



The Paddlewheel

Moorhead Rotary Club

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Moorhead Rotary
Chartered May 1, 1921
Club 970
District 5580

- President Lynne Kovash
- President-Elect Corey Elmer
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- Director Kay Parries
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- Director Matt Thomasson
- RYLA Coord. Randy Farwell
- Polio Plus Coord. Cindy Nolte
- Sergeant at Arms Team
Dave Sederquist, Eric Johnson,
Mike Hulett & Jean Hannig
- Pianist Sharon Fangsrud
- Song Leaders Bill Schwandt,
Bob Hanna, John Andreasen
- Photographer Russ Hanson
- Meeting Reporter Teresa Joppa
- Paddlewheel Editor
Nancy Edmonds Hanson

The Moorhead Rotary board of directors meets the second Tuesday of each month.

- International President
John Germ, Chattanooga, TN
- District 5580 Governor
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- District 5580 Vice Governor
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- Assistant District Governor
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- District Governor-Elect
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- District 5580 Polio Coordinator
Cindy Nolte
- End Polio Now Zone 28 Coord,
Gary Nolte

- Other F-M Rotary Clubs**
- Monday: FM/PM Rotary
5:30 p.m., Lucky 13 Pub
 - Monday: Fargo West Rotary
Noon, Holiday Inn
 - Wednesday: Fargo Rotary
Noon, Radisson
 - Thursday: FM/AM Rotary
7 a.m., Ramada Plaza

If you attend meetings of any of these clubs, just check in. We have a reciprocal agreement.

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Moorhead, MN 56561



This week's meeting: Our guest Tuesday is Finnish exchange student Juho Seil, who has spent the school year with clubs in Fargo. Jean Hannig is Rotarian of the Day. Gary Nolte is sergeant at arms, and two of our Pauls — Dovre and Suomala — are greeters.

Oak Grove hosts Rotary & Kiwanis for musical meeting with band and choir

Moorhead Rotary took to the road again for a very special weekly meeting on May 9. We gathered jointly with the Fargo Kiwanis in Oak Grove High School's Scheels Center for the Performing Arts, where past president and Rotarian of the Day Eric Wilkie arranged for a "command performance" by the Oak Grove choir and band.

The meeting was jointly led by Rotary President Lynne Kovash and Kiwanis President Ned Halilovic.

After a prayer by Kiwanian Rick Stern, several announcements were addressed to Rotary members. Jean Hannig announced that our club is once again looking for host families willing to open their homes for three to four months during the next school year to a female exchange student from Japan. Want more information? Contact Jean.



Photos by Gary Nolte: Scenes from the joint meeting of Moorhead Rotary and Fargo Kiwanis at Oak Grove Lutheran High School.

All Fargo-Moorhead Rotarians are invited to Rotary's Universal Playground on Wednesday, May 17, to help celebrate the joint project's 10th anniversary. Accessible to all youngsters, regarding of physical ability, the playground is in Lindenwood Park in Fargo. A picnic celebration takes place from 4 to 8 p.m.

Kiwanis members greeted Rotarians with their traditional singing of "Hello, Hello, Hello." Then both clubs sang a selection from the Kiwanis songbook, "Give My Regards to Broadway," and, from the Rotary book, "The Whiffenpoof Song."

After we'd set the musical pace, Eric introduced the day's program — the high school choir and band, along with a saxophone trio and percussion trio.

Let's fill the basket this week for the YWCA! Bring your donations of personal and small household supplies to our meeting Tuesday ... anything from batteries to cleaning supplies. See the next page for a list of suggestions that will be much appreciated.



May Birthdays

Hannig, Jean May 09
 Tranby, Dave May 14
 Moorhead, Tracey May 27

Wedding Anniversaries

Joppa, Teresa & Richard Norwig
 May 05 1990 26 years
 Hanna, Bob & Zue Zan
 May 22 1982 34 years
 Matthees, Charles & Barbara
 May 26 1979 37 years
 Schaefer, Steve & Terese
 May 30 1992 24 years
 Fangsrud, Sharon & Butch
 May 31 1980 36 years

Rotary Anniversaries

Swenson, Robert 23 years
 May 01 1994
 Monson, Gina 7 years
 May 05 2009

Here's a list of suggested items for the YWCA Fill-the-Basket campaign

Most Urgent Needs

AA & AAA batteries
 Baby monitors
 Toilet bowl cleaner
 Disinfectant wipes
 Canned meat (salmon, chicken, ham)

Food & Kitchen Supplies

Plastic reusable bowls & cups
 Breakfast items: pancake mixes, syrup, oatmeal, cereal, peanut butter & jelly
 Snacks: chips, crackers, cookies
 Soups: chicken noodle & tomato
 Baked & kidney beans
 Mac & cheese
 Ramen
 Coffee & coffee condiments (dried creamers are preferred)
 Sugar
 Bottled water

Childcare

Pack 'n' Plays
 Strollers

Hygiene

•Acne face wash & scrubs
 Twin size bed sheet sets
 Tweezers
 Dandruff shampoo
 Shaving cream
 Mini hygiene items (hotel sizes)
 Cleaning/Maintenance Items
 Kleenex tissues
 Toilet paper
 Hand soap
 Clorox bleach
 Laundry baskets
 Window cleaner
 Bathroom cleaner (Soft Scrub etc)
 Dish scrubbers/cleaning solutions
 Paper towels

Dish soap

Other

All gently used household items (silverware, glasses, casserole dishes, set of knives, measuring cups & spoons)
 VCR/DVD Players
 Dixie Cups
 Small fans
 Gas, phone, & grocery gift cards
 Alarm clocks
 HDMI cords & RCA cables
 Small journals/notebooks
 Flash drive/USB thumb drives
 Women's new black dress socks
 Cold sore medicine
 Pepto Bismol

Looking Ahead

Tuesday, May 16

Sergeant at ArmsGary/Cindy Nolte
 Rotarian of the DayJean Hannig
 ProgramFinnish exchange student Juho Seil
 GreetersPaul Dovre & Paul Suomala

Tuesday, May 23

Sergeant at ArmsDave Sederquist
 Rotarian of the DayKay Parries
 ProgramGary Nolte, 2017 Mission to Haiti"
 GreetersDan Eggiman & Bob Swenson

Tuesday, May 30

Sergeant at ArmsEric Johnson
 Rotarian of the DayJohn Andreasen
 ProgramRoger Olson, Moorhead Airport Authority
 GreetersRandy Farwell & Matt Thomasson

June 6

Sergeant at ArmsJohn Andreasen
 Rotarian of the Day
 ProgramLes Bakke, "Early Ag in the Valley"
 GreetersDoreen Filler & David Tranby

June 13

Sergeant at ArmsMike Hulett
 Rotarian of the DayRuss Hanson
 ProgramOlga Reuvekamp, Minnesota Ag and Rural Leadership Program

June 20

Sergeant at ArmsSam Wai
 Rotarian of the Day
 ProgramJeff Wallin, Moorhead Fire Dept. "New Emergency CPR Techniques"