-2004 District Governor will be speaking on this year's goal.

November 26 - David Omachinski and Eileen Connolly-Kessler will be updating us on the club Foundation

December 3 - Open - updates from John Butler on Boys and Girls Club wrapping party and Christmas Party. Other Holiday club events will also be discussed.

December 10 - Ellen - Our Foreign Exchange student tells us about her country.

December 17 - Oshkosh West Madrigals

December 24 – No Meeting

December 31 – No Meeting

Upcoming Events

Now – The Bob Long Super Bowl ticket sales.

November 26 - FESTIVAL OF TREES

Our club will once again sponsor a tree at the festival of trees. Our PALS Roosevelt School will be decorating our tree again this year. If you have a chance please visit the festival November 26-30.

December – The Exchange Club Christmas Party and wrapping of presents

February 1, 2004 - Oshkosh' s Largest Super bowl Party 4:00PM - 9:30PM at the Sunnyview Exposition Center. This event will be in place of our annual Rotary Auction and will include many raffle prizes.

Tickets will be sold at \$20.00/adult (includes 1 raffle ticket, 2 drink tickets and all the food you care to eat.) \$10.00/child 4-10years (includes food/soda). We will feature many TVs and a giant screen so that guests will "Never miss a play".

There will also be a supervised children' s area available.

Dear Members:

If you must leave before the speaker please excuse yourself to the speaker of the day- AND - if you must take care of business with some member before you leave - PLEASE - please go out into the hall to conduct your business so the meeting can continue and introduce the speaker in quiet. Thank You.

Your Board of Directors

Help Needed

Our PALS at Roosevelt School have a second grader who has a terminal heart condition. Her family applied to the Make a Wish Foundation and received a trip to Disney World. This family of 4 needs luggage for the trip. If you have any suggestions please contact Karen Fredrick.

Thank You

Thank you Barb Langkau and Schenck Business Solutions for preparing the clubs tax forms last year with the help of Greg Vanderfin. Thank you for donating your time to the club for going through our records.

Polio Plus Update

The new and current figure raised in this past year for Polio Plus, the eradication of Polio world wide is now \$111,499,351, or \$24 million more than previously announced.

The Four Way Test

By Herbert I. Taylor – Chicago – 1932 Of the things we think, say or do: **First:** Is it the truth? **Second:** Is it fair to all concerned? **Third:** Will it build goodwill and better friendships? **Fourth:** Will it be beneficial to all concerned?

Information for the HUB

Directors and chairman of committees we would like to have more information in the HUB about what is happening in your areas.

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