



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

Bill Berry, Writer/Reporter
'Voices of Rural Wisconsin'

Program Host: PDG Dick Judy

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Greeters

June 8 – Julie Mouw & Bob Stack

June 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://www.facebook.com/pages/UWSP-Rotaract/153776281332253>

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

Rotary News & Views




Guests and Rotarian Visitors

- Rotary Visitors – Fred Leafgren, Toronto Forest Hills
- Rotary Youth Exchange [RYE] Brazil - Diego
- Rotary Summer RYE Exchange to Sweden – Soren Anderson, Amherst HS

Announcements

- **GREEN CIRCLE** – Cheryl Breit is coordinating this year. The trail walkers are scheduled through 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.
- **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.
- **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** – Tom Bertz won, no joke or Joker, donated his meal dollars to Polio Plus

Looking toward the new Rotary year – PE Rick gave us a peek!

- Pride – stress our pride in the accomplishments of Rotary in our community as well as the world.
- Rotarians are more than Rotarians in name only [RINO] 
- Work on a net gain of 10% in our membership – counter the nation-wide trend.
- Everyone serves on at least one committee.
- Rick will also serve at AG for Area 6 [StePt and Wausau clubs]
- Board meeting will normally be last Thursday of each month; we are planning to use StePt Library facilities, and start about 7:30 a.m.

Happy Dollars

- \$5 - Kathy Trachte - sure good to see you back; you even endured the 110 degree weather in San Antonio.
- Ardie Lange - highway cleanup in spite of the ticks was well done - thanks.

- PDG Dick
 - Thanks to Terry Arnold for getting the top brazed to our bell, which came to our club December 11, 1929. Jimmie) Holiday, owner of the Holiday Auto Body on Okray Ave. did the work.
 - Special congratulations to Randy Zietlow being named President & CFO of Community First Bank. Randy has been with the bank eight years.
- Correction - Ardie Lange's recent graduate was his grandson!
- Randy Zietlow - bills are running a little late but no interest will be charged!
- \$5 Brad Corbett -
 - Ardie scheduling highway cleanup w/o him!
 - Montana and the Yellowstone National Park were fantastic - even with the snow.
 - And that son who just graduated from Port Edwards - unanimous pick for baseball all-star team, has selected Lakeland College for his next few years of adventure.
- Cliff King planned to become a grandfather for the first time this past Friday - we'll see if Mother Nature cooperated.
- \$2 Ann Huntoon and her husband look forward to a couple of great programs in Chicago, then to Minneapolis for a week at the League of American Orchestras conference
- \$2 PE Rick Jansing - been a tough past few months with the passing of his parents, but the birth of that new granddaughter was wonderful, so he knows how thrilled Cliff King must be. And, just about ready to kick off the new year.

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
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; John Bergin; PE Rick Jansing	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 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'
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?**