

RI Theme 2014-15
"Light Up Rotary"

**The Rotary Club
of Stevens Point [WI]**

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

September 24, 2014




Rotary Club of Stevens Point
Welcomes

Gary Wysocki & Melissa Sylte

RPE - Russet Potato Exchange [<http://www.rpespud.com>]

'Fall, Potatoes, Wisconsin'
Program Arrangements - Shelly Martin






GREETERS

September 24 – Steve Cywinski & Shelly Martin

Oct 1 _____ & _____; Oct 8 _____ & _____; Oct 15 _____ & _____;
Oct 22 _____ & _____; Oct 29 S. Murphy & _____



SEPTEMBER 2014 RI THEME – New Generations Month



**Rotary International's 109th Year,
Our Club's 97th – May 1st, 2014**

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.portagecountyrotary.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

- Visiting Rotarian Fred Leafgren, Toronto Forest Hill
- Trish Baker, RCGPC RYE
- New Rotarian, Kelly Opiola, Oakridge Senior Community [a Brookdale facility]
- RYE Rebounds and presenters – Hannah Selwyn and McKenzie Schulist
- Host Parents for Kashio and parents of McKenzie – Mike and Pat Schulist
- Outbound prospect Alex Ludwig [SPASH] and mother Pat Arnold
- SPASH staff interested in Rotary RYE – Trina Lewis and Gregg Amos.
- Inbound RYE from Japan, Kashio Nakajima off and running at SPASH. This past weekend went swimming, enjoyed a BIG chicken dinner and another shopping trip.

Announcements

- OCTOBER is ROSE MONTH - not too early to start taking orders. More from the Rose Sale team of Sandy, José and Deb this week until the delivery starting October 16. The roses on our tables as starters are fabulous. Turn in your order anytime to Nick or Deb.
- Season for road cleanup and Green Circle winding down.

Program – Rebound RYE Hannah Selwyn and McKenzie Schulist – great pictures.

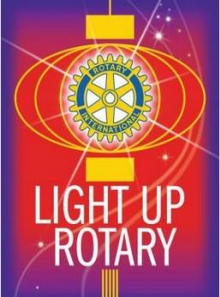
- McKenzie, a SPASH junior spent a week in France after counterpart spent a month with her and her family in Portage County.
 - They picked up Alexandra at Chicago O'Hare and took her to a Red Robin for a typical hamburger meal. She was stunned by ordering from the menu and all the choices.
 - She caught her first ever fish, canoed, kayaking, went to Devil's Lake and tubing.
 - She got to take part in July 4th celebration.
- In France McKenzie experienced days on the ocean, sunning and beach travel, though they were careful of the many jellyfish.
 - She celebrated Bastille Day, a major French holiday and all the marvelous fireworks.
 - The farmers' markets were fantastic.
 - Almost every place you looked were old chateaus or mansions, and the many classic churches.
 - And they got up and close to a segment of the Tour de France bike race.
- Hannah spent a year in Brazil close to the marvelous beaches but travel to many places in this big county including the Amazon basin.
 - Hannah arrived as their summer was beginning and school was about over.
 - She had four host families with widely varying interests which was exciting.
 - She attended Rotary about twice a month, most meetings starting dinner about 8 pm. She performed over 400 hours of volunteering and was recognized by being awarded a Paul Harris Fellow [PHF], the only one we know about given to a RYE student – defiantly a rare honor.
 - School was great in that classes were over by 1145, then the main meal, volunteering, travel and sightseeing.
 - Hannah was surprised that their Christmas almost mirrors our own, with tree, light, decorations but New Years is really a big event where white is the primary color signifying a clean new year.
 - Hannah frequently got a nick name since Hannah pronounced in Portuguese sounds like reindeer.
 - The week spent in the Amazon was so exciting, with piranha fish, BIG snakes and all those things we think about with the jungle.
 - And she's ready to go back and finish perfecting Portuguese.

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- \$5 - Pres. Dave – daughter having a tear duct opening.
- Jen Selwyn kudos to our RYE presenters and all our guests.
- RCGPC Trish Baker – glad to see all the SPASH interest in both our Club's RYE program and building an INTERACT club at SPASH.
- John Billings – noted that retired Prof. Art Herman's quoted in paper about this book on Scotland, their impact on economics in Scotland and GB. Art's son is at the Smithsonian Institution.
- Tom Bertz – his 12 year old GD ran first cc in Madison; she was one of 200 runners of all ages and placed 10th – now that's moving out.
- Steve Cywinski gave an update on JV and Varsity soccer at SPASH. He coaches JV. A couple of late imports for other countries really perked up JV and varsity is 3-0.
- Mary Williams had skipped Bob's 89 BD a week ago – slight oversight? She did answer the question of 'what is a Zone' – a third tier of training in RI, club, District, Zone, RI & International Convention. Zone does not govern.
- \$5 Rick Jansing gave an excellent summary of the Zone 28/29 gathering in Lacrosse. Will Williams and Terry Arnold manned the 'post-polio book' and gave a couple of short presentations. They also received a couple of invites but distance is a problem. Zones are mainly training for incoming governors from the more than 30 districts in the two zones.
- Terry Arnold – Zone was troublesome, his CCs had been cancelled while he was enroute and he had to rely on the good graces of some members – but he got a room and ate well in spite of the inconveniences. This battle with CC is trouble for many of us after Target, Home Depot and all the others.

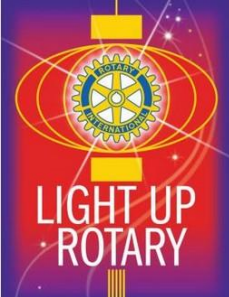
Raffle DGE Rick gave lunch \$ to Post Polio, missed joker so no big winner.



*Rotary Program Hosts and Program 2014-15
Stevens Point President – Dave Marten*

*District Governor 6220 Tom Berkedal
Appleton Noon
RI President Gary C. J. Huang, Rotary Club of Taipei, Taiwan*

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Oct 2014 Vocational Service Month & OUR ANNUAL ROSE SALE		
1	Jim Anderson Deb Freeberg	The Club's Centennial Project Report of the Committee [1215-1245] The 27 th Rose Sale 2014 – José Murillo, Sandy Retzki [1245-1:00]
3-5	RYLA Weekend	Rotary Youth Leadership Awards-YMCA Camp Manito-wish Boulder Junction
8	RYLA Report	Brenda/Eric and RYLA attendees
15	<i>DG Tom Berkedahl</i>	<i>Official Visit</i>
16-18	ROSE SALE	Thur noon – Saturday [Sweetest Day] --- to be confirmed
22	Joe Leek	Mike Zach, UWSP, Asst Prof Chemistry "Anyone see that Nanowire? It was here just a Microsecond Ago."
29	Jack Porter	Bob Semling, Head BB Coach UWSP – Basketball 2014-15
Nov 2014 Rotary Foundation Month -World INTERACT Week		
5	Gary Thompson	Judge Fred Fleishauer presents on restoration of 'the Fox on Main'
12	Suzanne Murphy	Ron Weseloh, UWSP, 'Life Program- An Update'
19	Jen Selwyn Craig Shuler	A report on INTERACT activities at SPASH and Pacelli Salvation Army Bell Ringers 2014
26	Sandra Retzki	Report from Morning and Noon Club's Kenya Water Project – PP Brandon Taylor, RCCPC
DEC 2014 Rotary Family Month		
3	Jim Firminhac	
10	Robin School	
17	Kehl Arnson	SPASH Singers – 37th Edition - Year Kicking off our Holiday Season
24	NO MEETING –	Holiday Season
31	NO MEETING –	Holiday Season
Board Meetings 2014 3rd Monday, 7:30 a.m., PC Library- Oct 20 Nov 17 Dec 15		
JAN 2015	Rotary Awareness Month In 1917 – RI President Arch Klumph proposed the Rotary Foundation; first contribution \$26.50	

7	Steve Cywinski	
14	Al Thompson	
21	Todd Kuckkahn	'Update on Catholic School' – next week is 'Catholic Schools Week'
28	Austin Miloszewicz	
FEB 2015	World Understanding Month	
4	Martha Garrett	
11	Tom Bertz	
17 [2004]	Rotary Club Greater Portage County [RCGPC]	Charter Presented in 2004 by sponsoring club – Rotary Club of Stevens Point
18	Randy Zietlow	
23		Rotary International founded in 1905 on this date 109 years ago
26		Rotary Club of Stevens Point founding meeting; Chartered May 1st 1917
25	Ann Garber	
MAR 2015	Literacy Month World ROTARACT Week	
4	Dave Kievet	
7-8	PETS	Pres Elect Training Itasca, IL
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18	Bob Stack	
25		
APR 2015	RI Magazine Month	
1	Ardie Lange	
8	Tim Krause	
15	John Billings	
22		
29	Brad Corbett	
MAY 2015	International Convention Month	
1 MAY 1917	Rotary Club of Stevens Point	Chartered by Rotary International [sponsored by Rotary Club of Duluth]
6	Scholarship Chair & Scholarship Committee	Rotary Club Scholarships to recipients from: Pacelli, SPASH, UWSP and MSTC
13	Dustin Fahney	
May 15-17	District Governor's Conference	Multidistrict: 6220, 6250, 6270 Appleton Paper Valley Inn - Theme and agenda to be published later
20	Sara Brish	
27	Rick Reyer	
JUN 2015	Rotary Fellowship Month -- INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION São Paulo, Brazil	
3	Dave Morgan	
6-9	São Paulo	São Paulo, Brazil - 6-9 2015 [May 29 – 1Jun, 2016 Seoul, Korea; Jun 10-14, 2017 Atlanta, GA]
10	Karen Thompson	
17	Steve Cywinski	
24	Pres Dave Marten Pres Cliff King	Paul Harris Awards Presentation The End is the Beginning – Welcome to Officers of 2015-16

2015 Board Meetings 3rd Monday 7:30, PC Library:
Jan 19, Feb 16, Mar 16, Apr 20, May 18, Jun 15

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?**