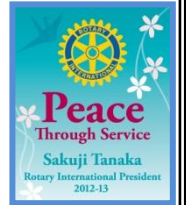


RI Theme 2011-12  
"Reach Within to Embrace Humanity"

# The Rotary Club of Stevens Point [WI]

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



## November 14, 2012



Rotary Club of Stevens Point  
Welcomes  
Layne Cozzolino  
ED, Central Rivers Farmshed



### 'Farmshed in Our Community: Growing for the Future'

Program – PE Ann Huntoon



### ***GREETERS***

November 14 – PE Ann Huntoon & Patti Cahill



Nov 21 –Reyer & Bergin; 28 – Breit & S. Martin  
Dec 5 - Stack & A. Thompson; 12 - D. Marten & Stratton; 19 - L Heiser & S. Martin; 26 - HOLIDAY

## ***Coming Events***

### **NOVEMBER 2012 RI THEME – Foundation Month**

Rotary International's 107th Year and Our Club's 95th

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)

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



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

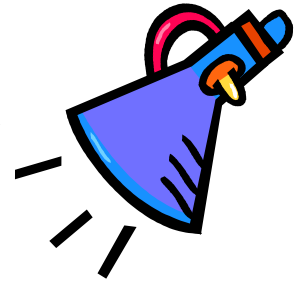
Morning Club – Greater Portage County [www.portagecountyrotary.com](http://www.portagecountyrotary.com)  
Friday 7 a.m. @ Portage County Annex Building, Conf Rooms 1 & 2, 1462 Strongs Ave

**Rotary Basics – great site – check it out!**

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

# Rotary News & Views

-- Of the Club and Otherwise



## **G**uests and Rotarian Visitors

- RYE Inbound France Zoë Hoche
- Heloise Rouyer, Lyon-Cluny, France, SPASH exchange student [RYE Zoë Hoche]
- Host Dad Jim Robinson for Zoë [2<sup>nd</sup> week in a row]
- Andy Soucek, VP Commercial Lending, Central City CU [Cheryl Breit]

## **A**nnouncements

- East Coast Disaster Recovery – today we will take up a donation and \$100 from the club to send to a coordinating Rotary Club on the east coast; you can also donate through the American Red Cross or Salvation Army which are an effective disaster recovery coordinators.
- Salvation Army Bell Ringers needed – signup as soon as possible.
- Toys for Tots [TFT] Coordinating again this year is the Morning Club as a special holiday project. They will start distributing collection boxes Nov. 9<sup>th</sup>; downtown parade Nov 16; shopping for toys in Appleton Dec. 15<sup>th</sup>; Dec 17 pickup boxes, deliver to Operation Bootstrap at Noel Hanger for transfer to distribution site boxes, and readied for distribution.
- Holiday Program LeRoy Heiser has again arranged for the SPASH singers to kickoff the holidays for the club. December 19<sup>th</sup>, bring spouses, friends, upstairs in the main ball room. This is the 34<sup>th</sup> year SPASH singers have entertained us.
- Trip to RI Headquarters – the bus will make the one-day trip some time the 2<sup>nd</sup> or 3<sup>rd</sup> week of January 2013.
- José needs you to report ‘makeups’ so he can get attendance correct
- 50-50 Raffle – Sandy Retzki, right ticket, didn’t find the Joker for the big pot.

Presenter: Ralph Locher, MD, Pediatrician, Ministry Medical Group -- ‘Childhood Immunizations, Current Trends and Myths’

- A pediatrician for 18 years, Dr. Locher dispelled most of the myths concerning childhood as well as adult immunizations and vaccinations.
- Vaccinations started in 1700’s as Louis Pasteur and British physicians noted that small pox was killing about one in seven children in Europe. But farm children with some exposure to cow pox seemed not to be affected.
- The numbers of children and weakened adults who died over the years from influenza, small pox, meningitis, measles and other maladies could have been prevented in great measure by proper childhood immunizations and vaccinations. Witness the phenomenal decrease in polio as a result of the Rotary/World Health campaign worldwide beginning in 1985.
- H1N1 affected over fifty million with mainly mild results but epidemics as plague, avian influenza, Ebola and others may have a more than 50% mortality rate.

- A vaccine or immunization generally gives the recipient a mild adaptive form of the target disease. Some inoculations date back to 1000 BC where children might be intentionally exposed, e.g. go visit Johnny who has the measles.
- Side effects are normal and generally not serious other than headache, some temperature, maybe muscle ache, while the disease can be deadly. The cost-benefit favors the vaccination or immunization. Natural methods are just not controlled and/or favorable.
- There are new methods being developed daily, but malicious rumors are the worst deterrent, e.g. mercury poisoning, terrible side effects, etc.
- Children and in some cases adults must and should take medically prescribed vaccines or immunizations, sometimes multiple times in their life time, e.g. tetanus, whooping cough, etc.
- Unfortunately the number of children NOT receiving proper vaccinations and immunizations is on the increase in all parts of the world, which means that sudden and catastrophic outbreaks can and do occur.

## **H**appy Dollars

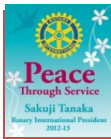
- Best for our November anniversaries:
  - Birthdays – John Bergin, JD Manville, Jim Anderson, Jose Murillo and our partners Mary Lou Judy and Stephanie Inman
  - Weddings – Brad Corbett, Bob Stack, Joe Leek and 61 for Pres. Terry Arnold
  - Club – Cliff King, John Billings, Keith Williams, Joe Leek and John Baehr
- Seen on Face Book – Randy Zietlow maybe missing work, probably to baby sit, since Justis nailed her third buck with a bow, this year a 12 pointer!!
- \$5 Deb Freeberg – thanks to everyone from staff to Rotarians for a great sale, and especially to PP Rick Jansing for making his sixth year work so smoothly. But Rick reminds us to get in those last dollars.
  - The Marquette Men’s a cappella choir that son Kory is a part of.
  - And, daughter/honorary junior Rotarian Jackie found a job in Minneapolis where she is attending school; and, she is officially a ‘big sister’ just waiting assignment of a ‘little’.
- \$2 Todd Kuckkahn very proud of Pacelli’s production of ‘Almost - Maine’ last weekend and their continuing efforts with ‘Caring Trees’, ‘coats for kids [and adults], Salvation Army Bell Ringing and a host of community holiday program
- José Murillo gets to visit Decorah, IA as son continues search for a college or university at Luther College.
- Congratulations Zoë on winning your SPASH Varsity tennis letter and in your undefeated season.
- JD Manville happy with our election process, mum on results.



## **HAPPY Veterans Day all you veterans**

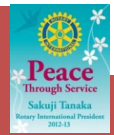
- Brad Corbett not missing wedding anniversary even if he and Pres Terry’s were missing in the first list read to the Club.
- PP Rick Jansing didn’t mumble too bad when describing their Sonoma Valley wine tasting tour, something like 32 wineries in 3 days. Hmmmm – heard he practiced a lot in advance.

- **PDG Dick Judy** gave \$3, had happy dollar the week before and forgot to have it collected but GD MD Angie really enjoying peds residency at Tufts Boston, her mom and former RYE to Bolivia is taking a new job with terrific benefits including loads more vacation, personal time, etc. working with seniors [kind of like mom and dad]



## Rotary Program Hosts and Program 2012-13

Theme: "Peace Through Service"



Nov		Rotary Foundation Month & World INTERACT Week
15 [7:30-9]	Pres Terry	Board Meeting - Library
21	Pres Terry	'Rumblings in North Africa'
28	Tom Bertz	Bob Semling UWSP BB 'Looking at another Great Season' meet coach and players
DEC		Rotary Family Month
5	Brenda Diamond	Angie Heuck, Dir, St Michael's Foundation; Hans and Sherri Vetter: Alzheimer's Update & Vetter Family Alzheimer's Fund at Saint Michael's Foundation.
12	Jim Anderson	Hmong Association in Central Wisconsin. President Soua Cheng [design department Ellis Stone]
19	Leroy Heiser	SPASH Singers – 34 <sup>th</sup> Year Kicking off our Holiday Season, Deb Pionek, Director <b>[reservations requested]</b>
20 [7:30-9]	Pres Terry	Board Meeting - Library
26	<b>NO MEETING</b>	<b>NO MEETING – Holiday Season</b>

# Rotary International



## Celebrate INTERACT's 50th anniversary

During the 2012-13 Rotary year, RI will celebrate the 50th anniversary of the first chartered Interact club. To help celebrate, the Presidential Citation for Interact clubs and new Interact Certificates of Organization will feature a special anniversary logo.



**HAPPY 50<sup>TH</sup> INTERACT**



## 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?**