



The Hub

Oshkosh Rotary Southwest

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Our 2004-2005 Board:

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Next Board Meeting: 7:15 am April 21st Festival Foods Board Room

April 20, 2005

Today's Program – Ron Heilmann, Superintendent - Oshkosh School District - Update on Oshkosh Schools

Vocational Service

Our Pals at Roosevelt School are looking for **SAIL tutors**. Tuesdays and Thursdays from 3:00-4:00pm. Please contact Karen Fredrick if you are interested in helping a student at Roosevelt. This would be a 5 week commitment.

Club Service

QuickBooks Pro 2005 is in place for the club. Upgrades include sending invoices and statements in PDF files as attachments. This means that they should all be very readable for the receiver (which has been a problem for some members). It may be prudent to have a current version of Adobe Reader (7.0 is currently available) on your computer which can be downloaded from at www.adobe.com. Any security issues that prohibit your computer

from receiving PDF files should be remedied or you may miss these vital messages.

2. **To continue helping the club be efficient and cost effective in handling its receivables, all members are requested to provide an email address for billing purposes. Any members not receiving invoices and statements by email may send their address to doug@seefeldfuneral.com and you will be updated immediately.**

3. Members wishing to pay their invoices electronically may do so by contacting Doug Seefeld. The routing number and bank account number for our credit union account can be provided for your convenience.

4. Any members expecting charges for WineFeast tickets, ads or raffle tickets should have already received an invoice. With the conversion of QuickBooks there is a possibility a few invoices were not emailed out. Please let Doug Seefeld know if you have not received your invoice so it may be sent promptly. Respectfully submitted by Doug Seefeld.

Thank you **Kent Mosebach** for presenting the invocation for the month of April. Coming up for May is Ken Friedman. Thank you to our past presenters: **Dick Ames, Kent Mosebach, Mike Stratz, Fran Finley, David Green, Kate Thome & Tom Kloeckner**. We are still looking for a few more people willing to present the invocation at our weekly meetings. Still need someone for June & July. Contact Kris Villars kvillars@new.rr.com if you are interested taking a month & doing the Invocation at our weekly meetings.

Wanted: Club members to serve as a greeter. This is a very small commitment, 10-15 minutes before the regularly scheduled meeting. Sign up with Annie Short. Get to know your club or use it as a re-acquaintance opportunity! It Won't Even Hurt, We Promise!!

If you have constructive comments to share for the upcoming new rotary year please feel free to share with Bonnie Behnke, phone: 235-6066 or email: bonn28@yahoo.com. Thank you!!!

Meeting Makeup's Online Link

<http://www.oshkoshrotarysouthwest.org/links/rotaryorg.htm>, scroll half way down the page and choose: Rotary EClub One and follow the link!!

International Service

Community Service

Check out the article in the April edition of Rotarian, page 15. The Rotary Club of Batavia, New York, who published the nude calendar as a fund raiser. The club received attention from New York Times, USA Today, People, CBS The

Early Show, and CNN's Anderson Cooper 360. The club has sold more than 3000 copies with a net so far of over \$20,000; over 10 xs's what was expected. Maybe Southwest should take the challenge too!??

April is National volunteer month. So you say you don't have time. Well according to a recent article in the Rotarian magazine.

T stands for talent

I is for inclination for volunteering

M is for method and motivation

E is energy.

You must have some expertise and be a good motivator. You must have energy. If you have TIME, you can be a successful volunteer.

Upcoming events

April 27th - Gloria Mlotshwa (former inbound student)--My Experience at Model U.N.

April 29th-May 1st – 2005 District Conference in Neenah

May 4th - Harry Von Burik – Shelter for Life--After the Tsunami

May 11 - TBA

May 18 - Laurie Heinemann, Cabinet Secretary of the Wisconsin Department of Financial Services

May 25 - Paul Harris Fellows and Inductions

June 15th – Changing of the Guard – Hilton Garden Inn, watch for details!

June 17th – 22nd – International Rotary Convention - Chicago

The Four Way Test

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?