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Rotary International— www.rotary.org
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Lincoln South Rotary—

<http://www.clubrunner.ca/CPrg/Home/homeS.asp?cid=6040>

CLUB SERVICE TEAM ON DUTY

Chris Dietz
Tom Cardwell
Brad Carter



Visiting Rotarians and Guests

Rotarians—Lloyd Johnson from Club 14.

Guests—Bob Cardwell, guest of Tom, Ryan Spaulding, guest for Elise, Bruce Boyer, guest of Jason Smith, Alex Groburg and Jeff Riechner our speaker.

HAPPY DOLLARS (For Literacy)

Jessica Kolterman, Gene Swinton, Carl Olson, Neal Lyons, Short Heinrichs, Dick Miller, Dave Hilsabeck, to Cardwell, Jenny Cardwell, Bob Cardwell, Joyce Schmeeckle and Brad Carter.



Lincoln South Rotary Clubrunner Links:

Meeting & speaker information:

<http://www.clubrunner.ca/CPrg/Home/speakers.asp?cid=6040>

Calendar of Events:

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Reach Within to Embrace Humanity

Future LSR Programs

- 3/9/12 Donna Wilcox– 100 Years of Girls Scouting and Plans for Hilltop House
- 3/16/12 Bruce Rieker– NE Hospital Assn Advocacy VP– Nebraska’s Health Insurance Exchanges
- 3/23/12 LSR Annual Scholarship Awards
- 3/30/12 LSR Board meeting– 12 pm at the office of Elise White
- 3/30/12 NO MEETING– (Annual Rotary Salute to Business on 3/27 will count as regular meeting)
- 4/13/12 UGRAD Student from Southeast Community College– International Student Perspectives.
- 4/20/12 Kyla Wize, National Park Board- “Food- Our Fundamental Right”

Events & Projects

- 3/27/12 Annual Salute to Business at the Cornhusker Marriott. Doors open 11:30.

Notes & Announcements

Salute to Business—This event which is sponsored by all 4 Lincoln Rotary clubs is scheduled for Tuesday March 27, 2012 at the Cornhusker Marriott. The Lincoln South table is filled but you can still attend. Cost is \$25 per person. Please see Joe Roberts if you are interested in attending. The honoree is Crete Carrier. This will count as the regular Lincoln South meeting that week so there will be NO MEETING ON FRIDAY MARCH 30TH. [See flyer with details on page 5.](#)

LSR Annual Scholarship Awards—March 23rd has been set for the date to hear the presentations and make the scholarship awards. Tom Cardwell will be the chair of the event and is looking for items for gifts for both the scholarship contestants and their counselors. [See details on page 6.](#)

Dues Increase—Elise announced that as discussed at prior meetings, the Board has determined that membership dues will be raised effective July 1, 2012 to \$215 per year.

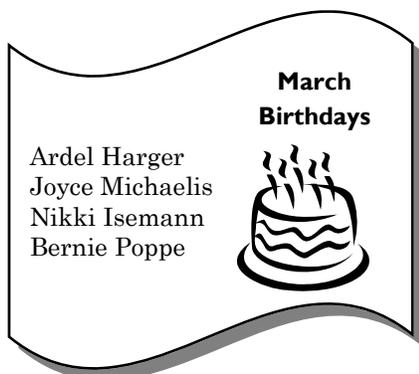
Knolls Fee Increase—Elise announced that she has been notified that the Knolls will be increasing the weekly meal fees to the following amounts:

Full Buffet	\$13
Salad Bar Only	\$10
No Meal	\$6

The increases are effective immediately.

Daffodil Days—American Cancer Society Daffodil Days is “wrapping up”. A tradition of Lincoln South Rotary Club is to wrap the flowers in tissue paper and tie with ribbon, making a pretty presentation. Volunteers Tracey McLain, Cheryl Brandenburgh; Tom Cardwell and Jenny Cardwell worked on the project along with Chair, Nicki Klein. They wrapped nearly 250 bunches of daffodils and then sorted the flowers into orders. In true Rotary fashion, we welcomed another volunteer – the daughter of a Rotarian from Kansas – who was introduced to Nicki by ACS staff. She was wanting to participate in Daffodil Days and needed some getting involved. Thank you to all Lincoln South Rotarian Club members who purchased daffodils and those who sold them to colleagues, friends and neighbors. The sales generated by Lincoln South Rotary are a major part of what makes Daffodil Days a success in Lincoln .

RI Foundation Drive—Joe Roberts, chair of the drive reported that Lincoln South exceeded its goals this year for the drive. We contributed a total of \$10,515 versus the goal of \$8,919 and we had 100% participation from the club. Congratulations and thanks to LSR members for making this the best drive in LSR history! [See page 4 for several Paul Harris recognitions bestowed on members.](#)



2011-2012 Club Goals

1. *Attain & Maintain 55 total members.*
2. *Increase number of female members & young professionals.*
3. *Hold periodic club assemblies.*
4. *Incorporate "New Generations" into current club service projects.*
5. *Maintain 100% sustaining membership in the Rotary Foundation.*
6. *Have a rewarding, unforgettable year!*

**QUESTIONS?
COMMENTS?
ARTICLES?**

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PROGRAM

Archaeologist, Jeff Riechner spoke to the club about his 30 years of research at Voyagers National Park in Minnesota. One of the goals of his research was to help the local Ojibwe (Chippewa in English) tribe reconnect to the land they sold to the US. The Ojibwe lived near lake Superior in the 1600's and represented one of the largest tribes in the US from Michigan to North Dakota and into Canada.



Voyagers National Park is between Ontario and Minnesota and was on a fur trade route because the lakes actually represent a giant riverine system. The history of the area is very complex. Jeff worked specifically on the Bois Forte project which combined history and architecture and was made up of numerous small projects. His research went back to the 1600's when 4

band of Ojibwe occupied the park. The typical family size was 25 to 60 people and the men from one band married women from another band. Since the Ojibwe initially sold their land to the US and no longer owned it, they held it by homesteading 80 to 160 acre parcels.

Jeff showed lots of pictures of various members of the tribe that were part of his research. They sampled archeological inventories from 50 sites dating from the 1730's to 1940. Approximately 175 people in 4 bands lived in the park for over 200 years. Most have now moved to local towns or to the reservation.

His research sources included claims data, diaries, newspapers, homestead records etc.

PLACES TO MAKE UP

Tuesday morning—Sunrise Rotary at International House of Pancakes at 4501 North 27th (27th and Superior Ave.) at 7:00 AM

Tuesday Noon— Lincoln #14-Nebraska Club at 13th & M.

Wednesday 11:45 a.m.—Lincoln East at Valentinos at 70th & Van Dorn

PAUL HARRIS RECOGNITION

NEW PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS

Congratulations to LSR's newest Paul Harris Fellows:

John Woodrich

Jason Smith



CONTINUOUS PAUL HARRIS GIVING

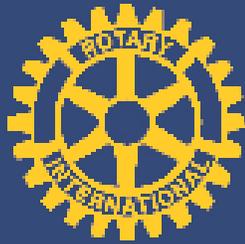
Neal Lyons were recognized for their continuous giving to the Foundation.

Neal has given over \$4,000

Gene has given over \$2,000

Thanks for your generosity!





Salute to Business

Save the Date

20th Anniversary

Salute to Business Luncheon
honoring:



Tuesday, March 27, 2012
Cornhusker Marriott Hotel
\$25
Corporate tables available
Doors open at 11:30

Lincoln South Rotary Club Annual Scholarship Awards



Wanted:

College-bound items for Scholarship Finalists (4 students)

Miscellaneous Gift Items for Counselors (4 counselors)

When:

March 16, 2012 – or sooner – so that the gift packs can be assembled and a “thank you flyer” can be printed prior to the meeting on the 23rd.

Who:

Bryan Block - 402-488-0934 - bryan@bmlfh.com



The Lincoln South Rotary awards scholarships to college bound high school seniors. Along with the money awarded, we have a tradition of providing gift packs – for the students and the counselors.

Examples of items that have been included in the past:

College-bound items – portfolios, pens, flash drives, gas cards, t-shirts, desk top items, mouse pads, calculators, pens / pencils, etc.

Miscellaneous Gift Item for counselors – office items, candies in candy jars, pens, magnifying glasses, calendars, etc.



Contact Bryan Block. He needs the back packs and gift bags as well as the wonderful gift items that will be inside the packs.