

2012-13 District Awards

Bryce Kendall –Club Avenue of Service Award

- 1) Plain Twp.
- 2) Dennison

Emmet Riley-Literacy Avenue of Service Award

- 1) Orrville
- 2) Dover

Jack Vogel-Public Relations Avenue of Service Award

- 1) Alliance
- 2) Struthers

Robert Manchester-Vocational Avenue of Service Award

- 1) Plain Twp.
- 2) Salem

Bill Elliott-International Avenue of Service Award

- 1) Boardman
- 2) Canfield

John Maxwell Award for Outstanding Bulletin

- 1) Plain Twp.
- 2) Dover

Roland Luhman-Community Avenue of Service Award

- 1) Boardman
- 2) Dennison

Bryce Kendall-Club Avenue of Service Award

Plain Township Rotary just completed its 25th year sponsoring a boys and girls basketball All Star Classic. Producing over \$7,000 for Rotary projects and scholarships, the prestigious event introduces a new segment of the population to the Rotary story and principals. With a high level of member participation and strong media coverage this project merits First Place for the Club Avenue of service award

Emmet Riley-Literacy Avenue of Service Award.

United through Reading is Orville Rotary's first place literacy project allowing service men and women deployed away from home to read to their children. The club collected new and gently used book and supplied them to service members. The service person reads the book and is recorded then the book and the DVD are shipped to the child at home where they can hear and see mom or dad and read along. A lovely project to help foster a love of reading and a great morale booster.

Jack Vogel-Public Relations Avenue of Service Award

The Rotary Club of Alliance scored an amazing amount of press coverage for its many events and the speakers. The print and electronic P.R. coverage was augmented and enhanced by skillfully positioned paid advertisements and print materials, earning a first place award for this well thought out program.

Robert Manchester -Vocational Avenue of Service

The Rotary Club of Plain Township earned the first place award with an exceptional program to identify young leaders and expose them to business and governmental experts as well as developing an entrepreneurial project for the students to participate. The club partnered with the local JA entity.

Bill Elliot-International Avenue of Service Award

The Rotary Club of Boardman created a well-organized, well-documented and successful international project to take the first place award. The Hearing Mission to the Commonwealth of Dominica served 260 patients during 5 clinic days. The club raised over \$24,000 for the effort, which involved 7 individuals three of whom were Rotary officers and members.

John Maxwell Award for Outstanding Bulletin

Each of the bulletins produced by the Rotary Club of Plain Township met every rubric for a well-designed communications vehicle. Delivered by both by electronic and print media the colorful bulletin contains a president's message, a "did you know" section, acknowledgments, and photojournalism and was consistent in design

Roland Luhman- Community Avenue of Service

The Rotary Club of Boardman has developed its Community Octoberfestival over the past 36 years to be the premiere community event. The event, which grossed nearly \$60,000, presents Boardman and Rotary in the best possible light and brings attention to local artisans. The planning was done with professional precision.