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CLUB SERVICE TEAM ON DUTY

Logan Otto Craig Madson Jim Pattavina



Visiting Rotarians and Guests

Rotarians—Kim & Bruce Remington from Club 14 and David Crandal from Northwest Des Moines Rotary Club

 ${\it Guests}{\it --}{\it Dorothy}$ Huenergardt, Guest of Daryl Huenergardt.

HAPPY DOLLARS (For Polio Plus)

Logan Otto, Sue Connot, Bruce Remington, Bob Vrana, Clay Ehlers, Dave Hilsabeck, Joyce Schmeeckle, Dick Miller, Roger Olson and Craig Madson.

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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Rotary is on the Web!
Rotary International— www.rotary.org
District 5650—www.rotarydistrict5650.org
Lincoln South Rotary—

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Future LSR Programs

4/19/13 Robert Hinrichs Fuse CoWorking Space, "Co-Working Space— A New Trend for Small Business & Start-ups".

4/26/13 NO MEETING AT THE KNOLLS— Salute to Business on 4/23/13 will count as a regular LSR meeting

5/3/13 Lincoln South Annual Golf Outing at Hidden Valley. NO MEETING AT THE KNOLLS.

5/10/13 Group Study Exchange Team from Bra-

Events & Projects

4/23/13 Salute to Business at the Cornhusker
Hotel— Honoree St Elizabeth Hospital

4/26/13 New member orientation at Midlands Financial Office— 7101 South 82nd St

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Notes & Announcements

Golf Outing—The Lincoln South Golf Outing has been scheduled for Friday May 3rd at Hidden Valley golf course. We are looking for 20 teams this year. This year a sack lunch will be provided by Brown Baggers and Burgers & Brats will follow at the end of the day. Even if you don't golf you can come out for the dinner afterwards. In addition to teams, we also need volunteers for the day of the event as well as pin prizes and raffle prizes. Please contact Crag Madson if you can help. Craig.Madson@earthlink.net.

1st Annual Grocery Grab—This is a new fundraising project which Lincoln South Rotary is doing in connection with Russ's Markets here in Lincoln. 499 raffle tickets will be sold at \$10 per ticket (or \$25 for 2 tickets). On April 22, there will be a random drawing from the tickets and the winner will receive a 3 minute shopping spree (with a max value of \$1,000) at the Russ's Market at 33rd and Hwy 2. The shopping spree will take place on April 30th. We are asking each member to take a bundle of 10 tickets to sell. Contact Nicki Klein for tickets at nklein2@neb.rr.com

Group Study Exchange—District 5650 is hosting a GSE team from Brazil this year. There are 5 members on the team which plans to be in the area from May 5th through May 12th and will present to Lincoln South on May 10th. Host families are needed for team members as well as volunteers to provide transportation while they are in Lincoln. Contact Joyce Schmeeckle if you can help.

New Member Orientation—A new member orientation will be held Friday April 26th from 12pm to 1 pm at the offices of Midlands Financial at 7101 South 82nd. Any member is welcome to attend.

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



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PROGRAM

2012-2013 Club Goals

- 1. Attain & Maintain 52 total members.
- 2. Hold a successful fundraising event.
- 3. End Polio Now.
- 4. Earn the Presidential Citation.
- 5. Reinvigorate Vocational Service.
- 6. Have even more fun that last year!

Todd Lorenz from Olsson Associates spoke to the club on Friday. Olsson Associates offers comprehensive engineering and design solu-

tions for public and private infrastructure projects. They specialize in projects that involve many disciplines such as environmental resources and compliance, water resources, transportation, building systems and landscape architecture urban planning. They are consulting engineers who give technical advice as well as put together the plans for the contractors to build. They were founded in Lincoln in 1956 and now have locations all over the Midwest and Arizona.

They have approximately 674 employees with more than 200 located in Lincoln. Some of their local projects include Antelope Valley, West Haymarket, the new LPS headquarters and attached retail, Fallbrook and South Pointe Pavilions.

Todd spoke to us about "Project Oscar" which is the new corporate headquarters that Olsson Associates is constructing west of Historic Haymarket just 2 blocks south of the new arena. The structure will be 4 stories with retail on the 1st floor (possibly restaurants or a bank), Olsson offices on the 2nd and 3rd floors and yet to be determined tenants on the 4th floor. Before starting the design process for the building the company surveyed employees to

find out what was most important to them and the response was natural light and noise control. As a result the building was configured to give the most window space possible. They also de-

signed roof patios and a courtyard on the first level.

They will not be part of the historic district but right next to it so their goal was not to emulate the architecture but to blend in with it. Canopy street is the dividing line with the Historic Haymarket on the East side of the street and the new structures on the West side. They feel the new headquarters will help with employee recruiting and retention as it will be close to downtown living opportunities, restaurants, hotels

and entertainment. Also there will be 5 new parking garages in the Haymarket so parking should not be a problem.

Todd stressed that the city has been great to work with during the process. They plan to break ground on May 1st and to be moved into the new facility by August 2014.



