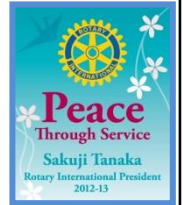


RI Theme 2011-12
"Reach Within to Embrace Humanity"

The Rotary Club of Stevens Point [WI]

PO Box 908, Stevens Point, WI 54481
Club 2673 District 6220



August 8, 2012



Rotary Club of Stevens Point Jim Anderson



Ellis Stone

'The Construction and Building Scene in PC'

Program Arrangements: Jim Anderson



GREETERS

Aug 8 – LeRoy Heiser & Cheryl Breit



Aug 15- Martin & Billings; 22-Murillo & Simmons; 29-Huntoon & M. Johnson

Coming Events

AUGUST 2012 RI THEME – Membership and Extension Month

Rotary International's 107th Year and Our Club's 95th

Rotary Intl: www.rotary.org District: www.ridistrict6220.org

Our Club: www.stevenspointrotary.com

Polio UPDATE Daily - <http://www.polioeradication.org/Home.aspx>



UWSP ROTARACT – <http://www.facebook.com/pages/UWSP-Rotaract/153776281332253>

Morning Club – Greater Portage County www.portagecountyrotary.com

Friday 7 a.m. @ Portage County Annex Building, Conf Rooms 1 & 2, 1462 Strongs Ave

Rotary Basics – great site – check it out!

<http://www.rotary.org/EN/MEMBERS/NEWMEMBERS/ROTARYBASICS/Pages/TheOrganizationofRotary.aspx>

Rotary News & Views

-- Of the Club and Otherwise



Guests and Rotarian Visitors

- Visiting Rotarian Fred Leafgren, Toronto - Forest Hill
- Visiting Kiwanis Sam Dinga, Diversity Relations, Travel Guard [Kevin Quevillon]
- Visiting Rotarian Leif Hagen, Past Pres, Egan Rotary, MN [daughter in Suzuki], SPASH graduate; led GSE to India in 2009; Assistant Governor

Announcements

- **Zoé Hoche**, our 2012-13 RYE Inbound from France arrives August 13th, 8:45 p.m., Delta from Detroit. **Join us at CWA to greet her.**
- **Project Fresh Start** – Bring your school supply contributions to the August 8th or 15th meeting – Patti Cahill will collect for United Way and add it to contributions from around the county for consolidation at Ben Franklin and distribution on Aug 18th. This project of United Way targets necessary school supplies to students who qualify for the free or reduced price meal program at a time when lower-income families are tight for money. There are more than 3,000 students in PC eligible for the program. **Cash donations fine - we can do the shopping for you. Tax receipts provided.**
- **United Way 2012 Fund Raising Campaign kicks off August 25 with RUN BIKE UNITE** This Duathlon features
 - A start at Sentry Headquarters on North Point.
 - It's a chip-timed event with a two-mile run, then a 13-mile bike ride and finishes with another two-mile run.
 - There are competing classes for individual male or female, age groupings and teams for all male, female or co-ed.
 - The courses are flat, scenic, the first run on paved streets.
 - Start time 8:30 a.m.
 - Awards presented by three-time Olympian Suzy Favor Hamilton, our local Olympic Icon.
 - On-line details at www.active.com
- **ROSE SALE 2012 – October 18-20** – looking for new and creative ways to sell roses as our major fund raiser for the year.
- Sam Dinga just returned from Africa where their 7th well was completed – the \$5,000 for a well will serve a whole village. In 2009 Sam's sister, at age 40, passed away from bad water, thus his intense interest in clean water supplies. In December another well will be drilled sponsored by John and Patty Noel.
- **50-50 Raffle** – Suzanne Murphy, nope on the joker, donated lunch cost to Polio Plus.

Presenter: Portage County Executive Patty Dreier, the status of the County today, tomorrow and the future.

1. Dollars – budgets, taxes
2. People and leadership – working together, sharing experiences
3. History – culture, norms, the past
4. Voice – tone, timbre
5. Trends – people, aging, agriculture, transportation, ambulance and emergency services, communications, new technology

6. Cadence – disadvantages, climates, seasonal elections [variances], starting the election process too far in advance, leverage, trust, listening
7. Changes in the field – more mandates, need for intergovernmental cooperation and planning. Need to create futuristic agendas, trying not to prolong problems that need quick closure; looking beyond the metro area, leverage diversity
8. Media pressures ever-changing, more rapid, high tech



Happy Dollars

- \$5 former Rotarian Craig Shuler – rattled off the doings of the Shuler five kids, it was basically a blur but he updated us.
 - Oldest, Sara just finished a four week undergrad research assignment at UW-Madison where she will be freshman this fall.
 - Son Paul is a rising junior at SPASH.
 - Twin daughters, Rebecca & Allison are Ben Franklin freshman this fall.
 - Youngest, James is the ten year old whose baseball team was responsible for having Craig's hair buzzed off three weeks ago.
- \$2 – Chancellor Patterson – great picture and article about Pres. Terry in the Journal.
- \$5 – Linda Taylor – glad Journal was part of Terry Arnold's interview.
- \$2 – José Murillo - August 16th is the ARC blood drive, just drop by Community First and donate a quart or two. Open from 11 am- 4 pm
- Mary Williams – 13 yr old GD is a softball whiz/catcher with a .670 batting average. Sounds like she's about ready for Olympics.
- Steve Cywinski – thanks to Patty Dreier for her assistance in teaching him about grant writing.
- Patti Cahill – Project Fresh Start needs much more than they had last year, almost 3100 kids this year, hopefully will be able to serve 1500 through two centers.
- \$2 Tom Bertz
 - A new lawyer joining the law firm – Mark Ilten, a well known attorney around StePt is joining Anderson.
 - His daughter just had a knee replaced. At 42 she gains years of mobility.
- Bob Stack thanked all who have been policing the Green Circle segment for their great work – fall is about here.
- \$3 Sandi Retzki – 30th class reunion at Pacelli
 - Son engaged to his Pacelli sweetheart.
 - A friend of the family graduated and got a job in his field, lucky guy.

Rotary International News

Portuguese pastries will sweeten your convention experience in 2013

After sinking your teeth into the soft, custardy center of a flaky *travesseiro*, you might wonder why Portuguese pastries are not as celebrated as their French counterparts. Rotarians attending the 2013 RI Convention in Lisbon, 23-26 June, will be able to sample these delights and decide for themselves.

Lisbon's Belém district offers much to see, including the Belém Tower and Jerónimos Monastery. It also has a signature sweet called *pastel de Belém*, a petite tart sprinkled with cinnamon and powdered sugar that, with a cup of coffee, provides a perfect break from sightseeing. Using a well-guarded recipe, a bakery called Antiga Confeitaria de Belém has made *pastéis de Belém* since 1837. The recipe was first created by nuns at the Jerónimos Monastery. You can find similar treats, called *pastéis de nata*, all over Portugal.



Rotary Program Hosts and Program 2012-13
 Theme: "Peace Through Service"

Membership and Extension Month		
15	Dick Judy	Bob Kulp – Kulp’s of Stratford, Wausau Chamber 2012 SB Award Winner – ‘Doing the Math – ga with CNG’ www.kulpenergy.com
16 [7:30-	Pres Terry	Board Meeting - Library
22	DG Bob Sharkey	District 6220 Governor’s Official Visit
29	PDG Dick Judy	Terry Rothmann, ED Comm Foundation CW – ‘Common Issues Facing Education in Wisconsin - Target SPAPSD’
New Generations Month		
5	Mary Williams	Bob Williams, Post Polio Syndrome
12	PDG Dick Judy	Scouting in Portage County [Paul Tikalsky, BSA Samoset Council; Laura Martens, Girl Scouts GSNWGL]
19	PN Ann Huntoon	Kathy Foley, Director, Leigh Yawkey Woodson Art Museum, Wausau
20 [7:30-	Pres Terry	Board Meeting - Library
26	Pres Terry	Club Assembly
Vocational Service Month		
3	Pres Terry	PDG Tom Guyette, District Foundation Chair
5-7	11 th RYLA	RYLA [Rotary Youth Leadership Awards] Camp Manito-wish YMCA in Boulder Junction, WI [3-4 from our club and 2-3 from the morning club]
10		
17	Pres Terry	DGN David Yeghiaian, District 6220 2013-14 - ‘RI and District initiatives –what is occurring at the District and RI levels’
18 [7:30-	Pres Terry	Board Meeting - Library
Oct 18-	25th ROSE SALE	25th Annual Rotary Rose Sale [Sweetest Day 2012 – Oct 20]
24	Patti Cahill	Patti Cahill - LIFE (Local Indicators For Excellence) report. A community assessment is current being conducted and the report will be released in the fall.
31		
Rotary Foundation Month & World INTERACT Week		
7		
14		
15 [7:30-	Pres Terry	Board Meeting - Library
21		
28		
Rotary Family Month		
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12	?????	Possible holiday program scheduled from Dec 19
19	Leroy Heiser	SPASH Singers – 34 th Year Kicking off our Holiday Season
20 [7:30-	Pres Terry	Board Meeting - Library
26	NO MEETING	NO MEETING – Holiday Season