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### November 1, 2006

Today: Eileen Connolly-Keesler, "Transfer of Wealth – What Does it Mean for Oshkosh?"

#### WENDY'S WHEEL



#### Lead the Way! Rotary International's Theme

November is Rotary Foundation Month. So much of what Rotary is known for – international service projects, grants, scholarships and above all, Polio Plus – depends on the Foundation. Rotarians every year give to the Foundation. We know that our money will be used wisely and that together we can do so much more than we could ever do alone.



A Rotarian administers polio vaccine drops to an Ethiopian child.

#### **NEWS AT A GLANCE**

- The new member breakfast will continue at the Aurora Medical Center Café. The next meeting is November 16 at 7:30 a.m. All Rotary members are welcome. Contact: John Holdorf
- Coats, hats, caps, scarves, gloves, and boots are needed for the volunteers at Celebration of Lights. If you have any of these items at home that you are not using, bring them to Rotary and give them to Gretchen Marin.
- Nicole Peterson is seeking mentors for new Rotarians. If you are interested in helping newer members move from the red to blue badge, contact Nicole.
- Susan Matz announced that Jr. Rotary clubs will be having a Christmas float in the Holiday Parade this year. They are looking for help assembling the float. They will be working at the South Park Pavilion November 1-4 from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. If necessary they will also be there November 8 and 9 at the same time. Club members need colorful paint, so if you have some paint that you don't need, please let Susan know and she will arrange to pick it up. They could also use staple guns. Please label these with your name before lending them. If you are interested in helping our younger Rotarians, please stop by. Bring ideas (or cookies and hot chocolate)!
- The Jr. Rotary clubs will also be attending the Haunted House in Neenah on October 27<sup>th</sup>. Thanks to Connie Haschmann for volunteering to chaperone!
- The Downtown Rotary Club is selling roses as a club fundraiser. Roses are \$15.00/dozen. Please contact Lori Renning at 232-3639 ASAP if interested. Pickup is at Lourdes High School on November 10 and 11.
- Marlin Greenfield and Nancy Leipzig got us pumped up about the Super Bowl Raffle ticket sales. Everyone should have gotten tickets in the mail. If not, contact Marlin. Our goal is to raise \$8,000. So start selling...remember we get \$7.00 for our Rotary Club for each ticket we sell!
- We will be getting the newsletters from the downtown and morning Rotary clubs to share at our meetings. We can see what's happening with the other clubs and maybe stop in to visit.
- Mark your calendars...the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Bowling FUNraiser is January 18<sup>th</sup> at the Eagles Brew Lanes.
- Luis Yegres, our Venezuelan exchange student was present along with Paula Schemmert, Downtown Rotary's inbound exchange student from Berlin, Germany.



#### Congratulations to our long term active Southwest Rotary Members that have been with us for 10 years and more!

Lynn Barthels	1995
Dennis Fletcher	1980
Paul Fowler	1986
Jeff Hackbarth	1995
Tom Hallquist	1995
Barbara Herzog	1995
John Holdorf	1988
John Lorfeld	1980
Karen Stauffer	1991
Gary Wagner	1983

# MARK YOUR CALENDARS

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**October** – Registration starts for the Rotary International Convention in Salt Lake City, UT June 17-20, 2007

**October 25** – Board Meeting, 4:00 p.m., La Sure's Banquet Hall.

**November 16** – New member breakfast, 7:30 a.m., Aurora Medical Center Café.

**November 17** – President & President Elect Meeting with all three Oshkosh Rotary clubs. Park Plaza Hotel, 8 a.m.

**December 14** – Rotary Christmas Party. Details to follow later.

**April 27 – 29 –** District Conference, Lake Geneva.

**June 16-22** – World Affairs Seminar, UW-Whitewater.

### **UPCOMING PROGRAMS**

**November 1** – Eileen Connolly-Keesler, "Transfer of Wealth – What Does it Mean for Oshkosh?"

**November 8** – Kristine Klincker, American Cancer Society Relay for Life

November 15 – Inductions

November 22 - Roundtable

November 30 - Luis Yegres



# **ROTARIAN OF THE WEEK**

Notice the absent ROW column this week? That's because no one has recently submitted the necessary information! To be a Rotarian of the Week, simply access the form on the club's website, fill it out, and send it to konkel@uwosh.edu. If you have a digital photo of yourself to send with it, that is also much appreciated! The Rotarian of the Week column provides a great opportunity for members to get to know each other better!

### INVOCATION – CLUB SERVICE

October – Kate Thome

November – Fran Finley

December – David Green

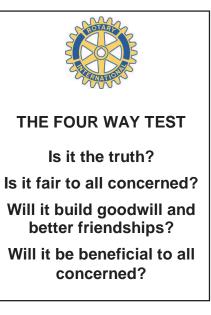
Thanks to Kate for presenting the invocation this month and for all those who have volunteered this coming year. If you would like to get involved, contact Kent Mosebach. Call 235-0420 or e-mail at kmosebach@new.rr.com

# **ROTARY GREETERS**

November 1	Barb Schlieve Duane Helwig
November 8	Glenn Curran Bonnie Behnke
November 15	Dick Rueckl Corky Abraham
November 22	Stella Stellings Nancy Leipzig

### AREA ROTARY MEETINGS

- Oshkosh Downtown Monday Noon Oshkosh Park Plaza Hotel
- Oshkosh Southwest Wednesday Noon Robbin's Restaurant
- Oshkosh Morning Friday 7:00 a.m. Oshkosh Park Plaza Hotel
- Rotary eClub One 24/7/365 (online meeting make-up) www.rotaryeclubone.org





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