

The Hub of Oshkosh Southwest Rotary



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Topic: Club Business – 2009-2010 Budget, Tammy Kielbasa, Farewell to Carlitos

Announcements

Dave Geurden was presented with a Paul Harris Fellow award – congratulations, Dave!

Bill Thimke announced that we are “giving birth” to a new soy cow in LaMolina. Along with the Downtown Club, we are purchasing a larger soy cow for LaMolina, and their small machine will go to Pita. Bill will be going to Canada to get the machine. More good news – the community in LaMolina will take over furnishing supplies for the machine which allows us to focus on other needs.

Marlin Greenfield is heading up our annual Boat Trip social on July 1st. It’s always a fun evening starting at Fratellos and boating to a local restaurant (which direction depends upon the weather) for dinner, and heading back. Sign up sheets are on the table.

Tom Shepeck announced that next week, we will say goodbye to Carlitos. Carlitos thanked Dick Ames and his family for taking him golfing last week. Carlitos invited us all to his Farewell Party next Saturday. Be at our meeting next week to

be sure and wish Carlitos all the best.

Lori Davis announced that Irish Fest was a great success. The event is a non-profit organization with Cerebral Palsy of Midwest WI as beneficiary of proceeds this year. They had over 8000 guests, and the 5K run hosted by CP had 268 runners. The Irish Mass on Sunday was attended by 400 people. They had 250 volunteers with a total of 12 charities benefiting. And... they served a lot of food and 16 kegs of beer! Thanks to all the volunteers from Southwest Rotary who helped make it a great event and look for Irish Fest next year.

Nicole announced that National Craig Burnett Day is being celebrated on June 24th at our annual Changing of the Guard. The event will be held at the Oshkosh Convention Center, with cocktails at 5:30, dinner at 6:30 and the program to follow. This is our annual dinner when we reflect back and celebrate the past Rotary year, and we thank our outgoing President. Contact Nicole if you are attending, sign up sheets will be on the table next week. See page 2 for more details.

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R.I. President: Dong-Kum Lee

Calendar of Events

Upcoming Programs

June 17 Wave Robotics
June 24 Mike Hert – Second Tour of Iraq
July 1 Club Business
July 8 Tim Franz, Oshkosh Fire Dept. Chief
July 15 Teri Shores – H1N1 Hysteria
July 22 TBA
July 29 EAA Picnic

Recurring Events

3rd Mon Club Board Meeting
(June 15) 4:00 – 5:30, Robbins

Other Rotary Events

Jun 19 Relay For Life
Jun 24 Changing of the Guard – Oshkosh Convention Center
July 1 Boat Trip
July 9 Waterfest (Big Bad Voodoo Daddy)
Aug 20 Waterfest (Three Dog Night)

Relay For Life: June 19th

This year, the Relay for Life will be held at Oshkosh West HS (north end of the track) on June 19th. Rain plans – we'll be in the gym.

We'll have a tent and lots of fun. Just a few of the events going on:

- Set up starts at 5pm, the event starts at 6pm.
- Survivor's Lap is at 6:30
- Rotarct Games for the kids will be from 7 – 9:30pm
- S'Mores from 7-10pm
- Candaleria Ceremony will be at 9:30 (dusk)
- Cleanup around 10pm

A new tradition for Southwest Rotary is our "Dude Looks Like a Lady" contest, with Craig "Bernadette" Burnett squaring off with Mike "Lissa" Lyster. While this may be a beauty contest, the winner is the Dude with the most cash in her purse to benefit Relay For Life.

The Candaleria ceremony is your opportunity to offer a memorial or honor a cancer victim and is a beautiful scene. Candalerias are available for \$10 each.

Contact Ken Friedman, Melody Wollangk, or Nicole Allie for more information. Please support our team both financially and with your personal support at the event. Bring your lawn chair and enjoy the evening!

National Craig Burnett Day: June 24, 2009

Our annual Changing of the Guard will be Wed., June 24th at the newly-renovated Oshkosh Convention Center. You won't want to miss this great evening!



Dinner will be catered by Fratellos, featuring Tenderloin with Balsamic Glaze *and* Chicken Marsala, Garlic Mashed Potatoes, Yellow and Green Beans, salad and dinner rolls. Cocktails at 5:30, dinner at 6:30 and program at 7:30.

Our Madam of Ceremonies will be Eileen Connolly – Keesler. The program will include a Year in Review of our club's activities and a "roast" of Craig Burnett as our outgoing President. Craig will present his awards to Rotarians who made important contributions to the club this year.

The cost for the evening is \$35 per person and will be billed to your Rotary account.

Remember that this event may include your spouse or friend, so please invite them to join our National Craig Burnett celebration!

Weekly Invocations

June Tom Kloeckner

Weekly Greeters

June 10 Kent Mosebach
Bryan Hockstein
June 17 Karen Fredrick
Jim Sharpe
June 24 Lori Davis
Glenn Curren
July 1 Tom Weber
Todd Ruess

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The Four Way Test

Of the things
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?