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ROTARY CLUB OF WEST ALLIS  
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THE FOUR WAY TEST OF THE THINGS WE THINK, SAY OR DO

Is it the truth? Is it fair to all concerned? Will it build goodwill and better friendships? Will it be beneficial to all concerned?



Week of 6.01.2017

## WELCOME TO ROTARY!

We are neighbors, community leaders, and global citizens uniting for the common good. With you, we can accomplish even more.

Reasons to love Rotary right now .... Reasons #38: **Rotary means having fun while doing good!**

**June is Rotary Fellowship month ... did you know?** Rotary Fellowships consist of members who share a common interest in recreational activities, sports, hobbies, or professions. These groups help expand skills, foster vocational development, and enhance the Rotary experience by exploring interests while developing connections around the world.

**Fellowships include:** 4x4 vehicles • Amateur Radio • Antique Automobiles • Authors & Writers • Beer • Bird Watching • Bowling • Canoeing • Caravanning • Chess • Computer Users • Cooking • Convention Goers • Corporate Social Responsibility • Cricket • Cruising • Curling • Cycling • Doll Lovers • Draughts (Checkers) • E-Clubs • Editors & Publishers • Educators • Environment • Ethics • Esperanto • Fishing • Flying • Genealogists • Go • Golf • Health Professionals • Home Exchange • Honorary Consuls • Horseback Riding • Internet • Italian Culture • Jazz • Latin Culture • Lawyers • Magicians • Magna Graecia • Marathon Running • Military Veterans • Motorcycling • Music • Old & Rare Books • Past District Governors • Photographers • Police & Law Enforcement • Pre-Colombian Civilizations • Quilters & Fiber Artists • Railroads • Recreational Vehicles • Rotary Global History • Rotary Heritage & History • Rotary Means Business • Rotary on Pins • Rotary on Stamps • Rowing • Russian Culture • Scouting • Scuba Diving • Shooting Sports • Singles • Skiing • Social Networks • Table Tennis • Tennis • Total Quality Management • Travel & Hosting • Wellness and Fitness • Whisk(e)y • Wine • Yachting

**Last week: May 25<sup>th</sup> – Robert Beezat, Character Based Management**

Robert Beezat is the author of “Character Based Management” – a book that challenges everyone in a management position to improve the effectiveness, productivity and job satisfaction of employees by improving his or her own character.



While technical skills and job related knowledge are important, a great boss will also display qualities that include: honesty; respect; thoughtful communication; fairness; and a genuine care and concern about employees. The book provides how-to suggestions for self-improvement and blends academic, philosophical, and practical principles to show how character influences success as a manager.

Robert Beezat has managed a broad range of organizations in business, government, and the not for profit sectors. He consults with local governments and conducts supervisory and management training workshops. He has also taught business, human resources, and supervisory management courses. More information can be found at: [www.characterbasedmanagement.net](http://www.characterbasedmanagement.net)

Attendance: 27 members, 1 visitor, 4 students & 1 speaker

**This week: June 1<sup>st</sup> – Steve Kosnar, Sodexo & Amanda Schwichtenberg, Recreation Dept WAWM School District - Summer Playground and Meal programs**

Thanks, Tim Klare

**P.S. funny sayings:** “Anyone who uses the phrase “easy as taking candy from a baby” has never tried taking candy from a baby.” ♦ “In order to keep a true perspective of one’s importance, everyone should have a dog that will worship him and a cat that will ignore him.” ♦ “If you want breakfast in bed. Sleep in the kitchen.” ♦ “Push will get a person almost anywhere- except through a door marked “pull.” ♦ “If at first you don’t succeed, then skydiving is not for you.” ♦ “If I’m driving you crazy just remember to put on your seat belt.”

**Rotary Club of West Allis  
2016 - 2017**

**FUN FACTS ABOUT THE ROTARY CLUB OF WEST ALLIS  
JUNE 2017 IS ROTARY'S 100<sup>TH</sup> BIRTHDAY!**

**Officers:**

**President**

Tim Klare

**Vice President**

Terese Beauchamp

**Secretary**

Cathy Manthei

**Treasurer**

Kathleen Dagenhardt

**Executive Secretary/  
Treasurer**

Joe Kempen

**Sergeant-at-Arms**

Lisa Berman

**Past President**

John Ash

**Directors:**

Jeannette Bell: 2018

Erin Buhrmester: 2018

Frank Bevsek: 2019

Steve Hook: 2020

Lee Breese: 2020

Sherry Saiki: 2019

**Rotary Club of West Allis  
Foundation, Inc.**

**Officers:**

**President**

Steve Affeldt: 2018

**Vice President**

Wayne Tillmann: 2017

**Secretary**

Judy Shabman: 2018

**Treasurer**

Sue Zwitter: 2019

**Directors:**

Don Charlier: 2019

Sherry Saiki: 2017

Tim Klare: ex officio

**Fundraising goal progress**



Celebrate Rotary's 100<sup>th</sup> Birthday by empowering members to continue another 100 years of doing good.

Extra contributions received between 1 July 2016 and 30 June 2017 count toward this goal.



**June Birthdays**

Cathy Manthei (6/07) ♦ Wayne Tillmann (6/20)

**June Anniversaries**

Brenda & Peter Merschdorf (6/02/2007) 10 years

♦ Kevin & Carolyn Haass (6/08/2002) 15 years

♦ Kathleen & Jeffrey Dagenhardt (6/09/1979) 38 years

♦ Mark & Jackie Ellington (6/21/1969) 48 years ♦ Sue & Ron Zwitter (6/25/1960) 57 years

♦ Tim & Annette Klare (6/27/1992) 25 years

♦ Kent & Karen Waterbury (6/30/1995) 22 years

**June Rotary Anniversaries**

Don Charlier 6/02/1977 (39 years) ♦ Judy Shabman 6/09/1994 (22 years)

♦ John Ash 6/25/1987 (29 years)

**THIS WEEK'S PROGRAM**

June 1<sup>st</sup> – Steve Kosnar, Sodexo & Amanda Schwichtenberg, Recreation Dept WAWM School District - Summer Playground and Meal programs

**UPCOMING PROGRAMS**

June 8<sup>th</sup> – Charles Wiley, News Media Bias – Key to the Future

June 15<sup>th</sup> – Meghan Schopp, Milwaukee Public Museum Programs

**UPCOMING COMMUNITY EVENTS, NOTES & OTHER**

**2017 District Conference – District 6270 – June 1<sup>st</sup> -3<sup>rd</sup>**

\* Potawatomi Hotel & Casino, Milwaukee WI \*

**West Allis Ala Carte – Sunday, June 4<sup>th</sup>**

**PLEASE HELP – contact Judy ASAP if you can help set-up and/or take-down**

\* Greenfield Avenue between S. 70th & S. 76th St / Noon to 6:30PM / 2017 = 10th anniversary! \*

**West Allis Rotary Changing of the Guard – Thursday, June 29<sup>th</sup>**

\* Steak House 100, West Allis WI – 5:30PM

Electronic invites will be sent / if preferred, please contact Terese for paper copies \*

More funny sayings: "So far, this is the oldest I've ever been." ♦ "If I had cleared the trees and drove the green, it would've been a great shot." ♦ "Never steal. The government hates competition." ♦ "I asked my parents what's it like to have such an awesome kid, they told me to ask my grandparents."

**Next Rotary Board Meeting Wednesday, June 14<sup>th</sup> ♦ 5:30 to 6:30 PM at the West Allis Fire Department**

**Club Meeting Time & Place ♦ The Columbus Club ♦ 1800 S. 92<sup>nd</sup> Street ♦ West Allis, Wisconsin 53214 ♦ Thursdays ♦ 11:45 AM to 1:00 PM**