

The Rotary Wheel

P.O. BOX 4376, OLATHE, KS 66063

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OLATHE ROTARY CLUB

District 5710 Club 1625



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Olathe Rotary Speakers/Events

- Nov 02 Color Code Personality Theory-Relationship building solutions and personality profiling
- Nov 09 Club Strategic Planning and Committee Updates, Vanessa Vaughn West, Rotary Next Generation YP Summit Update
- Nov 16 Gateway of Hope, Dacia Moore, Exec Director Rotary Next Generation YP Summit Update, Vanessa Vaughn West
- Nov 23 **No Meeting** (Thanksgiving Holiday)
- Nov 30 City of Olathe Communications Channels, Scott Meyers
- Dec 21 Olathe Rotary Family Holiday Party
- Dec 28 **No Meeting**, "Winter Holiday"
- May 06 2017 Days of Wine and Rotary, Ball Conference Center

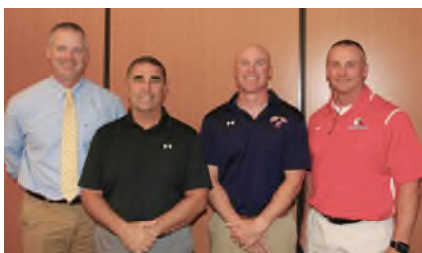
Speaker Chair

Vanessa Vaughn West

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Olathe Rotarians Enjoyed One of Our Favorite Annual Programs

October 19th the Olathe High School Football Coaches updated, informed, and entertained club members.



From Left, Craig Lewis, Olathe South, Chip Sherman, Olathe Northwest, Jesse Owen, Olathe East, Chris McCartney, Olathe North

Thank You for your Contributions to our Annual Rotary International Foundation Drive November Through December

Our annual Olathe Rotary Club Rotary International Foundation Drive is now underway. Our goal again this year is to have every member contribute \$100 or more. In this 2016-17 Rotary year, our Rotary International Foundation turns 100 years old. That is a century of Rotary members changing lives and improving communities all over the world...definitely something worth celebrating.

Please bring your check to one of our next meetings or mail it to: Darrel McDaniel, 1512 E Sunvale Ter, Olathe, KS 66062-2105.

Contributions are tax deductible if checks are to the "Rotary International Foundation".



Our October 26th Club Outing to the Olathe Police Headquarters Was Educational, Interesting, and Fun

Steven Menke, Olathe Police Dept. Chief of Police was our guest speaker.

He joined the Olathe Police Dept in 1988 and progressed through the ranks by serving as a patrol officer, a sergeant, a lieutenant, a captain and Acting Major. Chief Menke served twelve years as a member of the Tactical Support Unit and has served in Patrol, Investigations & Personnel/Training Divisions. He received his Bachelor's of Arts degree from MidAmerica Nazarene University and attended the FBI National Academy. He was appointed Chief of Police in November 2008.

Chief Menke gave some 2015 stats to Olathe Rotarians. He said there were 5,276 crimes in Olathe, 3,060 traffic accidents, 1,458,420 miles driven, 41,566 calls responded to, 29,218 traffic

2016-2017 Olathe Rotary Club Officers and Board

7/1/2016 to 6/30/2017

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2nd of 2 year term

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1st of 2 year term

Geoff Neufeld, Director
1st of 2 year term

tickets written. He said the goal on every call was to respond in 4 minutes. The department has 147 vehicles in its fleet. He was proud of their new Mental Health Intercept Project. Chief Menke discussed the drug epidemic of overdosing on heroin and opioids. Olathe operates a clean and modern animal shelter with many animals for adoption. The animal shelter does not euthanize.



Olathe Police Chief, Steven Menke

Updated Membership Application Now Available

To download a PDF of our updated Olathe Rotary Membership Application, go to www.olatherotary.org



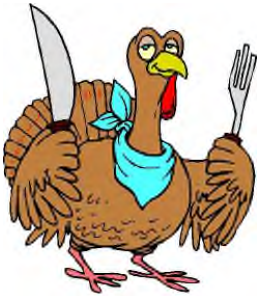
Rotary Magazine Initiative

Please bring your Rotary Magazines to our club meetings. We will distribute to local businesses to be read by their customers to let them know the good works of Rotary and to hopefully gain interest in Rotary membership.

Date and Location Has Been Confirmed For Our 2017 Days of Wine and Rotary Fundraiser

*Saturday, May 6th
Ball Conference Center, Olathe*

During the Holidays When you Eat Out, Please Remember to Support our 2016 Wine and Food Sponsors



BlueJacket Crossing Vineyard and Winery

195 North Parker Road, Olathe, KS
18589 W. 151st St in Olathe, KS

Boulevard Brewing Company

2501 Southwest Boulevard, KC, MO 64108

Crazy Good Eats

16695A W 151st Street, Olathe, KS 66062

Granite City

15085 119th Street, Olathe, KS 66062

Holy Land Café

12275 W 87th Parkway, Lenexa, KS 66215

HyVee

14955 W 151st Street, Olathe, KS 66062

Jasper's

1201 W 103rd Street, Kansas City, MO 64114

Jefferson's

10540 S Ridgeview Road, Olathe, KS 66061

Master Wok

14947 West 119th Street, Olathe, KS 66213

Nazareth Sweets

12247 W 87th Street, Lenexa, KS 66215

Pak Halal

12259 W 87th Street, Lenexa, KS 66215

Pie 5

15404 West 119th Street, Olathe KS 66062

Sugar Rush

13778 S Blackbob Road, Olathe, KS 66062

Raj Mahal

118-S Clairborne Road, Olathe, KS 66062

Rimann Liquors

15117 W 87th Street Pkwy, Lenexa, KS 66219



Deadline for December Olathe Rotary Newsletter is 12/01/2016.
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