



The Hub
Oshkosh Rotary Southwest
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Our 2003-2004 Board:

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November 5, 2003

Today's Program
Round Table

Foundation Month

Oshkosh Southwest Foundation and the Rotary International Foundation are being confused. On November 26th we will have a program on the Oshkosh Southwest Foundation.

Rotary International Foundation has many programs that run under its title. After the first Rotary Convention in 1917, an endowment fund was proposed for the purpose of doing some good in the world through charitable, educational, and other avenues of community programs. In 1947, at the death of our Founder, Paul Harris, over one million dollars were contributed, in his memory. In 1957, The Paul Harris Fellowship was initiated. For \$1000, the contributor could name a Paul Harris Fellow. Years later, the sustaining program began, whereby \$100 per year could be contributed to attain the recognition.

The money is invested and not spent for three years. The investment income pays all administration costs of the Foundation. During that three year cycle, the trustees can determine the available funds and match them to needs. No annual dues are funneled to the Foundation. The Foundation giving has

dropped drastically in the past 6 years. In 1997 over \$120 million was spent. The announcement this year is \$70 million being spent on the programs.

Some of the programs under the RI Foundation are: Ambassadorial Scholarship's, Group Study Exchange, 3-H Grants, Rotary Peace Forums, Rotary Volunteers, Polio Plus, and World Community Service.

If you haven't signed up for the drawing at the meetings talk to Doug. He will help you sign up for the low cost of \$26.00 a quarter and you could be one of the winners.

Future Programs

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 11 – Club Christmas Party at Julie Pollnow's home.

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.

November - Festival of Lights

November – Donations for Parkview Health Center

November – Can food drive for the food pantry.

December – The Exchange Club Christmas Party and wrapping of presents

February 1, 2004 - Oshkosh' s Largest Super bowl Party

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.

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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