

ENGAGE ROTARY
 "Engage Rotary Change Lives"
The Rotary Club
of Stevens Point [WI]
 PO Box 908, Stevens Point, WI 54481
Club 2673 District 6220

July 24, 2013

Rotary Club of Stevens Point

Welcomes

Portage County Literacy Council, Inc. "Changing lives, one word at a time."

Mary Kneebone, ED

Kelly Stolpa & Lisa Vann, PC Literacy Council

"Literacy Challenges in Portage County?"

Program: President Ann

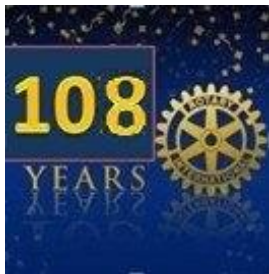


GREETERS

July 24 – Randy Zietlow & Steve Cywinski

July 31 Cliff King & Sandy Retzki

Aug 7 – Dave Marten & Terry Arnold; 14 – Rick Reyer & José Murillo;
 Aug 21 – Sandy Retzki & Ardie Lange; 28 – Terry Arnold & Bob Stack



JULY 2013 RI THEME – Literacy Month
Birthday - Rotary International's 108th Year,
Our Club's 96th

Rotary International: www.rotary.org

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

Rotary Basics – great site – check it out!

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

District 6220: www.ridistrict6220.org

NEW - District Electronic Directory and Member information

<http://www.directory-online.com/Rotary/Accounts/6220/Newsletter/0/Rotary%20District%206220%20Directory%202012-2013.pdf>

Our Club: www.stevenspointrotary.com

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 News & Views

-- Of the Club and Otherwise



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uests and Rotarian Visitors

- Jamie Sarver, Planner, Pisarski Funeral Homes [IP Terry Arnold]
- Pauline Sanders, Aunt from Ohio; Norman Corbett, Dad from CA [Brad Corbett]
- Brad Yanke, new Attorney, Anderson Law [Tom Bertz]
- Jackie Freeberg, Honorary Rotarian [Deb Freeberg]

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nnouncements

- Member Minute – José Murillo – joined Community First Bank in 1997 not replacing CEO JG Rosholt as some wonder when JG moved to Austin, TX but certainly took up some of the slack in the club, serving two terms as Secretary
- The donation for the kid's camp collection reached almost \$240 – thanks for all contributors.
- Fall RYE from Finland – Arriving CWA August 8 – about 2:30 – join the greeting party.
 - **Another reminder---** John Bergin looking for a 2nd host family for next spring for Otto. The Selwyns will be his first host while daughter Hannah is in Brazil for the year.
 - Otto Vehmasaho is 17 years old. He likes winter sports and boating.
 - His mother Saila works for a medical company
 - His father Kari is a CEO/construction management consultant.
 - Otto's home town is Espoo, Finland; was born in Helsinki; the towns are about 12 miles apart.
 - He is sponsored by the Rotary Club of Kauniainen-Grankulla, District 1420.
- Post-Polio Update – have received endorsement from WI Hosp Assn, WI Neurological Assn, and Ministry Health. The group is hard at work on the video with a launch party maybe as soon as September.
- Place of Peace meals – Kathy Brandl will be coordinating for our club. The morning club will be serving August 8th and could use volunteers to help serve and cleanup.
- Portage County to Host Wisconsin Farm Technology Days [FTD] in 2014.
 - WFTD is held each year in a different county.
 - The Visitors Bureau expects more than 80,000 over the three days, August 12-14, 2014.
 - Hundreds of volunteers will be needed for this \$1.3m event. \$250k will be raised by the host committee to showcase local businesses. All donations are tax deductible.
 - This could be a fundraiser for StePt Rotary.
 - Many details are being ironed out over the next few months.
 - This is a key event to showcase Portage County both in and out of Wisconsin.



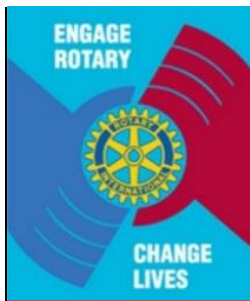
- **Raffle** – Steve Cywinski – lunch dollars went to a good cause but no joker for the big money.

Presenter – Treasurer Nick Inman – ‘Rotary 101, Dollars In, Dollars Out, Where Does it all go??

- Club is liquid and most membership dues are up to date.
- No liabilities [which most of us would like to be]
- Charity contributions are selected by the Board from group requests [we do not fund individuals]
- Last year the club, as did RCGPC, qualified for RI EREY [Every Rotarian Every Year] award as all members contributed to RIF and averaged \$100 per member. There will be very modest changes in dues with changes in RI dues structure, insurances and cost of Council on Legislation. The Board is also looking into the cost of meals as well as membership structure.

Happy Dollars

- **Bob Stack** - \$1, wife over surgery and recovering nicely; \$1 for Cliff King mention of the library in recent remarks.
- **Tom Bertz** – pleased to introduce their newest attorney and possible future member.
- **JD Manville** – announcing GS Brian Martin Manville
- **Jackie Freeberg**
 - A great WR Rafters holiday
 - The donation to her dad’s charity.
 - Just because – she’s happy.
- **Cliff King** –
 - 60th BD and admitting it plus 34th years of wedded bliss.
 - Governor signs the multivendor bill which was Skyward’s goal; so let’s party on July 31st, Sentry World complex – everyone invited – 3–6p.m.
- **Brad Corbett’s Dad** – found his way from WR to StePt CC but not easy - ha!
- **Terry Arnold** – thanks to everyone for their run course coverage for Y-run.
- **Cheryl Breit** – Tree Haven surprise.
- **Pres Ann** – welcome to new members [potential and actual]; sure happy family members among the gainfully employed.

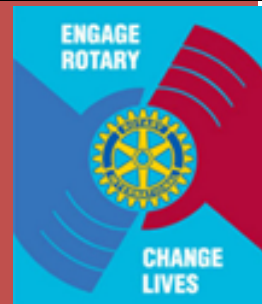


Rotary Program Hosts and Program 2013-14

District Governor 6220 David Yeghiaian

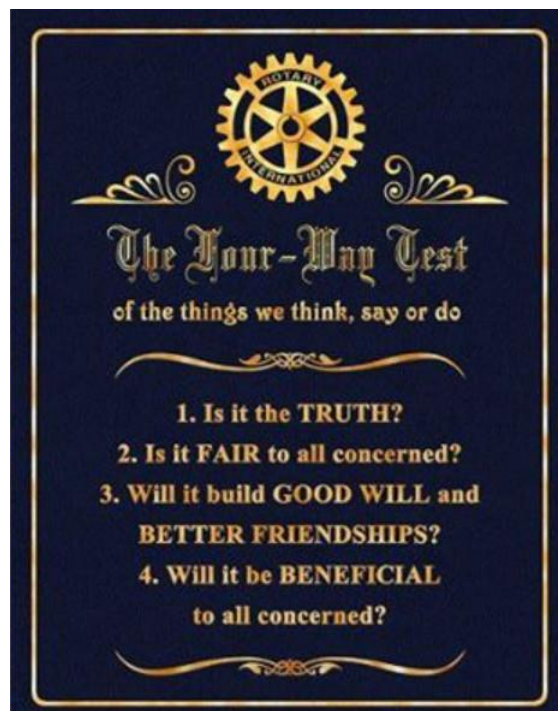
RI President Ron Burton, Norman, OK

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| Jul 2013 | | |
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| Literacy Month --New Rotary Year Begins | | |
| 31 | Al Thompson VC Stu Affairs | 'Positive UWSP Relations with the Central Wisconsin Community' |
| Aug 2013 | | |
| Membership and Extension Month | | |
| 7 | Pres Brandon Taylor | Rotary Foundation District 6220 Designated Funds [DDF] Joint Project with Morning Club |
| 14 | Mary Williams | Supreme Court Justice Ann Walsh Bradley |
| 21 | Kimberly Hass, Deputy Director | Wisconsin Judicare--Equal Access to Justice Since 1966. "Paving the Way to Justice for All" |
| 28 | Dr. Mike Curtis | Michael Fraley, "PC Cardiac Arrest Survivor Team" 'Saving Even More Following this Life Threatening Event' |
| Sep 2013 | | |
| New Generations Month | | |
| 4 | Bob Stack | Nicole Ozanich, PC Library - "Portage County Youth Services Department" |
| 11 | DG David Yeghiaian | New Rotary Year - Official DG visit |
| 18 | Kevin Quevillon Geoffrey Mburu, RCGPC | Sam Dinga - "Makah Water For All" - a project just right for a Rotary Club |
| 25 | | |
| Oct 2013 | | |
| Vocational Service Month | | |
| ????? | | 26th Annual Rotary Rose Sale [Sweetest Day 2013????] |
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| 4-6 | RYLA Weekend | YMCA Camp Manito-wish Boulder Junction |
| 9 | RYLA Report | Brenda/Eric and RYLA attendees |
| 16 | | |
| 23 | | |
| 30 | | |

Board Meetings: PC Library 7:30 a.m. - Aug 15; Sep 19; Oct 17; Nov 21; Dec 19



Adopted by RI in 1943