

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

- Oct 05 Olathe High School Football Coaches
- Oct 12 American Public Square, Jeff Fendorf, Civil Discourse in politics and communities
- Oct 19 Disability Awareness Month Mark Cameron, Mark Gash
- Oct 26 Olathe Police Department, Deputy Chief Shawn Reynolds Updates, support & community outreach. **Meeting will be held at the Olathe Police Department**
- Nov 02 Club Strategic Planning & Committee Updates, Larry Rinne and Committee Chairs
- Nov 09 Color Code Personality Theory, Carrie Bauer, Relationship building solutions and personality profiling
- 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 Meyer
- Dec 21 Olathe Rotary Family Holiday Party
- Dec 28 **No Meeting**, "Winter Holiday"

Speaker Chair

Vanessa Vaughn West
VLVaughnWest@OLATHEKS.ORG

Note:

October 26th, Our Olathe Rotary Weekly Meeting Will be Held At the Olathe Police Department

501 Old 56 Highway, Olathe, KS

Olathe Rotarians Begin Annual Rotary International Foundation Drive November 1st

RI Foundation Chair, Darrel McDaniel, will be accepting your donations for the Rotary International Annual Fund during the months of November and December. . Your support of the Annual Fund is the key to serving communities worldwide in Rotary's areas of focus, which are peace and conflict prevention/resolution, disease prevention and treatment, water and sanitation, maternal and child health, basic education and literacy, and economic and community development.

Donors of \$1,000 (lump sum or cumulative), or more to the Annual Programs Fund, PolioPlus, or the Humanitarian Grants Program, or people who have that amount contributed in their name, can be recognized as Paul Harris Fellows. Each new Paul Harris Fellow receives a commemorative certificate and a pin.

The Every Rotarian, Every Year (EREY) initiative encourages all Rotary club members to support the Rotary Foundation financially **by donating a minimum of \$100 a year.** These "Sustaining Members" help ensure the continued success of Foundation Programs.

Contributions are tax deductible if checks are to the "Rotary International Foundation". One half of your contribution will be given to our District in 3 years and used to support the basis from which our district grants can be drawn.

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2016-2017

Olathe Rotary Club Officers and Board

7/1/2016 to 6/30/2017

Larry Rinne, President

lrinne@comcast.net

Jason Armstrong, Past President

Vanessa Vaughn West
President Elect

Ernie Hicks, Treasurer, 13th yr
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ernieofolathe@yahoo.com

Doug Brownlee, Secretary, 2nd yr

Pat O'Donnell, Director
1st of 2 year term

Jasen Mangrum, Director
2nd of 2 year term

Aimee Hruska, Director
2nd of 2 year term

Karin Brownlee, Director
1st of 2 year term

Geoff Neufeld, Director
1st of 2 year term



Olathe Rotarians Support Our Club

Olathe School District Nurse's Program

Please consider making a donation to our Nurse's Program for the 2016-2017 Rotary year.

Contact Geoff Neufeld,
geoffneufeld@gmail.com

Olathe Rotarians have donated \$446,329.44 to the Rotary International Foundation since 1977.



Rotary Inspiring Network
and Community

RINC was created to help connect emerging leaders with each other, their community and local charities. We host regular social events, allowing these leaders to network with each other and with Rotarians. This group was founded by Rotarians with the hope that our community recognizes the importance of Rotary membership in the impact on local and international service and in leadership.

We Honor and Thank Our 2015-2016 Paul Harris Fellows

**Fred Pfeifer
Mark Martsof
Keith Johnson
Nick Awad**

**Herschel Dugan
Geoff Neufeld
Jason Armstrong
Dwight Douglas**

Betty Hougland

Steve Hougland accepts Paul Harris Award for his Mother, Betty Hougland, who passed away May 4, 2016. Betty was Olathe Rotary's first woman President.



Nick Awad passed away May 26, 2016. His wife Patti accepts his Paul Harris award. He was involved in many peace-inspiring and charity events and organizations.

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.

Spring Tour Of Japan

If you would like to join the team of Rotarians making the spring trip to Japan, please contact Olathe Rotarian Dianne Daughtery, ddkototaiko@gmail.com

Olathe Rotarians Support the National Parkinson's Foundation

Please consider a donation to the "National Parkinson's Foundation" to help support our club's fundraising effort. Donations will be received by Olathe Rotarian, **Kent Donnelly**

Deadline for Nov 1 Olathe Rotary Newsletter is 10/26/2016.
Newsletter Editor, Sandy Wilson, swilson199@msn.com

OLATHE ROTARY CLUB FOUNDATION

As of March 28, 2008, the Olathe Rotary Club Foundation, a public charity, received it's Federal income tax-exempt status pursuant to Internal Revenue Code 501 (c) 3. The Foundation, as an arm of the Olathe Rotary Club, is managed by a separate, unpaid, 7-member Board of Trustees, selected from members of the Olathe Rotary Club.. The Foundation's MISSION is to make grants and donations, approved by the Foundation Trustees, for educational, scientific, literacy, and other charitable purposes in our local community, state, nation, and world.

**Please remember our
Olathe Rotary Club Foundation
when planning
or rewriting
your Trust or Will**