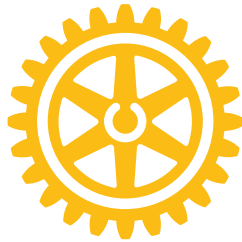


Rotary



O-Pinion

Owatonna, Minnesota

Meeting each Monday 12:10 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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AREA MEETING PLACES & TIMES

Austin	Mondays	Noon	Holiday Inn	Winona	Wednesdays	Noon	Westfield Golf Club
Janesville	Mondays	6 PM	St. Ann's Parish	Northfield	Thursdays	12:15	Northfield Golf Club
Owatonna Early Edition	Wednesdays	7 AM	Owatonna Fire Hall	Great Rochester	Thursdays	Noon	Kahler Grand Hotel
Rochester Risers	Tuesdays	7 AM	Hilton Garden Inn	Waseca	Thursdays	Noon	Miller/Armstrong
Red Wing	Tuesdays	Noon	St. James Hotel	Albert Lea	Fridays	Noon	Ramada Inn
Faribault	Wednesdays	Noon	Bernie's Grill				
Mankato	Wednesdays	12:10	Old Main Village				

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

DATE

Dec. 30	Business Meeting/plus Jeff Williams, OHS football coach
Jan. 6	Lesa Anderson, Nurse Administrator, O-Clinic..Future Care Delivery
Jan. 13	Joe Bass, Union Pacific "Operation Lifesaver"
Jan. 20	Diane Dulaney, RN: "Aroma Therapy"
Jan. 27	Business meeting
Feb. 3	Program on: "Fast for Hope"
Feb. 10	Free Clinic of Steele County: Anne Draeger
Feb. 17	Mayor Tom Kuntz, Kris Busse "State of the City"
Feb. 24	Business Meeting
Mar. 3	Tim Boyer, 911 Call Center
Mar 10	Laura Ressler, Steele County Historical Society
Mar. 17	T.C. Carlyle, OHS Athletic Trainer
Mar. 24	Open
March 31	Business Meeting
April 7	Dr. Atewologun, President, Riverland Community College
April 14	Scott Golberg, Steele County Environmental Services: "Radon"
April 21	Owatonna Clinic Update: Dr. Brian Bunkers and David Berg
April 28	Business Meeting

ROTARY O'PINION

Monday, January 13, 2014

Editor: Todd Hale

THIS WEEK: Joe Bass, Union Pacific Railroad “Operation Lifesaver”

BIRTHDAYS: Earl Anderson, Erin Felton and Tom Sager: Jan. 8, Tim Holland, Jan 10, Luke Madson, Jan. 12

STUDENT ROTARIANS: Welcome to Gavin Glynn, Noah DeKam, Ben Konold and Nick Rappe

IN-BOUND EXCHANGE STUDENTS: Thor Thanormthin, Thailand, Adish Hirve, India

JANUARY INVOCATIONS: Dave Ramsey

JANUARY GREETERS: Kris Busse, Greg Schultz, Barry Gillespie

ROTARY NOTES

The following OHS students will be going outbound next year through ROTARY:

Alyssa Sattler: Spain

Luke Owens and Nick Beck: Italy

Owen Davis: Sweden

Josie Dunn Foster: Germany

ROTARIAN Jen Dunn Foster is looking for ROTARIANS to be an “Honorary Aunt or Uncle” to next year’s outbound students listed above. This person would act as a communicator between the student and our club. They would offer advice if the student had any personal problems...just making sure that the student didn’t feel abandoned. If you can help, please contact Jen.

Jen also is looking for a second host family (summer) for our incoming student from South Africa.

JANUARY IS ROTARY AWARENESS MONTH

ROTARIAN Pat Greenwood reminds you that Districts 4855/5960 have arranged for an outbound April 30-May 10 ROTARY FRIENDSHIP EXCHANGE to Buenos Aires Province in Argentina. Application and deposit is due by February 10. The applications can be assessed on-line though the RI District 5960 website, click on programs at the top of the page and on Buenos Aires under RFE on the left side of the screen.

Owatonna Business Women’s organization is seeking nominees for its 2014 Woman of Achievement award which recognizes and honors business and professional women living or working in Steele County who have distinguished themselves in their careers and impacted our community. Criteria for this award is nominees must live and/or work in Owatonna or Steele County and represent the mission of OBW which is to promote personal empowerment, professional development and political awareness. Nominees do not have to be current or former members of OBW. Deadline for nominations is January 17 and forms are available on-line at www.owatonnabusinesswomen.org or by contacting Brooke Schroht at 456-1369. All nominees will be honored and the award will be announced on Friday, February 28 at the scholarship fundraiser to be held at the Steele County History Center.

Ole and Lena were celebrating their anniversary. They went to McDonalds for dinner...Ya know. Ole was a big spender!!! Well, as the evening ended, they went home and got into bed. Silence! But finally Lena whispered, “Ole, on our vedding night yew said yew loved me.” “OK,” Ole said. “I love yew...good night.” A few minutes passed and Lena whispered, “Ole, on our vedding night yew kissed me on da sheek.” “OK,” said Ole, “Goodnight” and he kissed her on the cheek. Well, a few minutes passed, and Lena whispered, “Ole, on our vedding night yew nibbled on my ear.” Ole was very quiet...then all of a sudden he jumped out of bed and Lena heard all kinds of commotion. “Ole, vat are yew doing now?” “Vat do you tink, Lena”? “I’m looking for my teeth!”