The Hub of Oshkosh Southwest Rotary



Topic: "Melissa Kohn: Fox Valley Technical College Referendum"

Rotary News & Notes Announcements:

Richard Ames Fellows

Last week the first group of Richard Ames Fellows was recognized at our club meeting for cumulative individual donations of \$1,000 or more to the Oshkosh Southwest Rotary Foundation at the Oshkosh Area Community Foundation. Part of Club Service, this fund began in 2000 and today has a value of around \$90,000.

Contributions of \$2 per week can be added to your Rotary account and soon you will become a Richard Ames Fellow.

Congratulations, and thank you to:

Craig Burnett, Marcus Butts, Scott Chicoine, Art Dumke, Roy Duxstad, Karen Fredrick, Dave Geurden, Tom Hallquist, Kathy Hanson, Bob Hernke, Wendy Hielsberg, Barb Key, Gerry Krueger, John Lorfeld, Kent Mosebach, David Omachniski, Randy Schmiedel, Doug Seefeld, Tom Shepeck, Don Simons, Jim Stapel, Mark Stockli, Bill Thimke, Wanye Traska, Craig Ubbelohde and Bill Wresch.

Fact or Fiction?

Scott Chicoine

- 1) "I spent four years as a sail maker and boat rigger."
- 2) "I'm a dual US and Irish citizen"
- 3) "I acted in Rodney Dangerfield's movie *Back to School* – filmed on the UW Madison campus."

Send your "facts" – two true, one not so much – to merrillc@uwosh.edu.

New Member Proposals

The following individual has been recommended for membership by the Board of Directors:

Name: Thomas Karrels Proposed by: Brett Beaulieu Occupation: Owner/Engineer, TR Karrels & Associates

First Posting

Name: Michael Schraa Proposed by: John Butler Occupation: Owner/President,

Leon's Frozen Custard

First Posting

2011-2012 Board

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

Club Service Chairs
Lorraine Yarbrough & Emily Dunham

Community Service Chairs Todd Reuss & Lori Davis

International Service Chairs
Tom Kloeckner & Cecil Streeter

New GenerationsNicole 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

March 21 LIFE Study, Dale Feinauer

March 28 Inside look at US Senate Campaign, Dave Hayford

April 4 Oshkosh Farm Market

April 11 Building Trust, Credibility and Rapport; Paul Vidmar

Recurring Events

2nd Mon. Club Board Meeting (April 9) 4:00 – 5:30. Robbins

Other Rotary Events

April Rotary District 6270 27-29 Conference

June Brewers Game Bus Trip

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Rotary District 6270 Conference

The annual Rotary District 6270 Conference, "An International Affair," will be held at the Heidel House Resort and Conference Center in Green Lake from April 27 to 29.

The conference is hosted by District Governor Nancy Rhodes and The Rotary Club of West Allis.

Early Bird Registration (\$55 per person) ends on March 15 (cost goes up \$10 after March 15). New Rotarians (since July 1, 2011) attending their first district conference can register at the \$55 price at any time. Spouses and guests cost \$20 per person. Sign up today at www.Rotary6270.org.

You must make your own room reservations directly with the Heidel House. Rooms will be held until March 26 at a rate of \$115 per night. Contact the Heidel House Resort at 800-444-2812.

The conference will features sessions on African storytelling, global health. water and sanitation, and keynote presentations by Amy Currin of Humanitarian Landmine Clearance, PDG Doug Vincent speaking on ways individual Rotarians have made a positive difference in our world, and Fakhira, Kobi & who are working in the Israeli-Palestinian peace movement.

Group Study Exchange Teams (both outgoing and the incoming Australian team) will lead presentations and author Robert Grede will talk about his historic Civil War book.

Returning will be the House of Friendship showcasing service projects by various clubs in our district.

New this year, our conference will have a Service Project. On Friday afternoon from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. join Rotarians to help clean up Zobel Park in Green Lake.

Make sure to sign up for the annual Celebrate Rotary Golf Outing. It will be held on Friday, April 27 at Lawsonia Links, one of Wisconsin's oldest and best rated golf courses. A box lunch is included with registration. The shotgun start will begin at 11:30 a.m. Golfers will return to the Heidel House by 4:30 p.m. Cost is \$65 per person and space is limited to 72 golfers. Registration deadline for the golf outing is March 30

There will also be a Sock Hop on Friday night – so bring your poodle skirts and letter sweaters as you dance the night away to live music by The Doo-Wop Daddies.

For more information on the Rotary District 6270 Conference, visit www.Rotary6270.org or contact Sue Zwitter at 414-651-3435.

Weekly Invocations

March Craig Ubbelohde

Weekly Greeters

March 14 Brett Beaulieu & Bryan Hochstein

March 21 Karen Fredrick & Brett Beaulieu

GREETERS NEEDED: Sign up with Bryan Hochstein!

The Hub - Info Please!

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



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?