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# March 28, 2007

Today's Program: John Walsh, Sheldon Nature Center

# LEAD THE WAY Dt's Wine Feast Week!



To all our members who have played leading and supporting roles on behalf of WineFeast 2007, thank you! You help Southwest Rotary *lead the way* in our community. Come join us this Friday evening at the Sunnyview Expo Center and be a part of this memorable event!

### **NEWS AT A GLANCE**

- Thanks to all the committee members and volunteers for their hard work toward making WineFeast a success. A few more volunteers are needed for Friday set up and/or Saturday clean up. Contact Jeff Schneider if you can help. Cellar Select is SOLD OUT! Tickets are still available for Grapes & Grains and the general WineFeast.
- Kids' items are still needed for the auction, also bottles of wine for the 100 bottle raffle. A massage package and running shoes to go with a fitness package would be great. Please contact Amy Montgomery or Nancy Leipzig if you can help with this. Thanks to Dr. Ames for donating an arbor for the entry to Grapes & Grains.
- Bill Thimke is leaving on May 13th to go back to Peru with Ralph Gunderson and Mike Cooney to help check on the third Soy Cow that was recently installed. They will be making a documentary film on how to "milk" a soy cow to promote the benefits of this project.
- Allan Degner announced a Progress Oshkosh forum on March 26 for the Mayoral, Common Council and School Board candidates. It will be held at UW-Oshkosh's Reeve Union 6:00 - 8:15 p.m.
- Meredith Scheuermann reminded everyone to exercise their right to vote on April 3.
- Luis, our exchange student, had a great time over the weekend. He was in Madison to watch Oshkosh West bring home their second Division 1 title. He also went for a plane ride with Bryan Hochstein over Lake Michigan and Lake Winnebago. He loved it!

#### **ROTARIAN OF THE WEEK**



#### Thomas W. Goddard Fiss & Bills-Poklasny Funeral Home

**Favorite club project:** Club Service items. I really enjoyed time at Roosevelt School, and I enjoy Paul Fowler's Beautification Committee.

**Proudest achievement:** Winning Jr. Olympics in High School. Loving what I do, doing what I love, and delivering more than I promise. I really care for people and sincerely do all that I can for those in need. I feel great when I give of myself for others!

**Earliest memory:** Childbirth, let's not go back there! Seriously, fishing with my father.

**Nobody in my club knows:** That I wanted to be a radiology technician before going to school for what I do now.

**Favorite part of every Rotary meeting:** The invocation. I really enjoy providing them also.

Three things I'd want on a deserted island: Fishing gear, cold beer with peanuts in the shell and a good cigar!

If I hadn't become a Rotarian, I never would have: Been able to expand my friendships as I have.

The one television show I don't usually tell people I watch is: Everybody Loves Raymond! Thanks to my better half, Kathy.

When I tell people I'm in Rotary, they: are amazed at all of the things that this club does for our community.

If I had to eat three foods for the rest of my life, they would be: pizza, ice cream and beernuts.



#### MARK YOUR CALENDARS

March 30 - WineFeast at Sunnyview Expo.

**March 30** - Rotary President and President-Elect meeting at Park Plaza Hotel, 8:00 a.m.

**March 31** - District Assembly in Slinger, WI, 8:00 a.m. - Noon. Contact Jim Chitwood for directions.

March 31 - Old Men With Sticks, 7:00 p.m., new YMCA.

**April 13** - United Way Day of Caring. See United Way for projects for the day. 8:00 a.m. - 12 Noon.

**April 27 - 29** District 6270 conference in Lake Geneva at the Grand Geneva Resort. See Rotary International website for details.

**June 27** - Changing of the Guard dinner, Best Western Bridgewood Resort and Hotel, Neenah. Details to follow.



Oshkosh Rotary Southwest member Scott Greuel, of the Oshkosh Police Department, was our March 21 speaker. (*Photo courtesy of Paul Fowler*)

#### **UPCOMING PROGRAMS**

March 28 – John Walsh, Sheldon Nature Center

April 4 - Paul Harris Fellows

**April 11** - Bill Wresch, "The Tragic Founding of New Orleans"

Please send information to be included in next week's copy of THE HUB by Friday to: JoAnn Konkel at jokonkel@aol.com

#### INVOCATION – CLUB SERVICE

March - Craig Ubbelohde

April – Dick Ames

May - Kate Thome

Thanks to Craig 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 kmosebach@new.rr.com

#### **ROTARY GREETERS**

- March 28 Stella Kat Hughes
- April 4 Lori Davis Bonnie Behnke
- April 11 Melody Wollangk Melody's Mentor
- April 18 Ron Marks Don Simons
- April 25 Jason Scharrer Jason's Mentor

# 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



# 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?