



## STILLWATER SUNRISE ROTARY CLUB October 9, 2012

### FUTURE MEETINGS

Oct. 16 – Andy Swanda, Director, TreeHouse, Programs for at-risk teens and families – Lynda Halbert  
Oct. 23 – Dr. Bernard Quebral – Medical Mission to the Philippines – Jeff Nelson  
Oct. 30 – Vocational Visit, Heritage Embroidery, - Georgene Gray  
Nov. 6 – Monique Hammond, RPh – Author, “What did you say?” – Tim Trooien  
Dec. 4 – District Governor Joe Kovarik  
Dec. 11 – **No Meeting**, Annual Christmas Party  
Dec. 18 – Annual STRIVE Breakfast Meeting – Val Fisher  
Dec. 25 – **No Meeting** – Christmas Holiday  
Jan. 1, - **No Meeting** - New Year Holiday

### FUTURE EVENTS

Oct 24, Halloween Parade, Boutwells Landing, Senior Living Center  
Oct. 27, Rake a Difference  
Nov 13<sup>th</sup> – Tri-Club gathering at Lift Bridge  
Dec. 19, 4 PM, Bell Ringing for the Salvation Army  
May 18, 2013, Brewer's Bazaar

### FELLOWSHIP: Steve Madsen



#### Visitors

None

#### Visiting Rotarians:

Norm Steer, Stillwater noon club

### Make ups

Art Fair - Craig Leiser (2), Margie Horning, John Stillman, Barbara Tischart  
Road clean-up – Dean, Craig, Jon, Steve, Mark L, Mary, Tim, Dan, Rick, Ed, Jason, Jeff, Bruce, Roger, Brent

### Links:

Link to Stillwater Sunrise Website: [Stillwater Sunrise Website](#)

Link to District Website: [Rotary District 5960](#)

Link to International Web site: [Rotary International Website](#)

Link to Stillwater Sunrise Facebook Site: [Stillwater Sunrise Rotary FACEBOOK Page](#)



### CLUB BUSINESS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS: President David Langer

Two more cannister's were turned in. We are now at about 50%.

Thank you letter from Good Samaritan Society Stillwater for \$250 grant. How used: Field Trip \$173.17, Campus activity \$54.26, Fiber Optic Lamp \$34.00 for total \$261.43.

Elizabeth Bradshaw announced a lot of Rotarians at Art Fair but not a lot of interest in Rotary from public.

Highway clean-up – Mark's daughter's sweat pants caught on fire at the heater, Steve immediately to the rescue, no injuries.

Halloween Parade – Barbara is still looking for people, especially for final clean-up. We are asked not to arrive before 4:30 as it is hard for Boutwells to handle us. We are encouraged to wear orange. E-backpak notifies families. Event starts at 6:00 P.M. Bob Rupp will also be putting an article in the newspapers.

Rake a Difference will take place on Oct 27<sup>th</sup>.

Jon Stillman announced that a year ago Oct 3 we had 429 cases of polio, this date we have 150. Thanks to all our support.

Mark Fisher gave Bill Miller a Paul Harris award for his outstanding mentorship of Kyle, a Strive student. He was able to guide and get Kyle on the right track after he was struggling in school. Congratulations to Bill.

Mel Sullivan was given her second Paul Harris award.

Joe Kovarick, District Governor will visit on Dec 4<sup>th</sup>. We are to wear a vest to go along with his vision, "Vested in you"

### **SARGENTS AT ARMS: Bob Gray and Mel Sullivan:**



It was Dave's birthday yesterday, Oct 8. We all sang Happy Birthday. He was seen downtown having an adult beverage to celebrate.

Dave went on WW11 Veteran Honors Flight Oct 6<sup>th</sup> as a Flight Guardian, very rewarding experience.

### **GETTING TO KNOW OUR MEMBERS:**

In order to get to know better our members, the previous weeks host provides a semi-biographical introduction of the host for this week's program. Skipped this week.

### **NEXT WEEK'S PROGRAM:**

Lynda announced next week's program: Andy Swanda, Director of TreeHouse. A program for at-risk teens and families.

### **PROGRAM:**

#### ***CLUB ASSEMBLY TODAY***

- Highlights of website presentation....
- Rich Cummings is one of our Charter members.
- Started with 20 members, up to about 60 now.
- Originally met at the Dock, and then moved to Joseph's after a stint at Oak Glen.
- We are part of 5960 district, 68 clubs in the district.
- Youth exchange program is a highlight of our club.
- Brent Voight is our secretary; Roger Ruetten has been treasurer for a long time.

### **JOKE OF THE WEEK**

It helps to be from Wisconsin to appreciate this story.

The year is 2016 and the United States has just elected the first woman president, who happens to be from Wisconsin. A few days after the election the president-elect, whose name is Susan, calls her Father and says, 'So, Dad, I assume you will be coming to my inauguration?'

'I don't think so. It's an 18 hour drive.'

'Don't worry about ...it Dad, I'll send Air Force One. And a limousine will pick you up at your door.'

'I don't know. Everybody will be so fancy. What would your mother wear?'

Oh Dad," replies Susan, 'I'll make sure she has a wonderful gown custom-made by the best designer in Washington ...'

'Honey,' Dad complains, 'you know I can't eat those rich foods you eat.' Do they serve tap beer????

The President-to-be responds, 'Don't worry Dad. The entire affair will be handled by the best caterer in Washington; I'll ensure your meals are salt free. You and mom just have to be there.'

So Dad reluctantly agrees and on January 20, 2017, Susan is being sworn in as President of the United States. In the front row sits the new president's Dad and Mom.

Dad, noticing the senator sitting next to him, leans over and whispers, 'You see that woman over there with her hand on the Bible, becoming President of the United States.'

The Senator whispers back, 'You bet I do.'

Dad says proudly, "Her brother played football for the Green Bay Packers."

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**Governor Joe Kovarik - District 5960**

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# Stillwater Sunrise Rotary family outing on the beautiful St Croix River!

Marina Address: 10 Elm Street, Marine on Saint Croix MN, 55047

Sunday September 16th 4-7 pm

Slow cruise on the river, with time for swimming from 4:30-6. Dinner from 6-7.

All are welcome to bring your pontoon boat, canoe or kayak's. Bring life jackets for kids and any swimming accessories.

**\$15 per adult, \$10 per child under 18**

Bring your own beverages/cooler. Please consider bringing non glass containers, except for wine bottles.