The Hub of Oshkosh Southwest Rotary



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Topic: "Troy Durkee: Oshkosh Food Pantry / International Service Update"

Rotary News & Notes Announcements:

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!

Paul Harris Awards

On November 14 the club will give Paul Harris Awards to members who have contributed over \$1000 to the Rotary Foundation. Seven members of the club will receive multiple awards for even larger donations to the Foundation. The Award is named after the founder of Rotary, Paul Harris, a Wisconsin native who went on to practice law in Chicago and founded Rotary in 1905 with 3 other businessmen.

Those who will receive the awards are:

Amy Montgomery
Doug Seefeld - Paul Harris +2
Jerry Krueger - Paul Harris +2
Karen Stauffer - Paul Harris +2
Barb Herzog - Paul Harris +2
Dick Ames - Paul Harris +3
Norm Packer - Paul Harris +3
Bob Stauffer - Paul Harris +8

Additionally, the club will award a special honorary Paul Harris Award to Dennis and Karlene Leatherman. The club Board of Directors determined that it wanted to recognize outstanding community service by non-members through this award. The Leathermans have led the very successful Farmer's market for years, and their volunteer efforts have helped establish the market as a major community-building event.

New Member Proposals

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

Name: Megan Bartelt
Occupation: Owner /
Acupuncturist at Bartelt

Acupuncture LLC

Proposed by: Melody Wollangk

Second Posting

2012-2013 Board

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

Jeff Potts

Treasurer: Kathy Hanson
Foundation: Bill Wresch
Wembership: Vicki Redlin
Sgt-at-Arms: Karen Fredrick

Club Service Chairs

Lorraine Yarbrough & Nate Olson

Community Service Chairs Todd Reuss & Brett Beaulieu

International Service Chairs
Tom Kloeckner & Mark Stockli

New Generations
Melody Wollangk & John Hobbins

Vocational Service Chairs
Colleen Merrill & Pete Cernohous

Dist. 6270

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

R.I. President: Sakuji Tanaka

Calendar of Events

Upcoming Programs

Oct. 24 Dr. Serret: Fox Valley
Plastic Surgery, "Can
plastic surgery help your
migraine headaches?"

Oct. 31 Tom Willadsen: OMG! LOL! Faith & Laughter

Recurring Events

2nd Mon. Club Board Meeting (Oct. 8) 4:00 – 5:30, Robbins

Other Rotary Events

Oct. 25 Bowling FUN Raiser

Nov. OFFSITE MEETING: at 21. Curwood/Bemis

Dec. 18 Parent Connection Christmas Party at Boys & Girls Club

Meals on Wheels

NEEDED- Rotarian's to deliver Meals on Wheels. Each Rotarian will deliver meals about five times a year and it will take about an hour to do the delivers counts as a make-up meeting). Food is picked up around 11 a.m. at Evergreen You will get the schedule for the upcoming year in November so if you need to change dates you will have time to call people and switch it. We need three people for Thursdays. If you are delivering now and can no longer do it or if you are willing to help- please let Eileen know by Oct 20th so she can take you off or put you on the schedule. **Contact** Eileen at: eileen@oshkoshareacf.org or call 920-426-3993.

Soup-er Support Idea

Today we will hear from Troy Durkee who is the new director at the Oshkosh Food Pantry. As part of the \$4,500 pledge our club has made to the food pantry, we will be raising a portion of those funds next Wednesday as we take time out to realize that not everyone eats well as we do every Wednesday afternoon. Wally has agreed to serve us only soup & salad that day and contribute the meal cost difference towards our food pantry pledge. This is a great opportunity for us to realize how much we often take for granted, while also helping out the food pantry

E-Cycling

The next Oshkosh Southwest Rotary E-cycling event will be held Nov. 10 from 9am to 1:30pm in the Festival Foods parking lot. Please spread the word to your friends, neighbors, family and co-workers that they can bring in anything that plugs in or runs on batteries to be ecycled for a monetary donation the Oshkosh Food Pantry. We will need volunteers throughout the day for unloading of items from cars and into the semi-truck. (We need muscles. guys!) We're also in need of a few empty coffee cans that I will transform into donation jars for the event and at least 3 to 4 people to collect donations on site. If you have any empty coffee cans please bring them to one of the next meetings. More info will be coming out from the PR committee next week. Special thanks to Rick and Festival for their generous help on this!! The last ecycling drive brought in \$1,300.00 so we're on our way to fulfilling our pledge for the food pantry.

Public Relations

Committee chairs. club members, anyone who working on a program or event Oshkosh Southwest for the Rotary Club please fill out and submit event information forms. They are available for download club website. www.oshkoshsouthwestrotary.or g.

Weekly Invocations

October Vicki Beltran

Weekly Greeters

October 17 Michael Schraa & John Butler

October 24 Bill Frank & Todd Slagter

October 31 Patty Shea & Terry Chier

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 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?