# The Hub of Oshkosh Southwest Rotary



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# Topic: "Old Glory Honor Flights"

# Rotary News & Notes Announcements:

### **Changing of the Guard**

Oshkosh Southwest Rotary will officially thank our outgoing president and board members and welcome our new leadership team at the annual Changing of the Guard on Thursday, July 10 at The Waters (cocktails and appetizers at 5 p.m.; program at 7 p.m.). Cost is \$30 per person.

#### **Timber Rattlers Game**

Play Ball! Members of Oshkosh Southwest Rotary and their families are invited to Fox Cities Stadium on Wednesday, July 16 for some great minor league baseball action. Cheer on the "Baby Brewers" (aka WI Timber Rattlers) as they take on the Bowling Green Red Hots. Grass seats are \$4.50 per person, reserved tickets are \$7. It's "Bang for your Buck" night so hot dogs and beverages are only \$1. Sign up today.

#### Waterfest

We'll be manning the concession stands at the Leach

Amphitheater on Friday, July 25 during the Gin Blossoms concert! Sign-up sheets will circulate soon.

### **Highway 44 Clean Up**

We'll be cleaning up our portion of Highway 44 on Saturday, July 19. We'll meet at 8 a.m. at the Winnebago Home Builders office. Breakfast to follow. Contact Brad Dunn with any questions.

### **Boat Outing**

Save the date: August 13 for our annual club boat outing. Skippers and passengers are needed. Contact Jerry Hendrickson for information or watch for a sign-up sheet.

# **Bowling Fun-Raiser**

It's never too early to start planning for our next club fundraiser. Mark your calendars for October 23 at Oshkosh Lanes for our annual Bowling Fun-Raiser. More details will come soon.

## 2013-2014 Board

Nicole Peterson President: Pres. Elect: Tom Kloeckner Past Pres.: Lori Davis Secretary: Jeff Potts Treasurer: Kathy Hanson Bill Wresch **Foundation:** Eben Johnson Membership: Sgt-at-Arms: Craig Burnett Public Relations: Dawn Benish

Club Service Chairs
Autumn Urban & Steve Poeschl

Community Service Chairs Vicky Redlin & Todd Slagter

International Service Chairs Matt Bakalars & Mark Stockli

New Generations
Jessica Benesh & Patty Shea

Vocational Service Chairs
Dan Buttke & Terry Chier

Dist. 6270

Dist. Gov.: Mary Beth Seiser Zone-B A.D.G.: Jeffrey Reed

R.I. President: Gary C.K. Huang

# **Calendar of Events**

**Upcoming Programs** 

July 16 Storm Chasers

July 23 Backlot Comedy House

#### **Recurring Events**

3nd Mon. Club Board Meeting (July 21) 4:00 – 5:30, Robbins

#### **Other Rotary Events**

July 16 Changing of the Guard

July 16 Timber Rattlers game

July 19 Highway 44 Clean Up

July 25 Waterfest

July 30 Flying Rotarian Picnic at EAA

### EAA Flying Rotarian Corn Roast

29<sup>th</sup> The annual **Flying** Rotarian's "Wisconsin Style" Brat Fry and Corn Roast will be held at noon on Wednesday, July 30 at the EAA Nature Center on the AirVenture grounds. On the menu: WI fresh brats. hamburgers, hot dogs, corn, coleslaw, vegetables, chips and beverages. This is our annual meeting to welcome Rotarians from around the globe attending EAA's AirVenture. Cost is \$12 Contact per person. Mark Stockli for more information, but make plans to attend!

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# Rotary International President Gary Huang

Gary C.K. Huang, a Rotarian since 1976, has served RI as vice-president, director, Foundation trustee, International Assembly discussion group leader, regional session leader, task force member coordinator, committee member and chair, and district governor. He also was chair of the 2014 International Assembly Committee; adviser for the Permanent Fund Committee for Taiwan. Macau. and Hong

Kong; and PolioPlus advocacy adviser for Taiwan.

He has been instrumental in membership development throughout Asia. As a Rotary Foundation trustee, Huang set the goal of recruiting 100 new Major Donors in Taiwan to celebrate Rotary's centennial; the result was the addition of 106 Major Donors in 2005 and 103 in 2006, who contributed more \$2 than million to the Foundation's Annual Fund. Huang wrote about his experiences in business and Rotary in his book, "Finding Solutions, Not Excuses." He received the Civic Service Award of the Federation of Non-Profit Associations and the **Outstanding Community Service** Award from Taiwan's Ministry of the Interior. In 2001, when the Rotary International Convention was held in San Antonio, Texas, USA, he was named the city's honorary mayor.

Huang is a recipient of the Rotary International Service Above Self Award and Presidential Citation and The Rotary Foundation's Citation for Meritorious Service and Distinguished Service Award.

#### **Dick Ames Retirement**

Founding Oshkosh Southwest Rotary member Dick Ames is retiring! All Rotarians are invited to celebrate on Sunday, July 13 at the Oshkosh Town Hall from 11 to 3 p.m. Congrats Dick!

# **Weekly Invocations**

July Vicky Schroeder

## **Weekly Greeters**

**July 9** Amy Montgomery & Dennis Leatherman

**July 16** Patty Shea & Karen Fredrick

**July 23** Dick Casey & Julie Fevola

# The Hub – Info Please! hub@oshkoshrotarysouthwest.org

# The District Website http://rotary6270.org

# Visit RI's Website <a href="http://www.rotary.org">http://www.rotary.org</a>

Have information for The HUB? Submit it no later than noon on Tuesday to Jeff@VisitOshkosh.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?