

April 11, 2013

CWG WHEEL

STILLWATER ROTARY CLUB - Chartered August 1, 1919

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



School District 834 Strategic Plan

Last Week's Program

Tom Warth founder of Books for Africa, spoke about the organization. [Introduced by Scott Mercer].



Upcoming Programs:



- Apr 11 District 834 Strategic Plan
- Apr 18 50 Years of Rotary
- Apr 25 9th Grade Essay Contest
- May 2 Federal Judge John Tunheim—Law Day with Lions (at the Lowell Inn Conference Center)

Greeter Schedule

		5/9	Lori Johnson
4/11	Peter Polga	5/16	Kathy Buchholz
4/18	Dave Palmer	5/23	Peter Clements
4/25	Bev Driscoll		
5/2	Angie Laska		

Weekly Newsletter Stillwater Rotary Club Club 2171, District 5960

- Birthdays (4/7-13)
Steve Keister (4/8)
- Wedding Anniversaries (4/7-13)
None this week
- Club Anniversaries (4/7-13)
Fred Hochhalter
43 years (4/9)
- Attendance Last Week
30 members (52.6%)
- 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

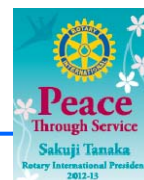
Thursdays @ 11:45 AM
Lowell Inn
102 N. 2nd St, Stillwater, MN



Quote of the Week

Always end the name of your child with a vowel, so that when you yell the name will carry.

- Bill Cosby



Rotary Clubs to Host Youth Exchange Informational Meeting

The Patch
Posted by Julie Bunn
April 2, 2012

The Stillwater area Rotary clubs send students to foreign countries for the life-changing experience of spending a year attending high school and living with families in another culture.

Rotary sponsors the most U.S. students going abroad of all exchange programs and is the most affordable due to the tremendous support of Rotarians around the world. They also host students coming to our community – most recently from Ecuador.

An informational meeting is planned for students and parents to learn more about these wonderful opportunities to either study and live abroad or to host an inbound exchange student in your home.

The meeting will be held Thursday evening, April 19 from 7-8 p.m. in the Main Forum Room of Stillwater Area High School. Representatives from the area Rotary clubs, as well as current and former exchange students and host families, will be present to answer questions.

Families wishing to host a student must reside in the Stillwater School District or close to its border. Students wishing to go abroad can live in the Stillwater or neighboring school districts.

Candidates for Rotary Youth Exchange must be between the ages of 15 and 19 at the time of departure, and be a freshman, sophomore, junior, or senior in high school at the time of application.

Students must demonstrate scholastic competence, and be involved in extra-curricular activities.

Applications for studying and living abroad are due October 2012 for students leaving for their exchange year in July or August of 2013.

Gopher Athletics Update

As was announced the past two weeks at club, we have an opportunity to attend a dinner and hear from the U of M athletic director, Norwood Teague. This event is co-sponsored by Stillwater Noon & Sunrise clubs. You may sign up at club Thursday and pay by check (payable to: UMAA St. Croix Chapter) to Dolly, or RSVP to the address listed below.

Norwood Teague was named as Minnesota's director of athletics on April 23, 2012. He is a graduate of the University of North Carolina (B.A. 1988) and joins Gopher Athletics after an ultra-successful, six-year run as director of athletics at Virginia Commonwealth University in Richmond, Va.

Date: Tuesday, April 16, 2013

Time: 6 p.m.

Location: Lowell Inn Banquet Center, 102 North Second St., Stillwater

Cost: \$25 per person; buffet dinner and cash bar

RSVP: by April 15 to Donabelle Hansen at 651-439-6918 or pthansen@aol.com

Robert Eiselt

Tri-Club Mixer

Rotarians!

Our Spring Tri-Club Mixer is coming up on Thursday, April 25th, at the Lake Elmo Event Center. Hosted by the Lake Elmo Rotary Club. This event is going to be a chili cook-off competition between our three clubs! At stake, bragging rights and a special traveling trophy!! Cocktails/appetizers begin at 5:30 and the chili dinner at 6:30! Members and their spouses or significant other are invited!

Our very own chef supreme "Chef Louie" (Lou Sager) will be concocting a very special authentic chili for our entry!! We also have a team of volunteers putting together salad as part of our contribution to the event. Additional volunteers for this assignment may still need to be recruited so, be ready!

We are trying to make this a special, fun event so please make every effort to clear your calendar and attend!! Let's see if we can be the club with the most members/guests at this event!!! We will pass around a sign-up sheet at club as we will need an attendee count by Thursday, April 18.

Make this the Spring event you don't want to miss!!

Bob Eiselt
President, Stillwater Rotary

Youth Exchange Committee

Youth Exchange Committee seeking members

Our club, along with the Sunrise and Lake Elmo Rotary clubs, shares expenses and responsibility for the Rotary student exchange program in our school district. The "primary sponsor" responsibility rotates annually, and it's our turn in the upcoming Rotary year.

We need volunteers for:

- Interviewing outbound student applicants
- Host family recruiting and interviewing
- Periodic check-ins with inbound exchange students and host families
- Youth Exchange "counselor"
- Public outreach meetings

Will you help us? Contact Lori Johnson at ljohnson@lakeelmobank.com or 651.770.4411 for details.