



**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?

*Service above self.*

## This Week's Program

H<sub>2</sub>O for Life, AP Geography Program [Program arranged by Rex Cattanach.]

## Last Week's Program

Gorden Hedahl spoke about the Rotary Foundation.  
 [Program arranged by Cattanach and Rheinberger.]



## Upcoming Programs:

Feb 21 H<sub>2</sub>O for Life, AP Geography Program  
 Feb 28 St Croix River Association, Tracy Maki  
 Mar 7 To Be Confirmed  
 Mar 14 St. Croix Valley Transportation for Elderly—Service Project

## Greeter Schedule

2/21	Keith Komro	4/11	Peter Polga
2/28	Molly O'Rourke	4/18	Dave Palmer
3/7	Lou Saeger	4/25	Bev Driscoll
3/14	John Lammers	5/2	Angie Laska
3/21	Oree Robinson	5/9	Lori Johnson
3/28	Roger Smith	5/16	Kathy Buchholz
4/4	Steve Keister	5/23	Peter Clements

## Weekly Newsletter Stillwater Rotary Club Club 2171, District 5960

- Birthdays (2/17-23)  
None this week
- Wedding Anniversaries (2/17-23)  
None this week
- Club Anniversaries (2/17-23)  
Erv Neff—35 years (2/20)
- Attendance Last Week  
28 members (49.1%)
- Guests Last Week
- Make-ups

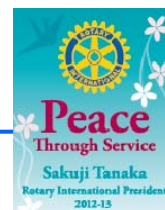
Note: All dates come from the Club website. If they are not correct, please let Bill Turnblad know and he'll correct your profile for you.

## Officers

President: Bob Eiselt  
 President Elect: Bev Driscoll  
 Vice-President: Molly O'Rourke  
 Treasurer: Keith Komro  
 Secretary: Dolly Parker  
 Immediate Past Pres: Katie Rolf

## Meetings

Thursdays @ 11:45 AM  
 Lowell Inn  
 102 N. 2nd St, Stillwater, MN



## Quote for the Week

As a child my family's menu consisted of two choices: take it or leave it.

— Buddy Hackett



## Local & District News

### 2013 District Conference



Registration is now open for the 2013 District Conference.

At the District Conference, you'll find dynamic speakers with messages that are relevant to your work, to Rotary and to the world. You'll learn more about Rotary. You'll have a chance to participate in a hands-on service project as we pack meals for Feed My Starving Children. You'll gain fresh ideas for your club as you network with folks from clubs throughout our district. At the Friday evening banquet, you'll get an update on Rotary International's Peace through Service initiatives ... and dine to strolling accordion music (just like the streets of Paris!) ... and experience a Rotary tribute to Ol' Blue Eyes (that's Frank Sinatra, of course!).

The District Conference is about Rotary. It is about service. It is about networking. And ... it is about fun! Follow the link below and register today!

[www.rotary5960.org/registration](http://www.rotary5960.org/registration).

(Account name: future  
Password: yourhands)

Joseph J. Kovarik  
District 5960 Governor

## Rotary news in brief from around the globe

The Rotarian -- February 2013

### Cameroun

Early last year, the Rotary Club of Fergus-Elora, Ont., Canada, worked with the Rotary Club of Bafoussam to install potable water systems in seven rural villages as part of Hand Up Cameroon, a project involving 34 clubs in Canada and the United States. One of the villages, called Bawouk, has 1,300 residents, who are mostly women and children; many of the working-age men have migrated to the nearby city of Bamenda to find work. The new water systems will benefit these families as well as the students and traders who come from neighboring villages for Bawouk's primary school and market.

### Nicaragua

Every November, the Rotary Club of Waterloo, Iowa, sends Rotarians and other volunteers to impoverished areas of Nicaragua with two semitrucks full of donated Christmas gifts. Churches, school groups, and Rotarians from Iowa and seven other states work year-round to collect the goods. Since 2001, they've shipped about 2,400 "shoeboxes" – packages loaded with clothing, school supplies, and toiletries for kids – 790 layette bags filled with supplies for new mothers, 100 bicycles, and 12 tons of food.

### Taiwan

District 3500 had an all-time record number of Rotary Foundation Major Donors (individuals or couples whose cumulative donations to the Foundation total at least \$10,000) in the 2011-12 Rotary year. A ceremony at the district conference in April recognized 82 Major Donors, including three who decided to donate on the spot. Inspired by the generosity of his district, Tony Hung-Ming Chang, then district governor, declared his intention on stage at the ceremony to become a member of the Arch C. Klumph Society; he was inducted with his wife, Julia, on October 26, along with three other couples and one individual from Taiwan who have donated \$250,000 or more to the Foundation. The district's total contribution exceeded \$1.5 million in 2011-12, another district record.

### USA

The Wekiva River Basin provides clean drinking water, habitats for indigenous plants and wildlife, and outdoor recreation venues across 380 square miles in central Florida, but excessive nitrates have degraded the water quality. To preserve the federally designated Wild and Scenic River and the local water supply, the Rotary Club of Seminole County South launched an initiative to promote river-friendly policies among homeowners and businesses. By signing on to the Wekiva River Promise, residents pledge to limit their use of fertilizer and pesticides, grow native plants, regularly inspect their septic tanks, and write letters to government officials in support of Wekiva River Basin conservation efforts.