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TODAY'S PRESENTATION:

Julia Rivella
Exchange Student

Today's Presentation



Today Julia Rivella will give a presentation on her home country and what she's been up to here in the USA.

Thank you, Julia!

New Member

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



First Posting

Name: John Davids
Vocation: Owner
Home Care Assistance
Proposed by: Nicole Peterson

Environmental Concerns & Beautification Committee



The Environmental Concerns & Beautification Committee will be meeting at 8:00am,

Friday, **Mar 16** at Delta Restaurant, 515 N Sawyer St, Oshkosh




2017 - 2018 Board

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Calendar of Events

Upcoming Programs

Mar 21 Beautification Awards
Mar 28 Succession Planning Grant Opportunity
Apr 4 State of Winnebago County
Apr 11 Club Business

Recurring Events

2nd Monday Club Board Meeting
Apr 9 4-5pm, Best Western Premier

3rd Friday Environmental/Beautification
Mar 16 8-9am, Delta Restaurant

Other Rotary Events

Sep 20 Perfect Pair

March is Water and Sanitation Month

Water and Sanitation- What is the Problem and How Can Rotarians Help?



What is the problem?

According to the United Nations:

Water scarcity, poor water quality and inadequate sanitation negatively impact food security, livelihood choices and educational opportunities for poor families across the world. Drought afflicts some of the world's poorest countries, worsening hunger and malnutrition. By 2050, at least one in four people is likely to live in a country affected by chronic or recurring shortages of fresh water.

Water scarcity affects more than 40 per cent of the global population and is projected to rise.

2.4 billion people lack access to basic sanitation services, such as

toilets or latrines.

Each day, nearly 1,000 children die due to preventable water and sanitation-related diarrheal diseases.

At least 1.8 billion people globally use a source of drinking water that is contaminated with feces.

More than 80 per cent of wastewater resulting from human activities is discharged into rivers or sea without any pollution removal.

What can we do about it?

UN Sustainable Development Goal # 6. Ensure access to water and sanitation for all. (UN Development Program)

Formed in 2007, the Water and Sanitation Rotarian Action Group (WASRAG) is dedicated to helping communities to gain sustainable access to water, sanitation and hygiene. It has facilitated hundreds of projects around the world. <http://www.wasrag.org/>

Rotary's partner on polio, UNICEF, works on water focusing on the ability for children to access safe water, basic toilets, and nurturing good hygiene practices. Together Rotary and UNICEF also work in the development and implementation of our [WASH in Schools Target Challenge](#).

Numerous clubs throughout District 6270 are involved in water and sanitation projects – in Guatemala, Haiti, Kenya, Panama, and elsewhere. Get your club involved. A club in India is looking for a partner for their sanitation project (see the February 2018 District 6270 Newsletter).

<https://portal.clubrunner.ca/50114/Stories/from-district-governor-jeff-reed-7>

SAVE THE DATE



**PALs Picnic, Roosevelt School
Wednesday, May 23**



Weekly Invocations

March

Bonnie Behnke

Weekly Greeters

Mar 14

Autumn Urban

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Mar 21

Nate Olson

Vicky Redlin

Meeting Location

Best Western Premier,
1 N Main St, Oshkosh

SW Rotary Website

oshkoshrotarysouthwest.org

The District Website

rotary6270.org

Rotary International Website

rotary.org

[Oshkosh Rotary Southwest](#)

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no later than noon on Tuesdays.

