



RI Theme 2010-11

"Building Communities -- Bridging Continents"

# The Rotary Club of Stevens Point [WI]

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## June 22, 2011



Rotary Club of Stevens Point  
Welcomes

### Rick Reyer



WI Regional Manager, WPR [Wausau]  
'WPR in Transition'

Program Host: Mary Williams



June 22 – David McHone & Craig Rogan

June 29 Bob Stack & Dick Judy



**Time for Volunteers to sign-up for July and August**

### Coming Events

**July 9 - Y-Lactic Edge Triathlon Rotary Run Course Marshals [fund raiser]**

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](http://www.rotary.org) District: [www.ridistrict6220.org](http://www.ridistrict6220.org)

Our Club: [www.stevenspointrotary.com](http://www.stevenspointrotary.com)

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

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

# Rotary News & Views

-- Of the Club and Otherwise



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### uests and Rotarian Visitors

- Rotary Visitors
  - New member Andy Kampo, Clifton Gunderson
  - New member David Marten, Marten Machining
- **LAST DAY [heading home]** Rotary Youth Exchange [RYE] Brazil - Diego
- Visitors
  - Pacelli Scholarship recipient – Megan Shulfer
  - Mother - Liane Shulfer
  - Pacelli Counselor – Lisa Shafranski

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### nnouncements

- **Estelí Project funds** final tabulations - \$2,842.40 with the check to be presented at the July 5 meeting; club members individually contributed over \$1.600.
- **GREEN CIRCLE** – Cheryl Breit is coordinating this year. The trail walkers are scheduled through the week of June 5<sup>th</sup> – but she needs a few more 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](mailto:cbreit@capmail.org) and select your week[s].
- **Summer RYE - Sweden** - Soren Anderson, Amherst HS and his inbound brother will make a short presentation June 29. We're starting early that day with all the presentations and new officers introduced.
- **RYE Inbound – Utku Kurtaran, Izmir, Turkey**, 17, has studied English for 13 years; father is a skilled surgeon, mother deceased at age 8. Utku has traveled to Britain three times, Brazil for nearly a month and a week in Bulgaria. Utku enjoys music. He is nearly 6' tall.
- **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.
- **24<sup>th</sup> 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** – John Bergin, lunch \$ to polio plus but that was it.

Presenter – Troy Torgerson, USWING retired, disabled vet, former member of our club.

- Troy updated the club on the motorcycle ride to raise money for the next Honor Flights of WWII vets to D.C. and the activities of WI Disabled Vets [DAV]
- The number of DAV is significantly increasing with the wars in Iraq and Afghanistan, especially with the insurgent use of IED's.
- Everything we can do as a club or individually to help will be special.

# **H**appy Dollars

- **Congratulations to SPASH and Pacelli softball teams for their spectacular performances at State – Champion and Runner-up!** Our Pacelli scholar was not only a great scholar but she was also Captain of the Pacelli Softball team and had leadership positions on so many athletic teams and school activities.
- **\$5 PDG Dick Judy**
  - Granddaughter, Eden Prairie HS graduated with highest honors; National Merit Scholar; special honors program this summer at DePauw Un for intense Spanish then 3 weeks in Peru [all paid by an alumnus of DePauw]
  - Daughter Susan, former RYE year-long in Bolivia in 1980 will be visiting with two of four grandkids. Susan is intake specialist for a ‘free clinic’ in Annapolis, MD and utilizes her Spanish and other language skills.
- **Jack Porter**
  - Missed highway cleanup – first time.
  - Did cleanup Green Circle and it was a piece of cake and so beautiful. There was a rotting fish and piece of a doe – but it is wildlife area.
- **\$10 John Bergin** – the great 10-months we had the pleasure and good fortune to have Diego for our inbound RYE. And, we expect Diego to stay in touch.
- **Foundation Chair Terry Arnold**
  - Megan Shulfer is a fantastic scholar representing Pacelli and some kind of athlete with volleyball, softball and all that.
  - Cancelled his Sunday flight to Kenya – somebody scammed his CC and fortunately the CC called him. Lesson for all of us.
- **\$2 José Murillo** for the successes of the Estelí project but did note that Bulletin Editor had left the week before Greeters on the bulletin – welcome our new bulletin editor – thanks José – ha!
- **Todd Kuckkahn** – their daughter is a proud classmate of Megan Shulfer, Pacelli Scholar winner, and we are good friends with Megan’s family.
- **Ardie Lange** – wow on SPASH to state and then won it!! And also congrats to Pacelli to state and their runner-up! What a record for this community.
- **\$3 Ann Huntoon** –
  - Great event with the Minneapolis Symphony and then Chicago Symphony.
  - CWSO golf outing last Friday – need a final report.
  - Happy Father’s Day to all fathers.
  - Ann slipped a birthday by us – so Happy Birthday Ann.

## **From Rotary International**

**2011 ROTARIAN in simple review**

**June**

After more than 300 entries from all over the world, it comes down to this: Our top three photo contest winners get the glory and a Canon camera, with our thanks. See also our web exclusive Best of the Rest.

**May**

Young Rotarians are designing their meetings to suit their interests. Join one club in Southern California for a fundraiser. Also, Rotarians in Seattle coordinate the collection and distribution of surplus produce.

**April**

Cholera was killing about 40 people a day in Haiti in December. Without sufficient medical services and a

regular source of clean water, the country faces a new outbreak. Our photo essay highlights the epidemic and its consequences. Also, *The Rotarian* talks with Angélique Kidjo.

**March**

Rotaractors respond to Peru's forgotten earthquake. Also, *The Rotarian* talks with incoming RI President Kalyan Banerjee.

**February**

There are 100 million land mines buried around the world. Meet a physicist who works to detect land mines. Also in this issue, a photo essay on a national immunization drive in India.

**January**

This issue celebrates *The Rotarian* magazine's first century in print. See a photo gallery of covers, and a collection of celebrated writers and photographers who have appeared in the magazine in thought-provoking combinations.

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## uture 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
29	Pres Jim; John Bergin;  PE Rick	Presentation of Paul Harris Fellows; Short Presentation by Outbound & Inbound Summer RYE [Soren Andersen & Jacob Harsten]; 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 <sup>nd</sup> 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'
AUG 31	Pres. Rick	DG Joe Jones 'Official Visit' to our club.



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?**