



RI Theme 2010-11

"Building Communities -- Bridging Continents"

The Rotary Club of Stevens Point [WI]

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Club 2673 District 6220



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Rotary Club of Stevens Point
Welcomes

PE Rick Jansing 'Beginnings'



Program Host: Pres. Jim



Greeters

June 1 – Cheryl Breit & LeRoy Heiser



June 8 – Julie Mouw & Bob Stack; 15 Ann Huntoon & Shelly Martin
June 22 – Dave McHone & Craig Rogan; 29 Bob Stack & Dick Judy

Coming Events

Status of Rotary Polio Programs <http://www.rotary.org/en/EndPolio/Pages/ridefault.aspx>

Rotary Basics – great site – check it out!

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



JUNE 2011 RI THEME – Rotary Fellowship Month

Rotary International's 106th Year and Our Club's 94th

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

Our Club: www.stevenspointrotary.com

UWSP ROTARACT – <http://students.uwsp.edu/nespi810/ROTARACT/>

Morning Club – Greater Portage County www.portagecountyrotary.com [Comfort Inn, Plover, Friday 7 a.m.]

Rotary News & Views



Guests and Rotarian Visitors

- Rotary Youth Exchange [RYE] Brazil - Diego
- Guests
 - Almost new member and Rotary transfer Jim Fetherston, new President of Worzalla Publishing. Jim was a member in Missouri and their daughter is a RYE student to Normandy, France. They will be visiting with her in June as she returns after a year abroad.

Announcements

- Scholarship Winners
 - UWSP Anna Huffman was presented her scholarship earlier.
 - SPASH – Leah Kinnard, accompanied by her parents Tim and Cheryl Kinnard and her Advisor Valerie Fetting, Department Chair, School Counselors. Leah was in 3 sports and a variety of academic honors, will attend Un Minnesota – Twin Cities for speech therapy and plans to teach at the elementary level.
 - Midstate Technical College – Chris Maguire, Foundation and Alumni Director
 - Amanda Kratz, a SPASH graduate, is majoring in business management and human resource development. Her mother Carrie Kratz and Ron Heffer attended. She is a single parent of three boys.
 - Nicholas Kubley is an IT major. He was home schooled. His parents Michael and Cindy Kubley were in attendance.
 - Cindy Mace, also IT, mother Yvonne Gruba attended.
 - The Pacelli winner Megan Shulfer will attend at a later date.
- **Highway Cleanup** - May 26 had wonderful weather AND LOTS OF TICKS. The gallant crew was Jim Anderson, Sharon Stratton, Todd Kuckkahn, José Murillo, Suzanne Murphy and Ardie. Jim recorded 12 ticks – no cost.
- **GREEN CIRCLE** – Cheryl Breit is coordinating this year. The trail walkers are scheduled though the week of June 5th – but she needs a slug of volunteers to round out the summer and early fall. Our part of the trail is the Riverpines segment running from the Stevens Point Health Center [former Riverpines] to Bliss Ave @ the StePt Treatment Plant. Volunteer now. Contact Cheryl at cbreit@capmail.org and select your week[s].
- **Summer RYE - Sweden** - Soren Anderson, Amherst HS, will spend a month in Sweden then will host his Swedish summer exchange brother Jacob Wilhelm Harsten from Kristianstad, Sweden.
- **Estelí Project funds** have been received – 14 club members contributed \$1,154.
- **RYLA** – our club will sponsor 4 for the fall's week-end program, Oct 14-16. If you have any candidates let Brenda Diamond know. We do have one candidate so far – all schools plus home schooled are eligible; sophomore or junior; adult Rotarians needed also or former RYLA to serve as mentors. Brenda has an excellent brochure used jointly w/our club and the morning club.
- **24th Annual Rose Sale 2011** will be Sweetest Weekend, Oct 13-15. The coordinating team will be working on a website for credit card/PayPal ordering.
- **50-50 Raffle** – Linda Taylor won but no joker for the twin diaper money.

Member Minute and Scholarship Presenter– Terry Arnold

Happy Dollars

- Ardie Lange and Jean did a trip to Oregon and then along the Washington coast. So beautiful. Piles and piles of snow on the way to Crater Lake but got to see it when it was most beautiful; the deepest lake in the US @ 1600'. The snow was 12' on either side of the road but had been cleared of 12" of snow from the previous day. A trip recommended for everyone.
- Todd Kuckkahn had a lot happening this past week. Daughter graduated from college and another from Pacelli.
- Nick Inman littlest sister just graduated and she is the last of seven!
- \$2 Ann Huntoon for wonderful evening for "Arts Walk" in the downtown. The Q-Gallery was jammed for the displayed art and the reading of poetry that accompanied each piece.
- Mary Williams reminded the club that she was instrumental in moving the club foundation money to Community Foundation. And, Mary always looks forward to donating a dollar for each birthday and anniversary, though it really adds up these days.
- June 1st is the Community Foundation Scholarship event - 5-6 pm at the Pfiffner Building in Pfiffner Park.
- José Murillo a big thanks for our scholarship winners and the best for their futures.
- \$2 Linda Taylor for Gannett Media which has recognized Brad Corbett's son and Cheryl Breit's daughter for their athletic and scholarship accomplishment at Port Edwards and Pacelli.
- Cheryl Breit thrilled that their daughter is off to district track competition, as she graduates from Pacelli.
- Ardie Lange had his first granddaughter to graduate.
- PDG Dick Judy and Mary Lou had a wonderful time in Madison for their grandson's Step Above dance company recital at Madison Tech. Ted and his long time partner gave a flawless performance, just another in their string of wins.

From Rotary International

ROTARY Fellowships – the theme for June!

Through programs like Rotary Fellowships, Group Study Exchange, and Rotary Friendship Exchange, Rotarians tap into an international network of people who share similar interests.

How Rotary Fellowships Operate

- Each fellowship is operated independently of Rotary International, with its own rules, dues requirements, and administrative structure.
- Membership in fellowships is open to Rotarians, spouses of Rotarians, and Rotaractors.
- Fellowships must be international in nature with active members in at least three countries.
- Each fellowship elects at least three officers to oversee the group's administration.
- Fellowships are expected to facilitate communication among their members and maintain regular communication with RI.

Some Benefits of Rotary Fellowships

- Fellowships provide opportunities for Rotarians to make lasting friendships outside of their own club, district, or country.
- Fellowships contribute to the advancement of world understanding and peace.
- Fellowships serve as an incentive for attracting new members to Rotary and retaining existing ones.

Amateur Radio
Antique Automobiles
Authors and Writers
Bird Watching
Bridge
Canoeing
Caravanning
Carnival, Parades & Festivals

Chess
Computer Users
Convention Goers
Cricket
Curling
Cycling
Doctors
Doll Lovers

Editors and Publishers
Environment
Esperanto
Fine Arts and Antiques
Fishing
Flying
Golf
Gourmets

Home Exchange
 Internet
 Italian Culture
 Latin Culture
 Lawyers
 License Plate Collecting
 Literacy Providers
 Magicians
 Magna Graecia
 Marathon Running
 Motorcycling
 Music

Old and Rare Books
 Police and Law Enforcement
 Pre-Columbian Civilizations
 Quilters and Fiber Artists
 Railroads
 Recreational Vehicles
 Rotary Global History
 Rotary Heritage and History
 Rotary on Stamps
 Scouting
 Scuba Diving
 Shooting Sports

Singles
 Skiing
 Social Networks
 Tennis
 Total Quality Management
 Travel Agents
 Travel and Hosting
 Wellness and Fitness
 Wine
 Yachting

Start a New Fellowship - If your recreational or vocational interest isn't represented by an existing fellowship, contact RI staff to learn how you can start a prospective Rotary Fellowship. rotaryfellowships@rotary.org

Future Programs -

- When you have a program please let PDG Dick Judy know so it can be entered in the schedule.
- If you need a projector and screen call the SPCC in advance.

JUNE		Rotary Fellowships Month
8	PDG Dick Judy	Bill Berry, writer – the “Voices of Rural Wisconsin” project
15	Troy Torgerson	Rotarian Efforts to Provide Special Recognition for Our WWII and Disabled American Veterans [DAV]
22	Mary Williams	Rick Reyer, WI Regional Mgr, WPR [Wausau] “WPR in Transition”
29	Pres Jim	Presentation of Paul Harris Fellows Installation of new officers – Passing the Gavel to Pres. Rick Jansing
JULY 6	Pres Rick	Club Assembly - A new Rotary Year is inaugurated!!
9 [SAT]		22 nd YMCA – Lactic Edge Triathlon – Run course marshals – a great fund raiser
13	Kevin Quevillon	Sam Dinga, “Water Crises in Sub-Saharan Africa - Changing Lives with Clean Drinking Water in Cameroon”
20	PDG Dick Judy	Margaret Lewis, ED, WI Acad of Sciences, Arts & Letters ‘Building a Thinking Community in Wisconsin’



This is the 2011-12 RI Logo for RI President Kalyan Banerjee's year. His focus is on "[Rotary] . . . to become the preferred organization for today's generation to join and participate in, to make the world better and safer and happier". "Reach Within to Embrace Humanity".



The 4-Way Test

Adopted by RI in 1943

Of the things we think, say or do ---

- 1 - Is it the TRUTH?**
- 2 - Is it FAIR to all concerned?**
- 3 - Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?**
- 4 - Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?**