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PRESIDENT'S CORNER

Dear Lincoln South Members and Friends,



It was great to see so many of you as we celebrated the visit from Rotary International President Gary C.K. Huang. What an inspiring leader who will truly Light Up Rotary this year. Following in President Gary's footsteps, we all need to invite those around us to join Rotary and invite people to meet club members at events like the upcoming Salt Dogs Game to raise money for Polio Plus.

At Rotary on Friday, I was only able to give you a small taste of attending the Rotary International Convention in Sydney in June. As I mentioned, one of the speaker highlights for me was Jack Sim, Founder of the World Toilet Organization. I would love for everyone to see the short video that was shared in Sydney that tells of the importance of clean drinking water and the need for toilets for better sanitation and hygiene for people world wide. If you go to www.worldtoilet.org you can search for the Meet Mr. Toilet video to view.

Also, there wasn't enough time to tell you about the historic bridge climb in Sydney by Rotarians that raised money for Polio Plus. Please go to the links below for the full story.

<http://www.bridgeclimb.com/rotary-bridgeclimb-smash-2-bridge-records/>

<https://www.rotary.org/en/rotary-breaks-records-puts-polio-notice-sydney-convention>

I look forward to seeing you all at Rotary next Friday. If you haven't purchased your Salt Dogs tickets for next Friday's game (July 25th), please contact Nicki Klein at nklein2@neb.rr.com right away for tickets.

Let's Light Up Rotary this year!

Jenny Cardwell- President of Lincoln South Rotary

CLUB SERVICE TEAM ON DUTY

Sue O'Connell
Kay Wunderlich
Chris Dietz
Bob Vrana



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Visiting Rotarians and Guests

Wayne & Rosita Moore.

HAPPY DOLLARS (For Polio Plus)

Nicki Klein, Sue O'Connell, Bob Vrana, Bryan Block, Gene Swinton, Dick Wampler and Lance



Future LSR Programs

- 7/25/14 *Jane Griffin, ED the Groundwater Foundation-Why do we Care About Groundwater?*
- 8/01/14 *Rotary District Governor Brian Moon.*
- 8/8/14 *Brian Christensen, President, Joe Christensen, Inc—How a Mom & Pop Shop Became a National Player*
- 8/15/14 *Ryan Spaulding, ED NCEE Labs—Who We Are and What We Do.*
- 8/22/14 *Jim Dutton, LES—Terry Bundy Generating Station*

Events & Projects

- 7/25/14 *Strike Out Polio with Lincoln SaltDogs—Haymarket Park 6-10 pm.*
- 9/19/14 *LSR Foundation Wine Tasting at the home of Tracey McLain.*

Notes & Announcements

Strike Out Polio—The annual Strike Out Polio sponsored by Lincoln and surrounding area Rotary Clubs and the Salt Dogs is scheduled for July 25th. Contact Nicki Klein for tickets to the event as well as raffle tickets for the right to throw out the first pitch.

Youth Exchange Student Hosted by Lincoln South Rotary—Jenny Cardwell reported that our club has agreed to host an inbound Youth Exchange Student from Taiwan. Her name is Peggy Chang and Clay Ehlers and his family has agreed to be one of the host families. We will also be sponsoring an outbound student who will be visiting our club. Anyone who is interesting in helping coordinate activities etc for the inbound student should contact Jenny.

LSR Foundation Wine Tasting—The date for the Annual Lincoln South Rotary wine tasting event has been set for Friday September 19th at the home of Tracey McClain. More details to follow.

International Membership Awards—Membership chair Darrel Huenergardt presented 3 members with pins for signing new members:

Clay Ehlers— 2 members
Nicki Klein— 1 member
Joe Roberts— 1 member

Thanks for helping us grow our club!

**QUESTIONS?
COMMENTS?
ARTICLES?**

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Lincoln South Rotary Clubrunner Links:

Meeting & speaker information:

<http://www.clubrunner.ca/CPrg/Home/speakers.asp?cid=6040>

Calendar of Events:

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THE ROTARY FOUR-WAY TEST OF THE THINGS WE THINK SAY OR DO:

Is it the **TRUTH** ?
Is it **FAIR** to all concerned ?
Will it build **GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS** ?
Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned ?

PROGRAM

2014-2015 Club Goals

1. *Earn the Presidential Citation.*
2. *Attain & Maintain 55 total members.*
3. *Successfully utilize New Grant Program by submitting 1 District Grant and 1 Global Grant.*
4. *Increase \$ raised from Golf Tournament and Grocery Grab by 5% over prior year.*
5. *Increase Rotary Foundation giving to \$9,300 with 100% participation.*
6. *Continue to participate in End Polio Now giving at \$32/member level by using Happy \$ and participating in End Polio Now events.*
7. *Continue to have Club participation at District Level.*
8. *Host a Rotary Days event with other clubs in Lincoln.*
9. **HAVE FUN AS ROTARIANS IN SERVICE TOGETHER!**

President Jenny Cardwell spoke to the club about the International Rotary convention that her and Tom attended in Sidney Australia in June. The convention was held in the Olympic Park that was built when Sidney hosted the summer Olympics.

They had a long harrowing journey trying to get to Sidney but once they got there they had a wonderful time. The Australians were all very friendly and welcoming and they met many people from all over the world. There were many general and breakout sessions on many topics and they got to see examples of the many projects that clubs were involved in.

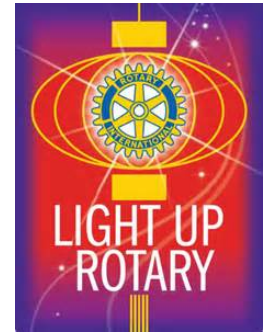
The last day of the convention they attended a meeting of the Sidney Cove Rotary club which is a breakfast meeting held on a boat which cruises around the harbor.

There were approximately 13,000 in attendance at the convention.

As mentioned in Jenny's president's message the best speaker of the convention was Jack Sim, Founder of the World Toilet Organization.

She presented the club with the many flags that she and Tom received in numerous flag exchanges from clubs all over the world.

The outgoing RI President was Ron Burton from the US and the incoming RI President will be Gary C.K. Huang. His theme is "Light Up Rotary"



PLACES TO MAKE UP

Tuesday morning—Sunrise Rotary at International House of Pancakes at 4501 North 27th (27th and Superior Ave.) at 7:00 AM

Tuesday Noon—Lincoln #14-Nebraska Club at 13th & M.

Wednesday 11:45 a.m.—Lincoln East at Valentinos at 70th & Van Dorn

July
Birthday

Kiley Weichman



Rotary is on the Web!

Rotary International— www.rotary.org
District 5650— www.rotarydistrict5650.org

Lincoln South Rotary—

<http://www.clubrunner.ca/CPrg/Home/homeS.asp?cid=6040>