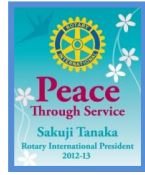


RI Theme 2012-13
"Reach Within to Embrace Humanity"



The Rotary Club of Stevens Point [WI]

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

May 29, 2013

Rotary Club of Stevens Point Welcomes



Paula Houlihan, Tina Grezinski,
Tammy Jankowski- The ToastMaster Team



"Toastmasters in Action in Our Community"

www.stevenspoint.toastmastersclubs.org/

Program: PDG Dick Judy



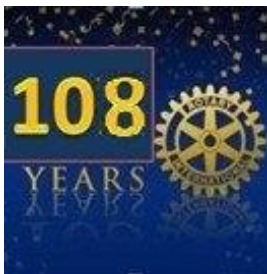
GREETERS

May 29 – Kathy Brandl & Cheryl Bret

June 5 – T. Arnold & Bob Stack; Jun 12 – Sharon Stratton & [redacted]
Jun 19 – D. Olson & JD Manville; June 26 – Rick Jansing & John Bergin;



MAY 2013 RI THEME – Preparation for the New Rotary Year



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.portagecountyroty.com

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

Rotary News & Views


-- Of the Club and Otherwise



Guests and Rotarian Visitors

- Morning Club Rotarians – President Geoffrey; Rob Manske, Corey Ladick, Amy Schwendinger, Jami Gebert, Barb Mihm, PE Brandon Taylor, Trish Baker, Rick Zahn and Eric Yonke.
- RYE Zoe Hoche, France
- PP Patti Rous
- Rotarian Dave Anderson, Wausau Noon

Announcements

- District Conference, Houghton, MI May 17-18 – reported a great time had by all. Attendees included President Terry and his wife Yvonne; AG Rick Jansing and his wife Carole; John Bergin; PE Ann Huntoon; John Billings; Mary Williams and husband Bob; Deb Freeberg and daughter Jackie *Honorary Rotarian and new UWSP*; Rachel Ley and her mother Mary Tierney Ley; and, our own RYE from France Zoe Hoche. The morning club was represented by Rick Zahn and Trish Baker. Conference presenters included Pres. Terry; *Post Polio Syndrome* – Mary & Bob Williams, Ann Huntoon; and Rachel Ley, *Literacy for Little Ones*
 - Green Circle sign up about complete.
 - Fall RYE from Finland – 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 year old. He likes winter sports and boating.
 - His mother Saila works for a medical company
 - His father Karl is a CEO/construction management consultant.
 - Otto's home town is Espoo, Finland; was born in Helsinki; the towns about 12 miles apart.
 - He is sponsored by the Rotary Club of Kauniainen-Grankulla, District 1420.
 - Otto is scheduled to arrive in CWA August 9th early afternoon. Plan to be part of the greeting party.
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- Fall RYE Outbound to Brazil – Hannah Selwyn has received information that she will be going to District 4651, a new District formed a couple of years ago when a very large district was split. Her first family is from Port Vale and second from Itajaí both in the southern Brazil State of Santa Catarina. Pres Terry is very familiar with the area. It was not part of his Diplomatic area but they visited the area often for the Falls of Iguacu, a great tourist attraction and an easy stepping stone of areas just to the south, e.g. Uruguay and Argentina. Wonderful beaches and green hills.
 - 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 – JD Manville, donated his lunch \$ to foundation but still no luck finding joker.

Speakers

- GSE Team from Australia. Led by Rotarian Team Leader Richard Booth each member described their home areas, key features and their Dynamic time in the life of Stevens Point and the nexus with UWSP and MSTC make the time most interesting. They gave such vivid descriptions it was great. Lots of questions. Their PP is attached to the email but if you didn't get it or want a separate copy just ask.
- PP Patti Rous gave a great wrap on her visit to Nicaragua and our school project in Estelí. Unfortunately the PP was MAC and couldn't get to run. Will try to translate and send at a future time. But she said our contributions have made a world of difference the kids, parents and others using the facility and the addition of the guard room has made a real difference in the security of the compound.

Happy Dollars

Presentations by first the Australian GSE & then PP Patti Rous on her visit to Estelí took sufficient time that the President limited Happy Dollars only to his \$5 for the excellent GSE and Esteli presentations on [the GSA presentation was attached to the email forwarding the bulletin. If you need another copy just ask].

- Report from the "Highway General", Ardie Lange – cleanup of our highway 54 segment took longer than usual. We had only 7 helpers for cleanup. Brenda Diamond sent 3 members of her family while she worked which helped a lot. Otherwise it was myself, Jack Porter, Brad Corbett and at 7:00 Cheryl Breit showed up, so she and Brad finished the last half mile. We needed a lot more volunteers. The trash amount was a new record as we had 12 bags full. I had 3 alone on my side of the 54-39 off-ramp which was a new record for me in that area. I guess people are getting more and more careless. Do you think we should go as far as this sign on seen a Texas road.
- Cliff King – Skyward in a holding pattern – no idea what the Legislature will do.

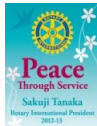


ROTARY INTERNATIONAL NEWS

Council on Legislation

Meeting only once each three years, delegates from Rotary's 532 districts met in downtown Chicago 21-26 April to consider changes to the policies that govern Rotary International and its member clubs, especially actions designed to strengthen Rotary, increase membership, and enhance the organization's capacity to serve and remain fiscally sound.

- A \$1 dues increase will continue each year for next three years as they have in the past.
- As reported last week the COL removed limits on e-clubs and permit satellite clubs
- The name of the Fifth Avenue of Service to "Youth Service" rather than new generations.
- Important also is a change in attendance where by participation in club projects, alternative meetings, etc. for twelve hours per half year are sufficient. This recognizes the importance of 'Rotarian participation' in a wide variety of the five avenues of service.
- Details http://www.rotary.org/en/MediaAndNews/News/Pages/130430_news_councilwrap.aspx

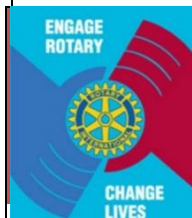


Rotary Program Hosts and Program 2013

Theme: "Peace through Service"



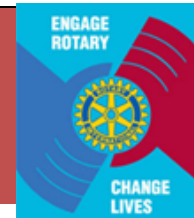
JUNE 2013		Rotary Fellowships Month	
5	Pres. Terry	Club Assembly	
12	Pres. Terry Hannah Selwyn	Paul Harris Presentations Practice presentation for RYE exchange to Brazil Fall 2013-Spring 2014	
19	Patti Cahill	Riverside House – an Update	
20 [7:30 a.m.]	Pres. Terry	Board Meeting = downtown library Pineries Room	
23-26	104th	Rotary International Conference – Lisbon, Portugal	
26	PDG Dick Judy	Former RYE Jenna Smith. Waupaca Rotary, UW Superior, Special RI Project, dysautonomia and related Diseases	



Rotary Program Hosts and Program 2013-14

RI President Ron Burton, Norman, OK

"ENGAGE ROTARY, CHANGE LIVES"



Jul 2013		Literacy Month --New Rotary Year Begins	
3	HOLIDAY	4TH OF JULY	
10	Vicki L. Bohman	Blood Center of Wisconsin [Vicki.Bohman@bcw.edu]	
13 [Saturday]	Y Lactic Edge	We're the Run Course Marshals [volunteer now for your favorite corner]	
17	New Pres Ann	Club Assembly and Start of the New Rotary Year	
24	Pres Ann	"Literacy Challenges in Portage County"? Mary Kneebone, ED, PC Literacy Council; Kelly Stolpa, Program Manager	
31	Al Thompson VC Stu Affairs	'Positive UWSP Relations with the Central Wisconsin Community'	
Aug 2013			
7			
14			
21	Rosemary Elbert, ED	Wisconsin Judicare	
28	Dr. Mike Curtis	Michael Fraley, " PC Cardiac Arrest Survival Team"	
Sep 2013			
New Generations Month			
4			
11	DG David Yeghiaian	New Rotary Year - Official DG visit	
18			
25			
Oct 2013			
Vocational Service Month			
?????		26th Annual Rotary Rose Sale [Sweetest Day 2013???	
2			
4-6	RYLA Weekend	YMCA Camp Manito-wish Boulder Junction	
9	RYLA Report	Brenda/Eric and RYLA attendees	
16			
23			
30			

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?**