

# Rotary O-Pinion

## ROTARY CONNECTS THE WORLD

Meeting each Monday 12:00 p.m. – Owatonna Country Club

**Four way test:** 1) Is it the truth? 2) Is it fair to all concerned?  
3) Will it build good will and better friendships? 4) Will it be beneficial to all concerned?

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### PROGRAMS

June 3: Farewell from Iringo  
June 10: Preview: Wenger Band Festival  
June 17: Claire LaCanne, Master Gardener: Pollinator Week  
June 24: Chuck Driessen: History of Culligan and Culligan Ultrapure  
July 1: Chuck Long, former U of Iowa Quarterback  
July 8: Erica Paley: RYE to Taiwan/Induction of new officers  
July 15: Sue Schroeder: Children's Remedial Fund  
July 22: John Hinderaker, president, Greater Minnesota Outreach  
July 29: "Nuga" Atewologun, President, Riverland College  
August 5: Preview: SCFF: Scott Kozelka  
August 12: Brian Wright, Park and Rec. Scholarships  
August 19: Christian Berg, OPD...Human Trafficking  
August 26: Nikki Erickson: "Visiting My Mother's Murderer"  
September 2: No Meeting...Labor Day  
September 9: SPAMBassadors from Hormel in Austin  
September 16: Al Smith Pencil Drawings  
September 23: Richard DeBeau and Alan Anderson: Climate Change and Rotary Action Team  
September 30: Visit from District Governor Paul Perez

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Monday, August 5, 2019

Editor: Todd Hale

**THIS WEEK:** A preview of the 2019 Steele County Free Fair with fair manager Scott Kozelka

**BIRTHDAYS:** Wes Kain, Aug. 5, Mark Mueller, Aug. 8, Bill Owens, Aug. 9

## **NOTES FOR ROTARIANS**

A note from President Mark Maloney: "Growing ROTARY is all about taking the connections that make our organization unique in the world and strengthening and multiplying them. Let us commit ourselves to growing ROTARY and to welcoming the next diverse generation of women and men as ROTARY CONNECTS THE WORLD."

**ROTARY...PEOPLE OF ACTION:** Education fuels innovation and progress. That's why ROTARY members encourage lifelong learning: exchanging ideas and inspiring generations of problem solvers. Learning together to explore what's possible...that's what people of action do. Find out more at ROTARY.ORG.

We all love limericks...here are a few:

There was a young lady named Ferris. Whom nothing could ever embarrass, till the bath salts one day in the tub where she lay, turned out to be plaster of Paris.

A magazine writer named Bing could make a copy from most anything. But the copy he wrote of a ten-dollar note was so good he now lives in Sing Sing.

There once was a runner named Dwight who could speed even faster than light. He set out one day in a relative way and returned on the previous night.

A forgetful old gasman named Dieter, who went poking around his gas heater, touched a leak with his light, he blew out of sight, and as everyone who knows anything about poetry can tell you, he also ruined the meter.

## **Volunteers needed for Fun Run**

Our club needs volunteers to help in the ROTARY FUN RUN to be held on Saturday of the fair. ROTARIAN Kim Cosens will address the club today on the needs. If you have a couple of hours on Saturday morning, consider helping.

**THREE TIME CHAMPS!** Rotarian Mike Noble and his guest, Kevin Shea won the recent Shea Open here at the OCC for the 3<sup>rd</sup> year in a row!

## **A few hints for ROTARIANS:**

The Zipper is stuck. After removing any caught fabric or threads and testing the zipper again, rub a pencil tip on its teeth. If the graphite doesn't help, try lip balm, bar soap or Windex. Lubricate a few inches at a time as you pull the zipper down.

OK guys...if your fly won't stay up, the zipper will need replacing. But you can keep a zipper up by sliding a key ring or rubber band through the pull and over the pants button.

So anyway: My wife was hinting about what she wanted for our upcoming anniversary. She said, "I want something shiny that goes from 0 to 165 in about two seconds." I bought her a bathroom scale. That's when the fight started.