



TODAY'S PRESENTATION - OFFSITE:
MToxins Venom Lab
Nathaniel Frank

Today's Presentation

**Today we are offsite at
MToxins Venom Lab
717 Oregon St, Oshkosh.
Tour begins at 12:30pm.
There will be no lunch served
and you will not be charged.**



Nathaniel Frank, owner of MToxins Venom Lab in Oshkosh, opens a container holding a very unhappy and deadly cobra. Using a hook he pins down the back of its head, grabs it right behind the jaw hinge with his hand, and pushes the fangs—swollen with venom—through a membrane over a vial, extracting the venom. He then returns the snake to its home, all within 40 seconds. It's a skill he regularly practices and often lets visitors observe—but only behind a thick panel of glass.

Frank has been extracting venom from snakes for over a decade. He got started because he was the only person in the US who owned a Malaysian blue coral snake and some researchers asked if he could send them venom samples.

He found a mentor to show him the ropes and it grew from there.

Now he extracts venom from 1,100 snakes and scorpions. Some of it is shipped to companies that make anti-venom to treat venomous snake bites around the world and some to venom researchers.

Thank you Nathaniel!

<http://www.mtoxins.com/>

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 25, 6-8pm

Revs Bowl Bar & Grill,
275 N Washburn, Oshkosh

For more information, contact
Becky Metz or Griffin Pollnow

Sleep in Heavenly Peace Bed Build



**Saturday, Feb 26
10am**

**1935 Stillman Dr,
Oshkosh**

Volunteers needed!
SIGN UP!

<https://forms.gle/3cxC5riWf8ENJDvHA>

(No special skills required).

Stay tuned for updated information.



Calendar of Events

Upcoming Programs

- Feb 9 **Big Futures**
/Boys & Girls Club
Jay Gibson
- Feb 16 **Parent Connection**
Kenlin Grams
- Feb 23 **Beautification Awards**
Tom Weber, Vicky Redlin
- Mar 2 **Changes in Sleep Health as You Age**
Dr Srinivas Bhadriraju
- Mar 9 **Community for Hope**
Sarah Danahy
- Mar 16 **Inductions / Paul Harris Club Day**
- Mar 23 (open)
- Mar 30 **Light the Night Leukemia & Lymphoma Society**
Jess Pfister
- Apr 6 **WI Prescription Drug Monitoring Program**
Secretary Dawn Crim
- Apr 27 **Kenya**
Sam Muinde

Events

- Feb 18-19 **Battle on Bago**
Menominee Park
- Feb 25 **Bowling FUNraiser**
Revs Bowl Bar & Grill

Recurring Events

- 2nd Monday Feb 14 **Club Board Meeting**
Revs Bowl Bar & Grill,
275 N Washburn, Oshkosh
4:00pm
All are welcome to attend!

Mac 'n Brew '22



**Saturday
Apr 9**

Stay tuned for more information.

**Battle on Bago – 2022
TICKETS DUE TODAY**



Mark your calendars for Battle on Bago 2022, Feb 18-19

If you are purchasing or selling raffle tickets, please contact Karlene Leatherman.

Return unsold tickets or (preferably) money & ticket stubs to Karlene by Feb 2.

Make checks payable to **Battle on Bago**. (You may not bill your Rotary account for the tickets)

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



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Exciting updates coming!



Craig Burnett



SERVE TO CHANGE LIVES

Words of Inspiration

February

Brad Dunn
Carmen Scott

Greeters

Feb 2 ~
Mike Vaughan
Feb 9 ~
Nate Olson

Today's Meeting Location

MToxins Venom Lab
717 Oregon St, Oshkosh

SW Rotary Website

oshkoshrotarysouthwest.org

The District Website

rotary6270.org

Rotary International Website

rotary.org



[Oshkosh Rotary Southwest](https://www.facebook.com/oshkoshrotarysouthwest)



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?