

Waukegan Rotary

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Club News – May was a fantastic month for our club as District Governor, Kevin Stevens swore in new members Andreama Dobbs and “Joey” Wanda Rowena Cashmore... AND...



...on June 6th at our first of the month Rotary Luncheon, our club will have the honor of welcoming two additional new members, Gwen Kennedy and Kathy Walker! **Gwen** will be joining us as she retires from 24 years in the Waukegan Public Schools District 60 and launches full time into her own business. Kathy comes to us as President of the brand new Wintrust Bank of Waukegan. To all four new members, Welcome!
Great work Charmaine and Mark!

Waukegan High School's Best of the Best



At our last meeting we had the distinct honor of hosting lunch for four very special students from Waukegan High School, their families, coaches and administrators.

Congratulations to seniors Andrea Miller and Bryant Brown, who earned Female and Male Athlete of the Year honors, as well as Erick Bravo and Ethan Ashworth who are this year's Valedictorian and Salutatorian respectively.

The Genesee Theatre



Don't forget... In conjunction with the Rotary Club of North Chicago on **June 15th from 12:00 pm to 3:00 pm** we will be hosting an "Installation Mixer" event at the Genesee Theatre. Food along with a cash bar will be available. The goal is not only to install new officers within the district but to also get to know our fellow Rotarians and their significant others and families. More details will soon follow...

What Others Are Doing - Rotary Club of New Orleans Riverbend, District 6840



This Rotary Club from the "Big Easy" has found a corporate sponsor! Club members can go to the website of Valvoline Instant Oil Change and download coupons to help keep their vehicles running in top shape. The club has a very strong relationship with **Rotaract at Tulane University** and members even stepped in to help the young group to cook up enough jambalaya to feed over 200 hungry pre-kindergarten students at a primary education camp.

Where In The World Is Rotary - The Rotary Club Geneve International - District 1990 Switzerland



Rotary Switzerland each spring sells the horticulturally-unique "PolioPlus tulips". A box with 25 bulbs is sold for 40 Swiss Francs which today would equal \$39.71 US. 22 francs of each sale goes towards PolioPlus. The amount is further tripled by the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation to 66. It means that with each box sold, more than 130 children can be immunized against polio. Orders are taken between now and end July and delivery of the bulbs is then in September, in time for planting season in October. Hmmmmm.....

What an interesting fundraiser and imagine if in conjunction with the Waukegan Park District we sponsored a downtown tulip garden & festival!



"Have a great summer and please do not throw your books in the air or run through the halls -- wait until the students have left the building."

June: "It is the month of June, the month of leaves and roses,

When pleasant sights salute the eyes and pleasant scents the noses."

Nathaniel Parker Willis