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## TODAY'S PRESENTATION:

**Heroes of Oshkosh  
Adam BellCorelli**

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Today's presentation is by Adam BellCorelli.

The "Heroes of Oshkosh" Facebook group is now up to more than 7,000 members. People can post needs they may have, or items or services they'd be willing to offer others. Roughly 40 people work behind the scenes to connect donors and recipients.

Thanks Adam!

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/1242872485923802/>



**SEE YOUR EMAIL FOR MEETING ID AND LINK**

Oshkosh Rotary Southwest Club is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

This is our weekly meeting.

Zoom can be accessed from smart phones (Android & iPhones), tablets & desktop/laptop computers.

You do need the Zoom App on your device before starting, so please do so before the meeting time. You do not need a Zoom account, just the app.

Around Noon Wednesday, open the Zoom app and it will ask you to enter the Meeting ID

Depending the device, you will be asked some prompts, just allow and you will be fine. If you log in prior to the meeting time, you will be able to see, hear and chat with others as they log in. Once the official meeting starts, you all will be muted. If you want to say something, raise your hand to be recognized. You will be unmuted when it is your time to speak. This is new to many of you but it really is quite easy.

### From DG Steen Sanderhoff

#### April is Maternal and Child Health Month

What a difference a month can make! Many people have been laid off, working from home or working on the front lines in supermarkets, hospitals or essential businesses or institutions. Rotary meetings and events have been cancelled and we are all trying to adjust to a new virtual reality. Rotary is more important than ever. It is in times like this Rotarians step up to the plate, show leadership, compassion and strength.

Rotary International is similarly adjusting and trying to accommodate the ever-changing needs of the Clubs and Districts. Access funds have been made available for emergency District Grants and our District Grants Committee is accepting applications and will payout grants as soon as possible. It would be great to have more funds available, but this is a reminder of how important it is to donate to the Rotary Foundation.

It is important we continue to meet and do good work. If not in person, then virtually. Don Griffing and Andy DeWitt have offered to help Clubs sign up with Zoom, please see contact information below. Several Clubs have already started to meet on-line with great success, and I encourage you to sign up. For some of us it is outside our comfort zone, but we can all learn, and we will be better for it when this is over, and the virtual environment is part of our everyday life.

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It is important we learn from each other and the District has established two folders on the District website where Rotarians and Clubs can post and exchange ideas, projects and best practices. Please communicate with each other, it will increase our reach and impact.

Rightfully so, we are caught in the very serious current situation, but we also must think long term and cannot forget the projects and goals we have set. Polio is an example of the healthcare crises that started in 1940-1950s and is still present in the world. We need to finish the job; we are so close. Please keep donating to PolioPlus.

The programs of The Rotary Foundation continue to need your support. Janice and I just returned from a field trip to Guatemala with a group of Rotarians and Rotaractors from Fond du Lac and Milwaukee. The impact Rotary has is impressive. I would like to tell you and your Club more about it.

It was very difficult to cancel our District Convention, and so it must have been to cancel the International Convention. Janice and I looked forward to seeing you and celebrating an otherwise successful year.

Stay active and healthy and let Rotary Connect the World.

**Terry Gintner**

Terry Gintner has passed away. He was a member of Southwest during the 90's. He was a barber in Lake Aire shopping center. A memorial service will be in August. His obituary was in Sunday's Northwestern.



The **April** meeting of the Board of Directors will be held **Monday, Apr 13, 4pm** via ZOOM Video Conferencing. Watch emails for meeting ID



**Project 5490 ~ Amy Albright, Kris Larson, Zack Palowsky**

A super easy way to support local is to purchase gift cards. We are trying to make it super easy! This is great during these interesting times, but forever too!

Check out this one-stop shop. Please share like crazy ... important stuff! (AND ... if your business is not on this page...it's a FREE service ... follow the contact link and send along details!)

For more information, contact Amy Albright.

**Event Updates**



Cancelled

Rescheduled to June 20



Rescheduled to October 20

**What's Open in Oshkosh?**



From Visit Oshkosh ...

We will keep this list as updated as possible. With the rapidly changing circumstances, we cannot guarantee all the information is correct. We recommend reaching out to the specific business if you have any questions. We strongly encourage everyone to follow the guidelines set by local health officials at all times.

<https://www.visitoshkosh.com/covid-19/whats-open-in-oshkosh/>

<https://www.facebook.com/search/top/?q=project%205490>

<https://www.project5490.com>



**2019 - 2020 Board**

<b>President</b>	Todd Slagter
<b>President Elect</b>	Jessica Benesh
<b>Past President</b>	Nate Olson
<b>Secretary</b>	Karlene Leatherman
<b>Treasurer</b>	Kathy Hanson
<b>Sergeant-at-Arms</b>	Tom 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 - Tentative**

Apr 15	Aurora Health Care
Apr 22	TBD
Apr 29	TBD

**Recurring Events**

2nd Monday	Club Board Meeting
Apr 13	ZOOM Online

Cancelled	Environmental/Beautification
Until further notice	8-9am, JP Coughlin Bldg

SW Rotary Website  
[oshkoshrotarysouthwest.org](http://oshkoshrotarysouthwest.org)  
 (currently under re-construction)

The District Website  
[rotary6270.org](http://rotary6270.org)

Rotary International Website  
[rotary.org](http://rotary.org)



[Oshkosh Rotary Southwest](http://OshkoshRotarySouthwest.org)