

The Hub of Oshkosh Southwest Rotary



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Topic: Paul Harris Fellows

Announcements from Craig

The District Spring Assembly will be on Saturday, April 4, 2009, at the Hartford Middle School from 7:30 am to 12 noon. The topic of this year's Spring Assembly is, "What's Your Rotary Club's Story?" Every District Rotarian is invited to attend this program. Come and meet other Rotarians to exchange ideas. Learn new facts about Rotary and Rotary programs. Register by emailing [Sandy Shultz](mailto:Sandy.Shultz@rotary.org) (preferred) by April 2 for nametags and food count. Or, you may register by calling (414) 545-5898. When you register, include your club, number of attendees, and attendee's names. Walk-ins are welcome! [View agenda](#).

Battle on Bago had some nice press this past week. Check out the Northwestern editorial from Monday, and the front page coverage of BoB in the UWO Advanced Titan.

We have a nomination for our next President-elect nominee, Kris Villars. The floor was open for any additional nominees, there were none. The club voted unanimously for Kris Villars as

our President-elect nominee. Congratulations, Kris!

Other Announcements

Ken Friedman announced that Shared Harvest is going to be focusing on the Farmer's Market at City Hall on Wednesdays and Saturdays. This year, produce from three acres of land in Black Wolf will be donated to Shared Harvest. Downtown Rotary is also supporting this year – Dave Haveford will chair. Mike Scott had a great idea to ask 4Imprint for support – they have donated 500 ecobags! Master Gardeners have adopted Shared Harvest as a sanctioned project, as well as helping out with a new garden at the Christine Ann Center. Lots going on!

Nicole Allie has Winefeast tickets which can be billed to your Rotary account. We need you, your spouse, friends, and colleagues to be there!

Kris Villars announced that tables are available at Cellar Select. Citizens First is offering a \$25 discount for their members who purchase two Winefeast tickets. Kris said we will offer the same discount for Rotary members.

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Calendar of Events

Upcoming Programs

Mar 25 Dr. Joel Cler and Dr. Ilan Shapiro – Computer-assisted Knee Replacement
Apr 1 Avenues of Service
Apr 8 Steve Vickman – Oshkosh Area Food Pantry
Apr 15 Tim Gierke – Updates from Social Security Administration

Recurring Events

3rd Mon. Club Board Meeting
4:00 – 5:30, Robbins

Other Rotary Events

Mar 28 Winefeast – Sunnyview Expo Center
Apr 24-26 Rotary District Conference – Osthoff Resort
May 20 Cookout at Roosevelt School

Announcements...

Ric Schultz announced that we need volunteers for set up, at the event, and clean up. Carol Bricco is in need of experienced wait staff to work Cellar Select.

We are also in need of items for the Live Auction at Cellar Select, such as Packer or Brewers tickets, use of a condo for a week, professional services, etc. See Kris if you can make a donation.

Doug Seefeld announced that next week we are honoring Paul Harris Fellows. He asked that Rotarians who are existing Fellows to please wear their Paul Harris pins next week.

Youth Exchange Weekend

Tom Shepeck informed the club about the upcoming Youth Exchange Weekend which takes place from March 19-22 here in Oshkosh and hosted by

Southwest Rotary. This is a great annual event where 18 foreign exchange students gather in Oshkosh for four days.

Southwest Rotarians and families are invited to participate in the Saturday evening party at Kat Hughes' house starting at 5:15.

The kids will be involved in some great activities:

- Thursday evening the kids arrive and go to their host families.
- Friday, the kids go to the five area middle schools and do presentations on their home countries and spend the day with the students.
- Friday evening, the kids and host families have an all-you-can-eat fish fry at the Columbus Club.
- Saturday, the students visit the EAA Museum for lunch and a tour. That afternoon, they go bowling and then head to Kat Hughes' home for dinner and a party.
- Sunday, the students have breakfast with their host families and head back.

A special thanks to those Rotarians who volunteered to be host families!

A very special thanks to Tom Shepeck from everyone at Southwest Rotary for organizing this great event!

Weekly Invocations

March	Bonnie Behnke
April	Vicki Beltran
May	Tom Goddard

Weekly Greeters

To be announced (but you know who you are!)

New Member Posting

The following new member has been approved by the Board (first posting):

Chet Wesenberg
Principal Architect of Chet Wesenberg Architect, LLC
Proposed by Steve Poeschl

The Hub – Info Please!

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Fact or Fiction

Member: Craig Ubbelhode

1. I was bitten by a woodchuck and had to have the rabies series of shots.
2. I have had two close encounters with rattle snakes.
3. I accidentally woke up a hibernating bear while taking its picture.



The Four Way Test

Of the things we think, say or do:

1. Is it the truth?
2. Is it fair to all concerned?
3. Will it build good will and better friendships?
4. Will it be beneficial to all concerned?