



STILLWATER SUNRISE ROTARY CLUB
March 15, 2016

FUTURE MEETINGS

<u>DATE</u>	<u>ROTARIAN</u>	<u>SPEAKER/TOPIC</u>
Mar 22nd	Bob McDowell	Mr. Rob Bach, Principal Stillwater Area High School - Engineering project
Mar 29th	Orwin Carter	Marty Rath and Donna Buell - A Trip to China
Apr 5th	Ed Simonet	Rick Shefchik, author, - Everybody's Heard About the Bird
Apr 12th	Jack Gibbons	VOCATIONAL VISIT - Cimarron Youth Center - Family Means
Apr 19th	Jeanne Matlock	Gayle Knutson, Adventure Traveler, Author & Documentary Filmmaker- Tundra Films / Jim Maher, Adventure Traveler & Free Lance Financial Writer
Apr 26th	Dave Spencer	Calyssa Hall - presenting the proposed Zephyr Theatre
May 3rd	Mary Parchetta	VOCATIONAL VISIT - Tour of Alternative Learning Center and our canoe project
May 10th	CLUB ASSEMBLY	Brewer's Bazaar preparation meeting
May 17th	Brent Voight	STRIVE - Danny Mishek, SelfEco/VistaTek
May 24th	Bruce Goldstrand	
May 31st	Ken McGinley	Ayane Tanaka - Presentation by our Japanese exchange student
June 7th	Jim Meier	David Schad, Deputy Commissioner MN DNR
June 14th	Mark Fisher	Ryan Maxwell, Refit-Life
June 21st	Lynda Halbert	
June 28th	Del Peterson	Gary Warren - Current issues at MAC (Metropolitan Airports Commission)
July 5th	Holiday week	No Meeting
July 12th	Shari Clifford	Year in review - "passing the gavel" to incoming President Mel Sullivan
July 19th	Dave Newman	Fast for Hope presentation
July 26th	Ute Buehler	

Please remember this is a 3-week commitment:

- Week before.....Announce Program & Speaker

- Week of Scheduled Program.....Introduce Speaker

- Week after ProgramBring Gift, Conduct Raffle & Profile Today's Program Host

Your speaker will have 20 minutes to present.

If the Tuesday you've been assigned isn't convenient, please arrange to swap dates with another member. (Call Tim Trooien 651-439-3153, or email timtrooien@comcast.net if you do switch.)

And remember: You will be assessed a \$30 charge if you forget to conduct the raffle!

FUTURE EVENTS

April 5 - Second Harvest Food Bank help

April 21 - Quad Club Desert Challenge

July 29-30 - Leadership Academy, District, Guest Speaker Timberwolves CEO

FELLOWSHIP: Janice

Guests:

Jack Mattloch guest of Jeanne

Ayane our Exchange Student guest of Ken Mc.

Treat, Cyra, Anthea and Garin guests of Paul Brazell
Pete Orput, speaker, guest of Chuck Buehler

Visiting Rotarians:

None

Make ups:

Craig Leiser - North Central President-Elect Training Seminar (NCPETS) (4) , District 5960 Board Meeting, District Finance Committee
John Lennes - President Elect Training Rochester (3)
Mel Sullivan - President Elect Training (4)

Links:

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

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

Link to District Governor Marlene Gargulak's : [Weekly Newsletter](#)

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

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

CLUB BUSINESS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS: President Shari Clifford



Hoops for Hope will be starting soon, sign up on line based on the mailing from Rick and Ken and pay them \$20. 1st place \$50, 2nd \$30, 3rd \$20, last place free entry for next year.

Don't forget the India Delegation which is coming May 18-21. We need hosts. Contact Arba-Della.

Pete Smith, contrary to last weeks entry, is not in charge of major donors for the Bazaar but is actually a very major donor to Rotary. He receives a nice gift from Shari for is major accomplishment.

If anyone is interested in RYLA either student or Rotarian, contact Shari.

There will be a seminar on Grants from Rotary at Family Means on March 19.

Please note we have two upcoming vocational visits so please pay attention to your mailings so you don't go to the wrong place.

Don't forget the help for the Second Harvest is April 5 and April 21 is the Quad Club Dessert Challenge.

Brett Emmons noted that he needs help with the exchange program for a short time. Also Ayane has an East Coast Trip coming up and anyone who has ideas for help in raising money let Brett know.

Craig noted that this year is 100 year anniversary for Paul Harris and urged all to give \$100 this year in memory.

June 18th is the annual Rotary Day at the TWINS Game vs the New York Yankees. Details on the District website.

SERGEANTS-AT-ARMS: Jennifer Giovinazzo and Mark Fisher



St. Pat's day coming up. Of clovers, how many are 4 leaf vs 3? Correct answer, 1 / 10,000.

Steve wasn't late.

Paul in honor of his kids.

Mel noted that at the Training program there are a lot of members of our club in a leadership position. We should be proud.

NEXT WEEK'S PROGRAM:

Bob McDowell will host Mr. Rob Bach, Principal Stillwater Area High School - Engineering project



GETTING TO KNOW OUR MEMBERS:

Chuck Buehler has been a Stillwater Rotarian since 1997 and has enjoyed every moment.

PROGRAM:



Pete Orput, our county attorney, has a long and involved history but Chuck noted that there a few items that he noticed that struck him. He is a former High School Social Studies teacher, he is presently member of the Board of Directors of the MN County attorneys Assn., he is legal counsel for the MN Chiefs of Police, father of 3 children and a former US Marine.

Pete graphically told the story of sex trafficking here in Washington County. Young run-away girls and boys but mainly girls are picked up by a friendly person who offers to take care of them and end up being their pimp. It is

amazing to review the ads on the internet for hookups with these and other girls. The ads appear in a popular site for all sorts of advertising called backpage.

Pete has recruited and trained people, attorneys and policeman to look for these poor unfortunate girls. As he said, too many of his tools are heavy handed including arrest and prosecution. He involves those from Social Services for example to intervene. We can all help by being aware and calling for help.

Joke of the Week

Three friends from the local congregation were asked, "When you're in your casket, and friends and congregation members are mourning over you, what would you like them to say?"

Artie said, "I would like them to say I was a wonderful husband, a fine spiritual leader, and a great family man."

Eugene commented, "I would like them to say I was a wonderful teacher and servant of God who made a huge difference in people's lives."

Al said, "I'd like them to say, 'Look, he's moving!'"

President K.R. Ravindran, Rotary International

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