



## ***Topic: "Clarence 'Inky' Jungwirth: Oshkosh History"***

### **Rotary News & Notes Announcements:**

#### **SW Rotary Dancers**



Who knew we had such nimble feet in our club? On Friday, April 12 the Oshkosh Convention Center will host "Dancing for Little Stars" a fundraiser for Parent Connection. The event starts at 6:30 p.m. and will feature a number of Southwest Rotarians showing off their dancing skills.

Help support Nate Olson, Jim Chitwood, Marcus Butts, Julie Pollnow, Bonnie Behnke, Karen Fredrick, Glenn Curran, Megan Bartelt, Michael Scott, Dennis Leatherman and Brett Beaulieu as they take to the stage for this worthy cause. Consider making a pledge to support the Southwest Rotary Dancers.

You can do so by going to <http://www.familyservicesnew.org/>. Also make plans to attend the event as other club members will be competing as duos. Admission is \$40 in advance or \$45 at the door.

#### **District Conference**

Rotary District 6270 will hold their annual conference at The Abbey Resort in Fontana, WI from April 19 to 21. Hosted by The Mukwonago Rotary Club, the theme is "Water for Life!" Online registration is open now.

Friday events include: "Pack-A-Thon Service Project" to help feed children in Tanzania Africa; an Avia Spa outing; Lake Geneva boat tour; golfing; and a dinner with guest speaker Jean Irwin discussing the "Literacy Project." Following dinner there will be a Vegas Night themed social.

Saturday includes a daylong House of Friendship, breakout educational sessions, and keynotes by Dr. Katie Wolf, founder of Friends for Health in Haitai and...

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### **2012-2013 Board**

**President:** Mike Scott  
**Pres. Elect:** Lori Davis  
**Past Pres.:** Glenn Curran  
**Secretary:** Gerald Krueger & Jeff Potts

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**Foundation:** Bill Wresch  
**Membership:** Vicki Redlin  
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**Club Service Chairs**  
Lorraine Yarbrough & Nate Olson

**Community Service Chairs**  
Todd Reuss & Brett Beaulieu

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Tom Kloeckner & Mark Stockli

**New Generations**  
Melody Wollangk & John Hobbins

**Vocational Service Chairs**  
Colleen Merrill & Pete Cernohous

**Dist. 6270**  
**Dist. Gov.:** Rick Debe  
**Zone-B A.D.G.:** Jeffrey Reed

**R.I. President:** Sakuji Tanaka

### **Calendar of Events**

#### **Upcoming Programs**

March 13 Patrick – Exchange Student

March 20 TBD

March 27 Dick Campbell: The Endurance – Shackleton's Incredible Voyage to the Antarctic

#### **Recurring Events**

2nd Mon. Club Board Meeting  
(March 4:00 – 5:30, Robbins 11)

#### **Other Rotary Events**

April 19 Rotary District 6270  
to 21 Conference

...Chez Raginiak speaking about: W.A.T.E.R. (Will, Attitude, Teamwork, Education, Relationships).

Sunday includes a breakfast, breakout sessions and closing remarks by District Governor Rick Debe.

If you have never attended a Rotary District Conference please do so as the weekend is filled with education, fun and networking.

For complete information on the conference, go to [www.rotary6270.org](http://www.rotary6270.org) and click on the "District Conference" link on the bottom left of the page.

### **New Programs for Member Assistance**

Recently the Oshkosh Southwest Rotary Board of Directors unanimously passed a resolution that would put out a helping hand to any fellow Rotarian from the club that may need financial assistance. We all know that at any time a person may lose their job for various reasons or be inflicted with some other personal financial burden. With this being the case, the club developed two options to help out a member in need by providing temporary assistance until they are able to get their finances back in working order.

The first part of the Member Assistance Program is establishing a fund for financial assistance for members due to

loss of employment, health problems or other factors. The assistance would cover the cost of meals and dues for a period up to six months. The following parameters would need to be met: The Rotarian has to be a member in good standing with 60% attendance for the last two years and who has participated in club programs and events. Club members may ask for this assistance for themselves or it can be requested from a fellow club member. The current president and treasurer will determine the member's eligibility and the program will be administered confidentially.

The second part of this program comes under what is called Member Service. Using the club's website we will provide an area for job opportunities from Rotarians and resumes of Rotarians to help those in need of employment and good employees. Complete details are still coming together, but the hope is to provide a place to connect Rotarians for employment opportunities.

We are constantly looking for ways to help those in need. With that concept in mind, let's make sure we help those that are looked upon as being valued members of our organization.

### **The Hub**

If you have something for The Hub, send it to [pottse@gmail.com](mailto:pottse@gmail.com)

## **Weekly Invocations**

**March** Lorraine Yarbrough

## **Weekly Greeters**

**March 6** Dawn Benish & Glenn Curran

**March 13** Patty Shea & Todd Reuss

**March 20** Bill Bowman & Megan Bartelt

**March 28** Tom Karrels & Becky Metz

## **The Hub – Info Please!**

[hub@oshkoshrotarysouthwest.org](mailto:hub@oshkoshrotarysouthwest.org)

## **The District Website**

<http://rotary6270.org>

## **Visit RI's Website**

<http://www.rotary.org>

Have information for The HUB? Submit it no later than noon on Tuesday to [pottse@gmail.com](mailto:pottse@gmail.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?**