The Hub of Oshkosh Southwest Rotary Volume 40, Issue 46 - May 16, 2012



Topic: "Tom Shepeck: Outbound Student Exchange"

Rotary News & Notes Announcements:

Fact or Fiction

One of the following statements does not pass the Four Way Test. Which one is it?

Vicky Schroeder

- 1) "I was a beekeeper when I was younger."
- 2) "I have a pet chicken."
- 3) "I collect old banks."

To be a contestant on "Fact or Fiction," submit your statements (two true and one false) to Colleen Merrill at merrillc@uwosh.edu

Live at Lunch

Oshkosh Southwest Rotary Club is the sponsor of the August 8th installment of Live at Lunch in Opera House Square park, downtown Oshkosh. This Oshkosh Chamber of Commerce event is a perfect way to spend our meeting outdoors. Live music provided by KWT4, lunch by New Moon Cafe.

Waterfest

Oshkosh Southwest Rotary Club will be manning the concession stands at Waterfest on Thursday, August 16. The BoDeans will be the headlining musical act. Volunteers are needed, contact Emily Dunham or watch for a sign up sheet at your table. This is always one of the most fun ways to help raise funds for our club projects – and The BoDeans are traditionally one of the most busy nights of the season at Waterfest.

Roosevelt Picnic

The annual picnic at our PAL school will be held on Wednesday, May 30 starting at 11:30 a.m. This is a great opportunity to spend some time with the students and staff at our PAL School. Please make plans to attend and if you'd like to help with preparations, contact Marcus Butts.

Content for The Hub

If you have an announcement for our club newsletter, please e-mail it to Jeff Potts at pottse@gmail.com.

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Calendar of Events

Upcoming Programs

May 23 Max Gamerdinger, Green Lake Rotary Project

May 30 PALs Picnic at Roosevelt

June 6 Club Business

Recurring Events

2nd Mon. Club Board Meeting (May 14) 4:00 – 5:30, Robbins

Other Rotary Events

May 30 Roosevelt Picnic

June Brewers Game Bus Trip

July 25 EAA Picnic

Flying Rotarians at EAA

The annual Experimental Aircraft Association AirVenture is just around the corner, and we're happy to announce our keynote speaker for the Flying Rotarian Picnic: a member of the Tuskegee Airmen! Mark your calendars for Wednesday, July 25th.

Shared Harvest

Each summer the Shared Harvest program collects fresh produce at the Oshkosh Saturday Farmers Market. That produce is given to the Oshkosh Area Community Food Pantry. Volunteers are needed to staff our booth at the market. Shifts are approximately two hours each (8 to 10:30 a.m. and 10 a.m. to noon). Each growing season more than six tons of food has been collected for the pantry. June is also the annual Adopt-a-Tomato month - get your orphan tomato plant and watch it grow and produce fruit for Shared Harvest. Contact Ken Friedman to volunteer or adopt a tomato plant.

Changing of the Guard

Mark calendars for your Thursday, June 28 for our annual Changing of the Guard program. It's a chance for Rotarians to reflect on the past year, celebrate our successes, and say thank you to our past leadership team and welcome the new **Board** members. The event will begin at 5:30 p.m. with cocktails at Fisher's Westward Ho, 4905 S. County Road Oshkosh. Additional details and a sign up sheet will be coming soon.

Today's Rotary Lunch

rotary lunch Today's prepared entirely by two Rotary Exchange students who spent time in Mexico. Enjoy (and support our student exchange projects).

Brewers Trip June 10

There are still 9 seats left for our trip to the Brewers game on Sunday, June 10. \$100 per person includes a coach bus ride, seats in the exclusive Harley Davidson deck, a buffet and two beers at the game. Contact Dick Casey to sign up for this trip (non-Rotarians are welcome).

Book Drive

May is "Get Caught Reading" month and students at Oshkosh North High School are collecting new and like-new K-12 books to impact more than 3,500 students. To make a donation, contact LeeAnn Morrill at (920) 379-

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us. Monetary donations are also welcome, mail to: 1100 West Smith Street, c/o Reading Literacy.

All books collected will be donated to Oshkosh North High School and their feeder elementary schools.

Weekly Invocations

May Vicky Beltran

Weekly Greeters

May 16 Cecil Streeter & Jeff Potts

May 23 Becky Metz & Wendy Schaefer

May 30 Jeff Krueger & Dick Casey

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Have information for The HUB? Submit it no later than noon on Tuesday to pottse@gmail.com



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?