# The Hub of Oshkosh Southwest Rotary



# Topic: Ryan Hackbarth: "My Year in Denmark"

# Rotary News & Notes Announcements

#### Where's Bill?

District Governor Bill Wresch is making the rounds to all the Rotary clubs in southeastern Wisconsin. Make sure to check the map (located by the beverages) to see where he's been!

#### **Oshkosh Rotaract**

Last week we heard from the leadership board of the newly formed Oshkosh Rotaract Club. This group of young professionals and studetns (ages 18 to 35) is dedicated to adding another service club to our community. But, they need your help. If you know of somone in this age group that is looking for a fun (and free) way to get involved with Rotary and the community please send them to the Oshkosh Rotaract page on Facebook or contact:

Ann Padley –
ann@choicebank.com
Mindie Boynton –
minsuma@gmail.com
Shannon Doberstein –
Sdoberstein@citizensfirst.com
Cassandra Dorn –
fletchercn@gmail.com

The Oshkosh Rotaract Club has meeting scheduled for the second Tuesday and fourth Thursday of each month. Please help this club "get off the ground." Thanks!

#### Bowling "Fun" Raiser

Our annula Bowling "Fun" is coming up Thursday, October 22 at Electric Lounge Lanes, 405 Wshington Street. Pin down this date and ioin the fun! Proceeds from the event will beenfit Southwest Rotary, Cerebal Palsy's Respite House. Take 5, DARE, Community Food Pantry and The Grand Opera House. Teams of four people are needed for a pledge of \$1200 per team. For every pin your team knocks down subtract one dollar from the team fee for your overall donation. Individuals can also sign up for \$300 per person (minus the score bowled). For more information. contact Marlin Greenfield (376-0403), Mike Scott (203-4310) or Randy Schmiedel (232-9997). Register today and have some Big Fun for Little (but very important) charaties!

## 2009 - 2010 Board

President: Nancy Leipzig Pres. Elect: Kris Villars Past Pres.: **Craig Burnett** Gerald Krueger Secretary: Treasurer: Kathy Hanson Foundation: David Omachinski Membership: Vicki Redlin Sgt-at-Arms: **Rov Duxstad** 

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Dist. Gov.: Bill Wresh
Zone-B A.D.G.: Karen Fredrick
R.I. President: John Kenney

## Calendar of Events

#### **Upcoming Programs**

Sept. 2 Club Business

Sept. 9 Leah Kitz – ARC-Winne.
Cty Disability Assoc.

Sept. 16 Juliette Sterkens,
audiologist , Fox Valley
Hearing Loop

Sept. 23 TBD

Sept. 30 Michael Briley, UWO Professor of Astronomy

#### **Recurring Events**

September Club Board Meeting 28 4:00 – 5:30, Robbins

#### **Other Rotary Events**

Sept. Dragon Boat Races 25 & 26 Oct. 22 Bowling "Fun" Raiser

Oct. 22 Bowling Fun Raise

#### **Christmas Decorating**

That's right, the Holiday season is just around the corner and we need vour help stringing thousands of lights Menominee Park. Due to some changes with our normal "volunteer" workers Celebration of Lights is in dire need of manpower to get the park ready for this year's light display. Both crew leaders and light stringers are needed for the two week decoration period that must be complete by before Wednesday Thanksgiving. Watch additional information, but make plans to lend a hand as Oshkosh lights up for the holiday's.

#### **Shared Harvest**

To date 5,764 pounds of fresh produce has been donated to area food pantries through the Shared Harvest Program. Volunteers are still needed to staff the various farm markets and collect donations as well as provide information about this programed designed to feed the hungry in our community with locally grown fresh produce. Contact Ken Friedman for more infomrmation. And a speical thanks to the 67 different volunteers who have already helped this summer.

(Photo: A moment at the market courtesy of Ken Friedman)

#### **Empty Bowls**

**Empty** The annual **Bowls** fundraiser will take place on Sunday, November 8 from 4 to 7 p.m. at The Waters. Participants will receive a bowl of soup, with the bowl itself being a piece of artwork created by a local artisan. All proceeds raised go towards supporting area food pantries. Watch for more infomration on how to get involved with this funraiser.

#### **New Member Proposals**

The following individuals have been recommended for membership by the Board of Directors:

Name: Jennifer Jones

Proposed by: Gretchen Marin

**Occupation:** Account

Specialist, Agile Networking

Solutions **First Posting** 

#### The Hub

If you have news to share with the rest of the club, submit items for The Hub to Jeff Potts no later than Monday afternoon. Photos, stories, and announcements of all kinds are all welcome. Send information to jeffp@grandoperahouse.org.

### Weekly Invocations

August - Melody Wollangk September - Bonnie Behnke October - Lorraine Yarbrough November - Dick Ames December - Tom Goddard

### Weekly Greeters

Aug 26 Cathy Hagene and Jeff Potts Sept 2 Glenn Curren and Bryan Hockstein

# The Hub – Info Please! <a href="https://hub@oshkoshrotarysouthwest.org">hub@oshkoshrotarysouthwest.org</a>

The District Website http://rotary6270.org

Visit RI's Website http://www.rotary.org

Visit the 2010 District Conference Website http://www.catchtherotaryball.org



# The Four Way Test

Of the things we think, say or do:

- 5. Is it the truth?
- 6. Is it fair to all concerned?
- 7. Will it build good will and better friendships?
- 8. Will it be beneficial to all concerned?