



# The Sower

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### CLUB SERVICE TEAM ON DUTY

Pat Grewe  
Bernie Poppe  
Elise White  
John Herdman



### Visiting Rotarians and Guests

Dave Livingston from Club 14 and Carol Andrenka our speaker.

### HAPPY DOLLARS (For Polio Plus)

John Herdman, Neal Lyons, Glenn Friendt, Tom Buescher, Dick Wampler, Pat Grewe, Tom Cardwell, Joe Roberts, Cheryl Brandenburgh, Gene Swinton and Kay Wunderlich.



### 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

### Lincoln South Rotary Clubrunner Links:

Meeting & speaker information:

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

Calendar of Events:

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

### Future LSR Programs

- 3/21/14 Dr. Bob Rauner—"Partnership for a Healthy Lincoln"
- 3/28/14 John Gale, Nebraska Secretary of State—"Nebraska's Role in the World"
- 4/4/14 Ron Ecklund-Why I am a Stamp Collector.
- 4/11/14 NO MEETING AT THE KNOLLS (See Salute to Business 4/8/14)
- 4/18/14 Lindsay Schuecker—Oxbow Animal Health.
- 4/25/14 NO LUNCH MEETING AT THE KNOLLS— See 30th Anniversary Party

### Events & Projects

- 3/22/14 Lincoln South Chili Feed Fundraiser at the home of John Herdman.
- 4/8/14 Salute to Business at Pinnacle Bank Arena. Cost \$30/person. NO MEETING AT THE KNOLLS ON FRIDAY 4/11/14
- 4/25/14 Lincoln South 30 Year Anniversary Party at the Knolls— 6 pm

## Notes & Announcements

**Salute to Business**—Salute to Business which is sponsored by all Lincoln clubs is April 8, 2014 from 11:30 am to 1:00 pm at the Pinnacle Bank Arena. Tabitha has been selected as the honoree. Lincoln South is putting together a table if you are interested in attending. See Cheryl Brandenburg if you are interested. THIS MEETING COUNTS AS THE REGULAR LINCOLN SOUTH MEETING FOR THAT WEEK.

**Lincoln South Foundation Chili Fundraiser**—The annual chili feed fundraiser for the Lincoln South Foundation is scheduled for Saturday March 22nd at the home of John Herdman. Cost is \$25/per person and if you prepay your admission you receive 3 votes in the chili contest versus only 1 vote if you pay at the door. You can also buy additional votes for \$10 apiece. (See page 5 for flyer with details.)

**Membership**—Mark your calendar for the new member orientation on March 20th at Joe Robert's office (Midlands Financial Benefits) 7101 S. 82nd St, Suite B from 12-1:30. Lunch will be provided. All members are welcome to come.

**30 Yr Anniversary Party**—Mark your calendars for Friday April 25th for the Lincoln South 30 Yr anniversary party at the Knolls. Social hour begins at 6 pm with dinner at 7pm. Contact Brad Carter for details.

**Golf Outing**—The golf outing has been scheduled for May 30, 2014 at Highlands Golf Course. More details to follow.

**Grocery Grab**—Nicki Klein announced that the second annual Lincoln South Grocery Grab has been scheduled for April 29, 2014. Raffle tickets are \$10 each or Lincoln South members can sell them for 3/\$25. The winner gets a 3 minute shopping spree at Russ's IGA at 33rd & Highway 2 to collect up to \$1,000 in groceries. There will also be additional prizes of gift cards to Russ's in varying amounts. We need to sell 499 tickets so each member is asked to sell 10 tickets. See Nicki to get a packet of tickets which must be sold by April 20, 2014.

**RYLA Camp**—Tom Cardwell reported that the District will be hosting a Rotary Youth Leadership Award (RYLA) camp at Camp Kitaki from 4/11/14 to 4/13/14. We focus on High School Juniors and provide lots of activities and leadership and educational venues for them. This year the activities will include a SKYPE conference with a group in Ukraine. Applications are on the District website and anyone can nominate a student to attend. Cost is \$200 and Lincoln South will be sponsoring 2 students to attend.

### March Birthdays

Joyce Michaelis  
Ardel Harger  
Bernie Poppe



### THE ROTARY 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 ?

## PROGRAM

### 2013-2014 Club Goals

1. *Attain & Maintain 50 total members.*
2. *Continue to Build on our successful fundraising events.*
3. *End Polio Now.*
4. *Earn the Presidential Citation.*
5. *Successfully utilize the Future Vision Grant Program to enhance our service projects.*
6. *Continue our exceptional Rotary Foundation giving.*

Carol Andrenge from Lincoln Public Schools spoke to the club about the Capital Career Center. The Center is a collaboration between Lincoln Public Schools and Southeast Community College to give High Schools students quality career-focused programs that prepare them for continued education and employment that contributes to the economic growth of their community. The guiding principles of the center include:



**Education:** Preparing students to graduate from high school and be career and college ready.

**Employment:** Equipping all students with the skills, education and hope to follow their dreams for careers.

**Economic Growth:** Establishing students in the community who are career and college ready to contribute to the economic vitality and growth of their family and community.

6 Career Pathways were selected based on the guiding principles above, availability of local business and industry to partner with the Center and the number of students interest in the careers as follows:

1. Health Sciences— Patient & Lab Careers.
2. Human Sciences— K-12 Education, Early Childhood & Culinary.
3. Communication/Information Sciences— Programming, Database, and Networking.

4. Ag/Food/Natural Resources Sciences— Ag, Biosciences, Food/Nutrition Sciences.

5. Skilled & Technical Sciences— Engineering, Welding, Manufacturing & Construction Trades.

6. Business/Marketing Management— Business, Marketing, Management and Entrepreneurship.

The concept is to offer a continuum of choices for students. They can choose

a career pathway right out of high school, go to a higher level and get a job in a technical field or go on to college and get a degree. Students can choose to get on or off the continuum at any point in time.

The Center will initially serve 1,000 students from area high schools. The students stay assigned to their high school and participate in their school activities but attend the Center for part of the day. The students at the Center would have the opportunity to earn high school and college credit (dual credit).

The center will be constructed on the SCC campus at 88th & O Street. Transportation will be provided by LPS for LPS students while students from outside Lincoln would arrange their own transportation. Classes will be offered in 3 sessions (morning, afternoon and evening) with possible additional opportunities available on weekends and during summers.

Tuition Assistance and Scholarships will also be available.

**QUESTIONS?  
COMMENTS?  
ARTICLES?**

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**Rotary is on the Web!**

**Rotary International— [www.rotary.org](http://www.rotary.org)  
District 5650—[www.rotarydistrict5650.org](http://www.rotarydistrict5650.org)  
Lincoln South Rotary—**

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

## DARREL HUENERGARDT BECOMES PAUL HARRIS FELLOW

Darrel Huenergardt received his Paul Harris Fellow certificate and pin on Friday. Darrel won the drawing for an immediate Paul Harris Fellow in connection with the Lincoln South Annual Rotary International Foundation Drive.



*Congratulations Darrel!*



# Chili Benefit Cook-off

## Lincoln South Rotary Foundation

Attend one of Lincoln South Rotary's Social events and support the Lincoln South Rotary Foundation.

Bring your favorite chili and enter it in the cook-off competition (details below).

Saturday March 22, 2014

6:00 PM until ??:??

At the Home of

**John & Nancy Herdman**

7525 S. Hampton Rd.

(Home):402-484-8477

(Cell): 402-730-4499

**Cost:** \$25.00 per person. Pre-pay and get three votes for your favorite chili; one vote if you pay at the event. Includes chili, dessert, beverage and fellowship.

Please invite friends and family. A good time will be had by all.

Sign up at a club meeting or RSVP to John Herdman  
[jherdman@binary.net](mailto:jherdman@binary.net)



100% of the proceeds to benefit the charities of the Lincoln South Rotary Foundation. Left-over chili may be purchased.

## Cook-Off Competition – Open to ALL

Attendees are the Judges

Let John Herdman ([jherdman@binary.net](mailto:jherdman@binary.net)) know by Monday February 17, 2014 if you intend to enter a chili in the competition. Please provide the following information:

- Name of your Chili
- Heat Value – Mild, Medium or Hot

Prepare your favorite chili and put it in a crock pot to deliver to the Herdman home no later than 5:30 PM on Saturday March 22th. Dinner starts at 6:00 PM.