



The Paddlewheel

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Moorhead Rotary Club 1405 District 5580

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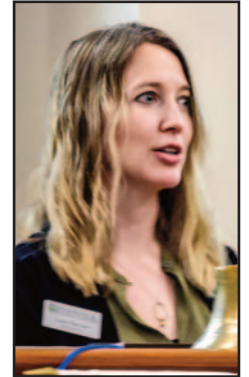
Directors (2023) Chris Andreasen, Greg Johnson & Steve Schaefer
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February Birthdays

Sederquist, Dave February 23
 Elmer, Corey February 23

Rotary Anniversaries

Elmer, Corey 21 years
 Feb. 11 2003



Photos/Nancy Hanson: Eventide's Emily, Jocelyn and Laura shared insights into the growing need for senior housing and Eventide's new Sanders Flats apartments.

Next Meeting — Tuesday, February 27

District Governor-Elect Kay Parries shares stories from the Rotary International Assembly at this week's meeting. Rob Remark is up as sergeant at arms.

Eventide staffers talk of growing need for senior housing & new Sanders Flats

President Steve Astrup welcomed Moorhead Rotarians and three presenters from Eventide Senior Living to the club's Feb. 20 meeting.

He noted that the gavel will be passed to our own Kay Parries on June 25 at Moorhead's River Haven as she begins her term as district governor.

Recital with a Cause is coming up

John Andreasen, who chairs the committee planning the Recital with a Cause, updated the club on planning for the April 11 concert. It is scheduled for the night before the District 5580 conference begins; leaders of all the region's clubs are expected to attend. The district and neighboring clubs are expected to also contribute donations to the cause it supports, Polio Plus.

Sarge Dale raises Rotary's 7 Pillars

Sergeant at Arms Dale Hetland highlighted the Seven Pillars of Rotary in his segment: to promote peace; to fight disease; to provide clean water, sanitation and hygiene; to save mothers and children; to support education; to grow local economies, and to protect the environment.

Steve Schaefer donated the first of the day's



President Steve Astrup. Sergeant at Arms Dale Hetland. Jerry Rogers, Paul Dovre and Bill Woods. John Andreasen (Greg Johnson in background). Laura Lobo.





Photos: Alex Aldrich.

Tracey Moorhead.

Tammy Finney.

Steve Schaefer draws a card in the weekly raffle — not a winner.

happy dollars, reporting on Spud successes at a major national tournament and several upcoming international projects. Dave Tranby pointed out that the Spuds boys hockey team started play-offs that evening. Laura Lobo attended the Bemidji noon club. Alex Aldrich invited members to his tax seminar on Feb. 29.

Eventide Senior Living welcomes residents to independent living facility

President Steve Astrup introduced three women who, along with Rotarian Jon Riewer, are involved in Eventide, Fargo-Moorhead's largest senior living organization.

Eventide Senior Living traces its beginning to 1951, when it was incorporated by 30 area churches as the Lutheran Care Center. Over the year, its facility have grown to serve thousands of elder Minnesotans and North Dakotans at different stages of life.

Today the organization offers a variety of Loving arrangements, from skilled nursing care — the original mission — to assisted living, memory care, independent living, transitional care, and home care and hospice. In addition to its main campus in south Moorhead, it operates apartments and care centers in Fargo, West Fargo (Sheyenne Crossings), Jamestown and Devils Lake. Its Ethos home care program operates here and in Grand Forks.

Sanders Flats is named in honor of the couple who once lived on the lot the four-story building now occupies, just south of The Linden. The first residents have begun moving into its one-, two- and three-bedroom units. Among amenities in the new building are a fitness center, golf simulator, pub and community room, self-serve bistro, underground parking and a skyway across 16th Avenue South, permitting direct access to The Linden's eatery and to resident units in the other Eventide buildings.



Looking Ahead

February 27

Sergeant at ArmsRob Remark
ProgramKay Parries, Rotary Int'l Assembly

March 5

Sergeant at ArmsErnie Simmons
ProgramDon Kinzler, Pollinator Gardens

March 12

Sergeant at ArmsDale Hetland
ProgramAnna Sather, Farm in the Dell

March 19

Sergeant at ArmsEric Wilkie
Program4-Way Test Essayists

March 26

Sergeant at ArmsPaul Dovre
Program

April 2

Sergeant at ArmsCindy Nolte
ProgramMayor Shelly Carlson & Dan Mahli,
Moorhead City Update

April 9

Sergeant at ArmsBrandon Lunak
Program

April 11-13

District 5580 ConferenceFargo