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CLUB SERVICE TEAM ON DUTY

Brad Carter
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Visiting Rotarians and Guests

Rotarians—Glenn Friendt and Don Kucera from Club 14.

Guests—Claire Carter

HAPPY DOLLARS (For Polio Plus)

Brad Carter, Clay Ehlers, Dick Miller, Dick Wampler, Craig Madson, Gene Swinton and Kelvin Kemp.



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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Future LSR Programs

- 7/26/13 Bob Vrana & Pat Grewe— "Rotary International Convention in Lisbon Portugal"
- 8/2/13 Luann Davis-VP for Advancement, Union College
- 8/9/13 Bob Vrana— International Convention
- 8/16/13 Julie Smith, ED Volunteer Partners
- 8/23/13 Bridges to Hope
- 8/30/13 District Governor Jim Griesen— Official Visit 2013-2014 Rotary Year

Events & Projects

Notes & Announcements

Foundation Seminar— Nicki Klein announced that there is a District 5650 Foundation Seminar at Quarry Oaks on August 17, 2013. Lincoln South Rotary Club will pay for any member interested in attending. See www.rotarydistrict5650.org - events on the right hand side to register. You can login on the registration page with the same information as when you login to the Club website. Bes sure to mark "pay by check" and Nicki will get notice to pay.

Foundation Grant Model—The Rotary Foundation has a new grant model. Annually, District 5650 gets funds back from The Rotary Foundation to use for District Grants. Local Clubs can apply for these grant funds which will be used to match money put toward a project by a Club. Lincoln South Rotary was involved in three District Grant applications for the 2013-14 Rotary Year. First, the Rotary Clubs of Lincoln submitted an application on behalf of the Dictionary project. Also, we partnered with a number of clubs on an application headed up by Lincoln East for a Music Playground at YMCA Camp Kitaki. And, we submitted for some grant funds to help with our High School Scholarship program. All three applications were approved - with varying match amounts. Volunteers will also be needed for these projects and you will be hearing more about this as those activities draw near.

July Birthdays

Kiley Weichman



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



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.*

Past President Pat Grewe gave a presentation of the trip that he and current President Bob Vrana and their wives made to the Rotary International convention in Portugal in June. They laughed because the welcome booth didn't have anyone staffing it so they decided to "staff" the booth and get their picture taken.

Roast pig was a local delicacy. Cuttle fish (in the squid family) was another popular food along with dried cod. They also enjoyed sangria.

Portugal is a very Catholic country with many beautiful churches. They visited Fatima, the Monastery of St Gerome and also a church which had a Rotary stone marker on the church grounds.

They visited a veteran's memorial, a carriage museum and toured a castle. They also went on a bike ride and met

some French people who were not very friendly to them when Pat tried to speak to them in German.

Convention highlights included: The exchange of a lot of flags with other Rotary clubs; An olive tree on the stage representing peace; A presentation on how to use the 4-Way test in business. It was also revealed that we need \$1.5 Billion to eradicate polio.

The theme for 2013-2014 is "Engage Rotary-Change Lives"



**QUESTIONS?
COMMENTS?
ARTICLES?**

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