



Club of Oshkosh Southwest

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TODAY'S PRESENTATION:

Jane McCurry Renew Wisconsin

Today's Presentation



Today's presentation is by

Jane McCurry of RENEW Wisconsin. A nonprofit organization that promotes renewable energy in Wisconsin. They work on policies and programs that expand solar power, wind power, biogas, local hydropower, geothermal energy, and electric vehicles. Since 1991 they have been a champion for clean energy solutions in the Badger State.

Thank you, Jane!



We'll also hear from Sue Schnorr

on the future of Shared Harvest.

Battle on Bago - 2020



Mark your calendars for Battle on Bago 2020,

Feb 21-22

RAFFLE TICKETS ~ Return unsold raffle tickets or (hopefully) money by Feb 12 to Jeff Krueger. Make checks payable to Battle on Bago.

Remember: 100% of the proceeds from the sale of these tickets comes right back to our club.

VOLUNTEER ~ sign up sheets on tables each week.

For more information, contact John Rowe.

http://www.battleonbago.org/

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Bylaws

Today we vote as a general membership on the updated bylaws as sent out via email on 1/16 & 1/28.



Scholarships



If you have or know of any graduating seniors that might be interested in applying for our scholarships please let them know.

The fillable application is available on our website

http://www.oshkoshrotarysouthwest.org our Facebook page Oshkosh Rotary Southwest,

For more information, contact Jessica Benesh or Kari Seefeldt.

Deadline: 2/28/2020

Let's Get Social



Let's Get Social Wednesday, Jan 29 ~ Leroy's Thursday, Feb 6 ~ Bar 430

5:30pm - ???

Former Members



The following individuals left our club since October 2019.

Alex Frost, Scott Peck Karen Schneider Kevin Corkin

Thank you for your Service Above Self.

2019 - 2020 Board

PresidentTodd SlagterPresident ElectJessica BeneshPast PresidentNate OlsonSecretaryKarlene LeathermanTreasurerKathy HansonSergeant-at-ArmsTom Kloeckner

Avenues of Service

Club

Becky Metz & Griffin Pollnow

Community:

Mike Vaughan & Jeff Krueger

International:

Nick Hahn & Bill Thimke

New Generations:

Marcus Butts & Kari Seefeldt

Vocational:

Vicky Redlin & Gretchen Herrmann

Committees

Foundation: John Westphal & Matt Bakalars **Membership:** Nate Olson & Autumn Urban

Programs: Kari Seefeldt
Public Relations: Vicky Redlin
Greeters / Invocations: Sue Schnorr

District 6270

District Governor Steen Sanderhoff
Area-B Asst Governor Karen Schibline

RI President Mark Daniel Maloney

Calendar of Events

Upcoming Programs

Feb 5 Parent Connection
Feb 12 Justice Support Services
Feb 19 Oshkosh Area Community Pantry
Feb 26 Beautification Awards

Recurring Events

2nd Monday Club Board Meeting Feb 10 4-5pm, Revs Bowl Bar & Grill

2nd Thurs Environmental/Beautification Feb 13 8-9am, JP Coughlin Bldg



Welcome our newest
"Red Badge" Southwest Rotarian
Karen Boehm

Safari with Sam



If you are interested in the African Safari in

2020 to visit our own Sam Muinde in Kenya, the deadline has been extended to February 15.

Bowling FUNraiser



Join us for a fun night of bowling in the name of Rotary.

Choose to bowl with your friends, or bring your family along for a great night of bowling.

Friday, Feb 7, 6-8pm

For more information, contact Erik Gialdella, Gretchen Herrmann, Becky Metz, or Griffin Pollnow



Saturday Apr 18

Stay tuned for more information.

Back in the Day

(a new series ~ excerpts from the 25 year anniversary book)

1974-75

Membership Growth

Early in the year, about September, Governor Mikula congratulated Southwest on gaining three new members, the district high, but...

District Governor Jack Mikula presented Oshkosh Rotary (Downtown) the membership growth trophy for the year.

The year ended with 29 members.

Attendance

At one point in October, the Hub editor chastised members attendance for being as low as 40%. The following month, the Hub editor chastised the membership for coming! Attendance up to 89% and the room was too small.

You can't win, can you?

Budget Woes

Meal cost went up to \$2.75 each week. Annual dues remained at \$140.

The club expenses from noon luncheons, project expenses, dues and charitable contributions were \$4919.42, but dues from the 28 members totaled \$3920.00

Charitable contributions went for three \$50 savings bonds as scholarships, \$14 for a Haiti project, \$240 for Rotary International Foundation.

At the half way point in the year, dues increased to \$45 per quarter, a 30% increase!



Invocation January Sue Schnorr / Carmen Scott

Greeters
Jan 29
Brad Dunn
Dan Lenz
Jan 29
Erik Gialdella

Shelly Hurzeler

Today's Meeting Location

Best Western Premier 1 N Main St, Oshkosh WI

SW Rotary Website

<u>oshkoshrotarysouthwest.org</u> (currently under re-construction)

The District Website rotary6270.org

Rotary International Website rotary.org



Oshkosh Rotary Southwest

Have information for The HUB? Submit to

hub@oshkoshrotarysouthwest.org no later than noon on **Mondays**.



THE FOUR-WAY TEST Of the things we think, say or do

first Is it the **TRUTH**?

second
Is it FAIR to all concerned?

third
Will it build GOODWILL
and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?

fourth
Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?