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November 15, 2006

Today: Inductions

LEAD THE WAY!

Project: Celebration of Lights Our 5th year of Celebration of Lights kicks off November 22nd and runs through January 1st. This event continues to grow bigger and better each year.

Celebration by the numbers:

476,250 lights 22,000 feet of wiring 35,000 hours of set up 26 large animated displays 135 static lighted displays 1.1 miles- length of display route 80 new display pieces 30,000 visitors each year 9,876 cars 10,000 programs 160 hours of operation 28 tons of food collected 3 horse drawn carriages 8 tiny reindeer 3 camels 1 Sicilian donkey 2 craft shops 1 photographer 3 fabulous community night sponsors 35 wonderful sponsors 1,000 volunteers

1 Santa

NEWS AT A GLANCE

 The Celebration of Lights will begin November 22 and run through January 1 this year. Two to three volunteers are needed each night. Friends and family are welcome to come and help. Several businesses are sponsoring this event. Contact: Karen Fredrick. Also a huge thanks to Gretchen Marin for collecting all the winter attire for our helpers at the park. We can still use more clothing, because we know winter is coming. Most of the electrical is now in place, and will be getting the large displays up and ready to go soon.

- If you did not receive your Long Road to the Super Bowl raffle tickets in your mail, please contact Nancy Leipzig. Every week there will be an update on the status of the friendly competition between club teams.
- Mike Lyster was honored at the Chamber Annual meeting for 25 years in business congratulations Mike!
- The poinsettia sale going on now until November 29^{th.} Buy one for the loved ones in your life. See Kris Villars for more details.
- Allan Degner announced the "Paws for a photo" a fund raiser for the Oshkosh Area Humane Society. Get a picture of your pet for \$20 and receive a 5"X7" print and an electric copy e-mailed to you.
- Please consider submitting a Rotarian of the Week entry! Forms can be
 obtained at the club website. Complete the form and forward it to JoAnn
 Konkel at <u>konkel@uwosh.edu</u> If you have a HUB handy, you can also look
 at the questions in the Rotarian of the Week column and just send the
 answers to the questions. Attach a digital photo of yourself if you like!
- Don't forget the upcoming Canned Food Drive at Roosevelt Elementary School. The big "Golden Can" competition between Roosevelt and Read Schools will be held November 27 – December 1. We won the golden trophy back last year; hopefully with your help we can keep it another year!





The Canned Food Drive helps our Roosevelt School PALS maintain stocked shelves at local food pantries

ROTARIAN OF THE WEEK



Wendy Hielsberg

Favorite club project: All the vocational things we do. I am very passionate about what we can do to develop our future leaders.

Proudest achievement: My children- Brent 17 and Carson 13.

Earliest memory: I remember everything from childhood, through high school. What I did yesterday is a blank.

Nobody in my club knows: I am a Victoria Secrets Model on the side.

Favorite part of every Rotary meeting: Seeing everyone each week. I feel like we are one big family.

Three things I'd want on a deserted island: Wine, music and great friends.

If I hadn't become a Rotarian, I never would have: Been bossed around by Karen Fredrick so much.

The one television show I don't usually tell people I watch is: Real World on MTV

When I tell people I'm in Rotary, they: Ask which club? The fun one or the other one?

If I had to eat three foods for the rest of my life, they would be: Cheeseburgers, French Fries and Wine.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

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

November 29 – Board Meeting, 4:00 p.m., La Sure's Banquet Hall.

December 8 – 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 15 - Inductions

November 22 - Roundtable

November 29 - Luis Yegres

December 6 – Alex Hummel from The Oshkosh Northwestern

December 13 – John Butler, H.O.P.E. Center Christmas party

December 20 – Oshkosh West Madrigals

NEW MEMBERS

The Board has approved the following individuals for membership pending publication:

Vicky Drabandt Program Director at the Volunteer Center Classification: Program Director Proposed by Karen Fredrick

Scott Klewicki Owner: Financial Recoveries, Inc. Classification: Collection Agency Proposed by: Karen Fredrick

Paul Piikkila VP of Commercial Lending at FNB Fox Valley Classification: Commercial Banking Proposed by: Connie Haschmann

John Schuster Attorney/Partner at Young, Schuster, & Maslowski LLP Classification: Attorney Proposed by: Michael Scott

First publication

Advertising Director at the Oshkosh Northwestern Classification: Newspaper Advertising Proposed by: Marlin Greenfield

Please send information to be included in next week's copy of THE HUB by Friday to: JoAnn Konkel at <u>konkel@uwosh.edu</u>

INVOCATION – CLUB SERVICE

November – Fran Finley

December – David Green

January – Allan Degner

Thanks to Fran 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 15	Dick Rueckl Corky Abraham
November 22	Stella Stellings Nancy Leipzig
November 29	Jim Chitwood Bonnie Behnke
December 6	Karen Fredrick

AREA ROTARY MEETINGS

Marcus Butts

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.com



THE FOUR WAY TEST

Is it the truth?

Is it fair to all concerned?

Will it build goodwill and better friendships?

Will it be beneficial to all concerned?