

The Hub

Oshkosh Rotary Southwest

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Our 2005-2006 Board:

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Ken Friedman & Tom Shepeck Marcus Butts & Fran Finley Barbara Langkau & Marlin Greenfield Kris Villars & Glen Curren Art Dumke Margaret A. Wittkopp Carl – Wilhelm Stenahammar

September 22nd Next Board Meeting: 7:30 am at Festival Foods in board room

September 21, 2005

Today's Program Jim and Katie Gennrich – Living and Teaching in China

Announcements

- Thank you to all who attended and participated at The United Way Kick off luncheon held last Wednesday.
- Mark your calendars for January 26th our • Bowling Fundraiser. Brews Eagles Lane from 5-10pm.
- Fall Fest in September 23 24 at The • University. Everyone is invited. Details can be found online at <u>www.uwosh.edu/fallfest</u>.
- Junior Achievement Bowl a Thon is • Saturday October 29th at Oshkosh Lanes.
- The Oshkosh Police Dept has extended an . invitation to participate in their Citizens Academy program.

Rotary Make-ups

Rotarians are expected to have a 60% or better attendance rate. There are many ways to make up a missed Rotary meeting.

Meeting Make up Policy

You can fulfill your attendance requirement by attending another club's meeting. You must get a make up card or other statement from the club where you are making up. Other Oshkosh Rotary Club's meetings

Oshkosh Rotary – Mondays- noon at Fratello's Oshkosh Morning– Friday–6:50 am Park Plaza Other Make-ups

Attendance at any of our club's activities, work, social or committee meetings.

Participation in any major project.

On-line makeups

You can always make up a meeting on-line. Go to our website and click on Rotary Organizations. The website make up is called Rotary EClub one.

Vocational Service

The Vocational Board met with people interesting in helping out with Vocational Service for the upcoming school year. If you are interested in getting involved, please contact Marcus Butts 230.3029 or Fran Finley.

Club Service – Invocation

Thank you to Mike Stratz who presented the invocation for the month of August. Coming up this month September is Kent Mosebach. Thank you Kent. Fran Finley will be presenting the invocation in October, & David Green is doing November. Thank you to our past presenters: Dick Ames, 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 December, & January 2006. Contact Kris Villars <u>kvillars@new.rr.com</u> if you are interested taking a month & doing the Invocation at our weekly meetings.

Rotary Foundation...Join today!!

The mission of The Rotary Foundation is to support the efforts of Rotary International in the fulfillment of the Object of Rotary, Rotary's mission, and the achievement of world understanding and peace through local, national, and international humanitarian, educational, and cultural programs. For further details on how to become involved, see Kate Thome.

Upcoming events

September 28 – visit from our District Governor, Margaret Wittkopp.

Club Vote

At our membership meeting on September 7, 2005 a motion was made to commit a total of \$15,000 to be paid out over three years for the Pollack Pool Water Park Project. Way to go SW Rotary!!

Interest Finders

You will be asked to fill out interest Finders during the next few meetings. This gives the board an indication of what level of service you are interested in getting involved with.

Long Journey to the SuperBowl

The Rotary Club of Brookfield invites all clubs to join in this fundraiser. \$1.00 for each ticket sold will go to The Rotary Foundation. The drawing will be held 12/27/05 with many prizes. The price of the ticket is still \$10. Your club will receive \$7.00 for each ticket sold.

Rotary License Plates

The Rotary Districts from Wisconsin is working to get an official "Rotary International" license plate added to the selections of special plates. If you are interested in a Rotary license plate please email <u>robofrcmf@aol.com</u>. License plate fees would be an additional \$15.00 to the normal fee. They are determining if there is a need here, so if you are interested please let Rob Bassett know at the above email address.

<u>Just a reminder to send information for the</u> <u>HUB to:</u> Wendy Hielsberg at <u>whielsberg@oshkoshcvb.org</u>

The Four Way Test

<u>First</u>: Is it the truth? <u>Second</u>: Is it fair to all concerned? <u>Third</u>: Will it build goodwill and better friendships? <u>Fourth</u>: Will it be beneficial to all concerned?