

TODAY'S PRESENTATION:

TEDxOshkosh – Jim VandeHei

The Art of Smart Brevity - Write Less, Say More

Today's Presentation



Today we will watch a TEDxOshkosh presentation by Oshkosh native Jim VandeHei.

Never have humans talked, tweeted or texted more words - and found it more difficult to be heard.

Veteran journalist Jim VandeHei, created Axios to be an audience-first solution to today's chaotic climate. The need for a new, effective, way to communicate isn't confined to journalism.

Jim's TEDxOshkosh talk will share the lessons he learned from running a media company that you can use to bust through the noise.

"Our data shows that more often than not, if you share a news story on social media you've never read it."

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NGy1o4jLkJc>

Scholarships



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

Deadline 3/11/2022

<https://www.oshkoshrotarysouthwest.org/assets/content/files/download/oshkosh-rotary-southwest-scholarship-hs-2022.pdf>

District Conference



Join Rotarians from Districts 6220, 6250 & 6270

April 29 - 30, Elkhart Lake, Wisconsin

The Rotary Western Great Lakes District Conference, intended for **any** Rotarian, not just leadership, is set for Friday April 29 & Saturday April 30, 2022.

Attendance will be in person at the The Osthoff Resort, Elkhart Lake, WI. Attendees from Districts 6220, 6250 and 6270 will have the opportunity to gain useful skills that can be used in their Rotary club, and inspiration that will motivate them to embrace Rotary even more.

Internationally-known featured speakers will provide keen insights about their passion projects during the addresses on both days.

<https://www.rotarywglconf.org/>



Calendar of Events

Upcoming Programs

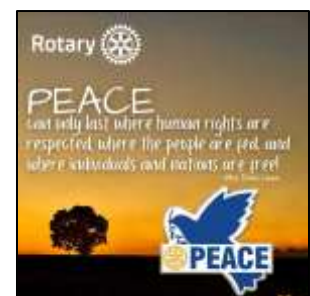
- Mar 9 **Community for Hope**
Sarah Danahy
- Mar 16 **Inductions / Paul Harris Club Day**
- Mar 23 **GO-EDC**
Tricia Rathermel
- Mar 30 **Light the Night Leukemia & Lymphoma Society**
Jess Pfister
- Apr 6 **WI Prescription Drug Monitoring Program**
Secretary Dawn Crim
- Apr 13 **Operational K9 Medical Team of WI**
Lyn Schuh
- Apr 20 (open)
- Apr 27 **Kenya**
Sam Muinde

Events

- Apr 9 **Mac 'n Brew**

Recurring Events

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



Mac 'n Brew '22



Saturday, April 9,
6-10pm
Sunnyview Expo,
500 Cty Rd Y,
Oshkosh

Purchase tickets online only
<http://macandbrew.rsvpify.com>

Advance tickets \$30/person
Tickets at the door \$40/person

**** 21 AND OVER ONLY ****

Included in your ticket:

- Souvenir pint glass
- Mac & Brew sampling: 6pm-8pm
- “Mac” from:
Becket’s, Dublin’s, Gabe’s,
Ground Round, J’s BBQ, Piloras Café,
The Roxy, TJ’s Harbor, ZaRonis
... *more coming!*
- “Brew” from:
Ahnapee Brewery, Fox River Brewing,
Knuth Brewing, Noble Roots Brewing
... *more coming!*
- Wine from:
Rushford Meadery, Vines & Rushes
- Soda, water
- “After Brew” beer by Lee Beverage.
- Pizza
- 8pm-10pm: music by Audiochonk

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- Pioneer Marina
- Revs Bowl Bar & Grill
- WOSH News Talk Radio
- WVBO 103.9 Classic Hits

For more information contact
Mike Vaughan, Jeff Krueger,
Karlene Leatherman.

We will be looking for volunteers to serve at the event. Watch for sign-up sheets or contact Mike or Karlene.

The Rotary Bell

Thanks Dick Ames for getting our bell fixed!



Rotary’s history informs many of today’s practices. Many traditions, while never officially mandated or sanctioned, are such a part of current Rotary culture that some Rotarians could not imagine their Rotary experience without these long-standing practices. Ringing a bell is one of these traditions that has been around for almost a century, but never mandated. Many clubs have a bell – and others do not. It’s a choice... so where did the tradition come from?

It started with an attendance contest between Rotary clubs in London and New York City in 1922. The losers of the contest, London, had to present a prize to the winner, NYC. The prize was a bell from a popular patrol boat, which was placed on wood that came from HMS Victory Admiral Nelson’s vessel at the battle of Trafalgar.

Since then, the bell at Rotary meetings began to represent, as on the ships, order, discipline and time to guide clubs through the weekly meetings. The bell is often sounded to mark the beginning of a Rotary meeting, at which time people stand for their opening ritual, which varies from club to club. Many clubs also ring it to indicate adjournment of a meeting. Both bells and gavels have a long association with Robert’s Rules of Order, the definitive manual of parliamentary procedure in North America.

Early Rotary leaders adopted Robert’s Rules as a way to govern meetings. The gavel symbolizes the authority of a club president or meeting chair to manage a meeting. When presidents transfer their positions to their successors at the end of the year, they may give the bell a last ring and turn the gavel over to their successor, symbolizing the transfer of leadership.



SERVE TO CHANGE LIVES

Words of Inspiration March

Carmen Scott
Brad Dunn

Greeters Mar 2 ~

Amy Albright
Becky Metz

Mar 9 ~
Jim Chitwood

Today’s Meeting Location

Best Western Premier
Athearn Ballroom, 1 N Main St,
Oshkosh

SW Rotary Website
oshkoshrotarysouthwest.org

The District Website
rotary6270.org

Rotary International Website
rotary.org

[Oshkosh Rotary Southwest](#)

Rotary

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?