



Topic: "New Member Inductions"

Rotary News & Notes Announcements:

Club Holiday Party

The 2012 Oshkosh Southwest Rotary Holiday Party will be held on Wednesday, December 12 starting at 5 p.m. inside the Oshkosh Convention Center, downtown Oshkosh. Cost is \$15 per person and includes beverages, food and DJ. Spouses and significant others are encouraged to attend.

Sign-up sheets are on your table. Or RSVP to wendy@visitoshkosh.com by noon on Thursday.

Parent Connection Christmas

Each year our club helps provide a memorable holiday experience for worthy families through the Parent Connection.

This year we will provide for 52 families, including 83 children.

This year, shopping for families on our "list" will begin on Monday, December 10 at Fleet Farm. The "wrap" party will be

held on Monday, December 17 at the Hooper Building.

And mark your calendars for December 18 for our annual Christmas event for Parent Connection families at the Boys and Girls Club.

If you'd like to get involved or have any questions, please contact Bonnie Behnke, bonnie.behnke28@gmail.com or (920) 379-8351.

Shared Harvest 2012

This past growing season members of our Rotary Club, led by Ken Friedman, helped collect more than 10,000 pounds of fresh produce to donate to the local food pantry. In addition they helped facilitate transactions amounting to more than \$5,000 for those in need of food. Congratulations to everyone involved.

Burning Down the Fox

Last week our club approved expenditures up to \$5,000 in support of a new event – Burning Down the Fox sanctioned BBQ competition. (continued on page 2)

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
Membership: 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

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| Dec. 5 | Club Business |
| Dec. 12 | Angie McCarthy: Day by Day Warming Shelter |
| Dec. 19 | Pam Delap: Oshkosh Inclusive Park Project |

Recurring Events

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| 2nd Mon. (Dec. 10) | Club Board Meeting
4:00 – 5:30, Robbins |
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Other Rotary Events

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| Dec. 12 | SW Rotary Christmas Party |
| Dec. 17 | Parent Connection Wrap Party |
| Dec. 18 | Parent Connection Christmas Party at Boys & Girls Club |

(continued from page 1) The event will be held on Saturday, June 15 at Riverside Park and the adjacent Leach Amphitheater in downtown Oshkosh. Our community service chairs, Todd Reuss and Brett Beaulieu, are leading the charge. If you'd like to contribute your time, talents, or sponsorship dollars towards the event please contact Todd or Brett ASAP.

RI Fellowships

Rotary International recently announced three new Rotary Fellowships: The International Fellowship of Geocaching Rotarians, the Honorary Consuls' Fellowship of Rotarians, and the Fellowship of Rotarians PDGs (and Friends).

Rotarian Fellowships are groups of Rotarians, spouses, and Rotaractors who join together to:

- Share a common interest in worthwhile recreational activities.
- Further their vocational development through acquaintance with others of the same profession.
- Make new friends around the world.
- Explore new opportunities for service.
- Have fun and enhance their experience in Rotary.

Learn more about these new fellowships and how to connect with any of the current 65 active fellowships at Rotary.org.

Battle on Bago

The 2013 installment of Battle on 'Bago ice fishing tournament is scheduled for February 22 and 23 in Meoniminee Park. More than \$125,000 in cash and prizes will be up for grabs.

Stay up to date on the event by visiting www.battleonbago.org or contact a committee member today to offer your help with our club's largest fundraiser of the year.

RI Action Groups

The Rotary International board recognized the Rotarian Action Group for Peace at its November meeting. The new action group are Rotarians and family members working together for the purpose of advancing peace and preventing conflict through the education and activities of peace-building, peacekeeping and peacemaking. Learn more about the Rotarians Action Group for Peace on its Facebook page.

Socially SW Rotary

Make sure to like our club on Facebook and find us on Twitter to stay up to date!

Weekly Invocations

December David Green

Weekly Greeters

December 5 David Green & Mark Tushar

December 12 Patty Shea & Barb Herzog

December 19 Jim Chitwood & 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?