The Hub of Oshkosh Southwest Rotary



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Topic: "Dick Campbell: The Endurance – Shackleton's Incredible Voyage to the Antarctic"

Rotary News & Notes Announcements:

Kenya Trip – Fall 2013

Members of our club are planning a trip to Kenya this fall to visit our hospital project, Sam Mundie's coffee farm and enjoy some African wildlife.

An informational session on the trip will be held soon. If you are interested contact Tom Kloeckner, (920) 426-9044 or tom.kloeckner@edwardjones.com

SW Rotary Dancers



Who knew we had such nimble feet in our club? On Friday, April 12 the Oshkosh Convention Center will host "Dancing for Little Stars" a fundraiser for Parent Connection. The event starts at

6:30 p.m. and will feature a number of Southwest Rotarians showing off their dancing skills.

Help support Nate Olson, Jim Chitwood, Marcus Butts, Julie Pollnow, Bonnie Behnke, Karen Fredrick, Glenn Curran, Megan Bartelt, Michael Scott, Dennis Leatherman and Brett Beaulieu as they take to the stage for this worthy cause. Consider making a pledge to support the Southwest Rotary Dancers.

You can do so by going to http://www.familyservicesnew.o
rg/. Also make plans to attend the event as other club members will be competing as duos. Admission is \$40 in advance or \$45 at the door.

E-Cycling

Get ready for spring cleaning and start gathering up all your unused and forgotten electronic devices. Our club will host an E-Cycling event on Saturday, May 4 at Festival Foods. If it has an electrical cord or runs on a battery we will take it and turn it into a fundraising opportunity for our club.

2012-2013 Board

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Calendar of Events

Upcoming Programs

April 3 Club Business & New

Generations

April 10 Community for Hope

April 17 Oshkosh Boys & Girls

Club

April 24 Exchange students:

Teague and Molly

Recurring Events

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

Other Rotary Events

April 19 Rotary District 6270 to 21 Conference

Rotaract / Interact

On Tuesday, May 7 at 6 p.m. the Oshkosh Rotaract club will host an official chartering ceremony at the Algoma Club. This is a great opportunity for current Rotarians to meet with our "new generations" and support their efforts at Service Above Self. Please consider attending.

SW Rotary Scholarships

Do you know an area student who could use some extra money to further their college education? Southwest Rotary annually gives away thousands of dollars in scholarships. The deadline for applying or these funds is April 8. Information on how to apply is available through the Oshkosh Area Community Foundation. www.FoxRiverScholarshipCente r.com or on our club website. www.oshkoshrotarysouthwest.or g (click the "latest news" tab on the upper right hand corner of the home page).

District Conference

Rotary District 6270 will hold their annual conference at The Abbey Resort in Fontana, WI from April 19 to 21. Hosted by The Mukwonago Rotary Club, the theme is "Water for Life!" Online registration is open now.

Friday events include: "Pack-A-Thon Service Project" to help feed children in Tanzania Africa; an Avia Spa outing; Lake Geneva boat tour; golfing; and a dinner with guest speaker Jean Irwin discussing the "Literacy Project." Following dinner there will be a Vegas Night themed social.

Saturday includes a daylong House of Friendship, breakout educational sessions. and keynotes by Dr. Katie Wolf, founder of Friends for Health in Haiti and Chez Raginiak speaking about: W.A.T.E.R. (Will, Attitude, Teamwork, Education, Relationships).

Sunday includes a breakfast, breakout sessions and closing remarks by District Governor Rick Debe.

If you have never attended a Rotary District Conference please do so as the weekend is filled with education, fun and networking.

For complete information on the conference, go to www.rotary6270.org and click on the "District Conference" link on the bottom left of the page.

Our club will reimburse the \$75 registration fee upon request.

The Hub / Social Media

If you have something for The Hub, send it to pottse@gmail.com.

Also make sure to keep up with Southwest Rotary on social media, like us on Facebook and follow us on Twitter!

Weekly Invocations

March Lorraine Yarbrough

Weekly Greeters

March 27 Tom Karrels & Becky Metz

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?