# The Hub of Oshkosh Southwest Rotary



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# Topic: "Dean Gruner, Theda Care: LEAN and Health Care Systems"

# Rotary News & Notes Announcements:

## **Dragonboats**

Mark your calendars for Saturday, September 22 from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. for the annual Dragonboat Race and Festival in downtown Oshkosh. Our club will once again have a team Paddlers are needed, watch for sign-up information. We still have room for paddlers on our club's Dragonboat. Contact Brett Beaulieu to sign up.

# **Bowling Fun-Raiser**

Our annual fundraiser will be held at the Electric Lounge Lanes, 405 Washington Avenue, on October 25 from 5 to 10 p.m. Teams of four people are needed or you can participate as an individual. Your initial pledge is \$300 minus the number of pins you knock down. Sign up a team today!

# Honoring Community Service

In November the club will honor members who have earned Paul Harris awards. At that time we would also like to make an award to one of two people in the community who have also followed Rotary's motto of "Service Above Self." If you know of someone who should be honored for their volunteer efforts, please write up a oneparagraph description of their work and give it to Mike Scott or Bill Wresch.

## **Exchange Student Blogs**

Two of our outbound exchange students are chronicling their experiences by blogging. You can check out what Rachael (living in Finland) and Betta (living in Peru) are doing by visiting their blogs at:

http://rachelfinland.blogspot.com and

http://bettainperu.tumblr.com/

# **Rotary Golf Outing**

The Oshkosh Southwest Rotary Club's annual golf outing will be held on Friday, September 21 with tee times starting at noon of either 9 or 18 holes. It is a scramble format. Email Vicki Beltran vlbeltran@bemis to RSVP.

## 2012-2013 Board

President: Pres. Elect: Past Pres.: Secretary: Mike Scott Lori Davis Glenn Curran Gerald Krueger &

Jeff Potts
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**Club Service Chairs** 

Lorraine Yarbrough & Nate Olson

Community Service Chairs Todd Reuss & Brett Beaulieu

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New Generations
Melody Wollangk & John Hobbins

Vocational Service Chairs
Colleen Merrill & Pete Cernohous

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Dist. Gov.: Rick Debe Zone-B A.D.G.: Jeffrey Reed

R.I. President: Sakuji Tanaka

# **Calendar of Events**

**Upcoming Programs** 

Sept 26

District Governor Rick

Debe

Oct. 3

Club Business – Community Service

Oct. 10

Laura Fisher, Ansel Adams at The Paine

#### **Recurring Events**

2nd Mon. (Oct. 8)

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

#### **Other Rotary Events**

Sept.

**Golf Outing** 

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Sept. Dragonboat Races

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Oct. 25 Bowling FUN Raiser

#### **Public Relations**

Committee chairs, club members. anyone who is working on a program or event for the Oshkosh Southwest Rotary Club please fill out and submit event information forms. They are available for download club website. at our www.oshkoshsouthwestrotary.or g. This information will be used to spread the word in our community about all the great things we are doing. Completed forms should be submitted to Vicky Redlin. VRedlin@co.winnebago.wi.us. Thanks in advance for your help with our public relations efforts.

### **Vocational Service**

Thanks to the Vocational Service chairs our club will be taking a field trip this fall to learn about a local business. On Wednesday, November 21 we will have the option of touring Curwood/Bemis during regular meeting time. Sign-ups are coming soon. The goal is to visit local businesses twice a year. A roundtable will be held at Robbins.

#### **Mums for Sale**

Oshkosh Southwest Rotary is selling hardy mums for fall decorating! The mums come in three beautiful colors and are grown right here so they will thrive in our climate. Hrnak's Flowerland is supplying the mums. Rotarians are selling coupons for \$8 each that you

purchase from club may members and bring to Hrnak's on 9<sup>th</sup> Ave. in Oshkosh, to pick out your mum. All proceeds from this First Ever Fall Mum Sale will be donated to the Oshkosh Area Food Pantry. There are a limited number of mum coupons available for purchase from any Oshkosh Southwest Rotary Club member.

## Mike Lyster Update



It was great to see Mike Lyster at our club meeting last week. He's had a long battle with medical problems and the weeks ahead will continue to test his resolve.

Mike will be travelling to Illinois for eight weeks of radiation therapy. Keep him in your thoughts and prayers and keep track of his progress at: <a href="http://www.caringbridge.org/visit/mikelyster">http://www.caringbridge.org/visit/mikelyster</a>. Good luck Mike. Get well soon!

## **Weekly Invocations**

September Jacci Belter

# **Weekly Greeters**

**September 19** Patty Shea & Steve Poeschl

# 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 <a href="mailto:pottse@gmail.com">pottse@gmail.com</a>



# 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?