



## Topic: "Oshkosh Southwest Rotary Club"

### Rotary News & Notes

#### Announcements:

#### New Member Social "Italian Night"

On Wednesday, February 8 join your fellow Rotarians for a New Member Italian Social from 5 to 7 p.m. at Robbins.

Hors D'Oeuvres will include: pizza, garlic bread – pane all'aglio, bruschetta, Italian meatballs – polpette di carne, and beverages. RSVP to Lorraine Yarbrough, [Lorraine@cpmideastwis.com](mailto:Lorraine@cpmideastwis.com)

#### Youth Exchange Update

Congratulations to everyone associated with Rotary's outbound Youth Exchange program. In September, District 6270 will be sending 17 students around the globe to enhance their studies!

#### Uncorked & Uncapped

The Neenah Rotary and Fox Cities Morning Rotary Clubs will host the 8th annual Uncorked and Uncapped wine

and beer tasting fundraiser on **Friday, January 27, 2012** at the Best Western Bridgewood Premier Resort Hotel and Conference Center from 6:30 to 10 p.m. The event will feature more than 50 wines in many varietals and include a special theme room dedicated to wines and beers from Wisconsin.

Tickets are \$50 in advance, \$55 at the door and tickets are available through any member of Neenah Rotary, Fox Cities Morning Rotary Club, Red & White and McKnight & Carlson in Appleton, Cellars, Best Western Premier Bridgewood and Uncorked in Neenah, and Club Liquor in Menasha. For more information regarding the event, please contact Lori at 729-9975 or [friend1@tds.net](mailto:friend1@tds.net)

#### Fact or Fiction

If you haven't already, make sure to fill out a "fact" from about yourself. Two true statements and one little lie. We'll use these as a fun experiment in upcoming Hubs and at our weekly meetings. For details or to return your fact sheet – see Colleen Merrill.

### 2011– 2012 Board

<b>President:</b>	Glenn Curran
<b>Pres. Elect:</b>	Mike Scott
<b>Past Pres.:</b>	Kris Villars
<b>Secretary:</b>	Gerald Krueger
<b>Treasurer:</b>	Kathy Hanson
<b>Foundation:</b>	David Omachinski
<b>Membership:</b>	Vicki Redlin
<b>Sgt-at-Arms:</b>	Dick Ames

#### Club Service Chairs

Lorraine Yarbrough & Emily Dunham

#### Community Service Chairs

Todd Reuss & Lori Davis

#### International Service Chairs

Tom Kloeckner & Cecil Streeter

#### New Generations

Nicole Peterson & Melody Wollangk

#### Vocational Service Chairs

Bonnie Behnke & Colleen Merrill

#### Dist. 6270

**Dist. Gov.:** Nancy Rhodes  
**Zone-B A.D.G.:** Karen Fredrick

**R.I. President:** Kalyan Banerjee

### Calendar of Events

#### Upcoming Programs

Feb. 1	Club Business
Feb. 8	Barbershop Chorus, Art Loos
Feb. 15	OASD Referendum, Cheri Wirtz
Feb. 22	Environmental Awards, Tom Weber

#### Recurring Events

2nd Mon. Club Board Meeting  
(Feb. 13) 4:00 – 5:30, Robbins

#### Other Rotary Events

Feb. 24 Battle on Bago  
& 25

## Battle on Bago

The annual Battle on Bago fishing tournament will be held on February 24 & 25 in Menominee Park. This has quickly grown into one of Southwest Rotary's largest fundraising events.

Battle on Bago was created in 2007 by a group of five Oshkosh Southwest Rotarians in order to support area youth and conservation efforts throughout the state of Wisconsin. Beneficiaries receiving funds from Battle on Bago embody the mission statement of the event For Kids & Conservation and serve as just the beginning of a long list of organizations and youth Battle on Bago will benefit in the future.

Throughout the first four years of this event, it has generated net proceeds of \$10,500 in 2008 (inaugural year), \$40,340 in 2009, \$62,540 in 2010 and \$63,356 in 2011 — \$176,736 total.

More than \$100,000 in fishing and raffle prizes will be given away including cash, County Illinois Hunting trips, guns, fishing vacations, Marcum Locators, Coleman Outdoors Products, Frabill Shacks, Jiffy Augers, and best of all, there are fishing prizes in a variety of tournament placements, including a Lund 1825 Rebel XL Sport with a Mercury 115hp motor for the **200th** place winner!

Tentative schedule for the weekend includes the famous fish fry and live music by Copper Box Friday night 5 to 11 p.m.

In addition to the tournament on Saturday (6 am to 1:30 p.m.) there will be a chili cook-off, activities and giveaways for kids, and live music from The Happy Schnapps Combo from 1 to 5 p.m.

The tournament and raffle winners will be announced by emcee John Gillespie around 4 pm and more live music from Sonic Circus will close the event from 7 to 11 p.m.

For more information on Battle on Bago 2012 and a complete schedule of weekend events and fishing prizes, visit [www.battleonbago.com](http://www.battleonbago.com) or email [info@battleonbago.org](mailto:info@battleonbago.org).

## Programming Note

Miss Wisconsin - Laura Kaeppler – was scheduled to be our speaker today, but since she was recently crowned Miss America – she had to cancel. Miss Wisconsin pageant organizers tried their best to still accommodate our club meeting schedule, but unfortunately they were not able to create a program in such a short window of time. They will be rescheduled for a later date.

## Weekly Invocations

**January** Vicki Beltran

## Weekly Greeters

**January 25** Becky Metz & Bryan Hochstein

**February 1** Deb Lederhaus & Jodi Vandermolen

**February 8** John Davis & Bob Campbell

## The Hub – Info Please!

[hub@oshkoshrotarysouthwest.org](mailto:hub@oshkoshrotarysouthwest.org)

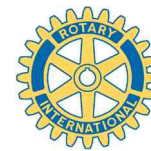
## The District Website

<http://rotary6270.org>

## Visit RI's Website

<http://www.rotary.org>

Have information for The HUB? Submit it no later than Noon on Tuesday to [jeffp@grandoperahouse.org](mailto:jeffp@grandoperahouse.org)



## 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?