



District 6380 News

September - October 2008



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Happy Fall, Fellow Rotarians!

I trust you all had a most enjoyable summer. Things are going very well in our District 6380. I continue to be very impressed with all of the Rotary projects which are **MAKING DREAMS REAL** for the children of the world.

Serena and I had the great pleasure of presenting District Governor Elect Judy Garver to all the Rotary International Officers – present, past and future – of Zones 27 and 28 at the Zone Institute held at the Kalahari Safari Resort in Sandusky, Ohio, the first week of September.



The following week, in Victoria, British Columbia, we had the pleasure of introducing Judy and her husband, Hal Parish, to Zone 22. As you know, District 6380, because we are an international district, belongs to both the Canadian and American Zones for this one last year. DGE Judy will be our Governor in 2009–2010.

MEMBERSHIP MATTERS

PDG Gerry Jackson has stepped down as district membership chair to spend more time as the extension and vision facilitation chairperson.

Gerry has just announced that the extension committee, along with 10 members of the Livingston Sunrise Rotary Club, has begun the process of creating a new Rotary club in District 6380. This club will be located in the Hartland community area of Livingston County. There will be an introductory meeting for potential charter members at the Hartland Glen Golf Course Clubhouse on Thursday, October 16 from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. The clubhouse is located at 12400 Highland Road, Hartland, Michigan 48353. The Livingston Sunrise Club will be making the presentation. If you know someone in the Hartland area who you think might make a good Rotarian, please encourage him or her to attend this meeting, and forward contact information to PDG Gerry (gerryjackson@comcast.net).

Dr. Paul Benson of the Berkley Rotary Club has stepped forward to become the district membership chair, and is planning a membership seminar for January 17, 2009. The location will be announced at a later time.

GSE

The Group Study Exchange committee has selected Barry Fraser, of the Rotary Club of Chatham as GSE team leader. Cheryl Savage, of the Lakes Area Rotary Club is the alternate Team Leader. There were seven strong Rotary applicants. We would like to thank everyone for applying.

The committee will interview team member candidates on October 15 to select the outbound GSE team which will be departing mid-March 2009 for Queensland, Australia. I would like to thank Kim Pierce for all her extra efforts in making the arrangements for the team leader interviews and the GSE committee for conducting them. Please note that the inbound team from Queensland, Australia, District 9630, will arrive in our district in mid-April. I hope everyone will help our “MATES,” feel welcome.

OLYMPIC DREAMS

Heart congratulations to Peter Vanderkaay for winning gold and bronze medals for the men's swimming competition in the 2008 Beijing Olympics. Peter is the son of Royal Oak Rotarian, Dr. Mark Vanderkaay. Peter swam the final leg of the 800 relay which set a new world's record of 6:58:56 minutes to win a gold medal. He also won a bronze medal for his best finish of 1:45:14 in the men's 200 free finals. Peter's first gold medal was awarded in the 2004 games when he was a member of the 800 relay team. In addition to seeing Peter swim at the Olympics, his mother, Robin, was interviewed on national television. She and the entire family were praised for Peter's swimming skills, and for their family values.

TAKE HEART

Finally, a note from the U.S. 23rd President, Benjamin Harrison (1889-1893), *“Our country is not made up of stocks or bonds or gold. It is comprised of the splendid thoughts in the minds and hearts of the people who live here.”*

MAKE DREAMS REAL!

DG Stan
District Governor 2008-2009
Rotary International
District 6380



Diary Dates

Due the 5 th of every month Club's Attendance Report www.rotary6380.org	January 18 - 25, 2009 International Assembly San Diego, California	April 2009 Incoming GSE Team from District 9630 Queensland, Australia	TENTATIVE 2011 RI Convention New Orleans
October 15, 2008 GSE team member interviews Royal Oak MI	January 31, 2009 Interact Day Location - TBA	May 1 - 3, 2009 Rotary District 6380 2008-2009 Conference Zehnder's of Frankenmuth	2014 RI Convention Sydney, Australia
October 31, 2008 Youth Exchange Long term applications due PDG Robert Baker - Outbound Chair	January 31, 2009 Youth Exchange Long term Outbound Orientation #1 Blenheim, Ontario	June 21 - 24, 2009 2009 RI Convention Birmingham, England	2016 RI Convention Seoul, Korea
November 13, 2008 Foundation Gala Club Venetian Madison Heights MI	March, 2009 Outbound GSE Team to District 9630 Queensland, Australia	July 10 - 12, 2009 Ohio-Erie Orientation Westerville, Ohio	
November 22, 2008 Youth Exchange Outbound Interviews Zion Church Mount Clemens MI	March 19, 20, 21, 2009 President Elect Training (PETS) & President Nominee Training Kalamazoo MI	January 17 - 24, 2010 International Assembly San Diego, California	
January 17, 2009 Membership Seminar West Bloomfield Public Library	March 28, 2009 Youth Exchange Multi-district Outbound Orientation Ypsilanti MI	April 25 -30, 2010 Council on Legislation Chicago, Illinois	
		June 20-23, 2010 RI Convention Montreal	

Barry Fraser - GSE leader

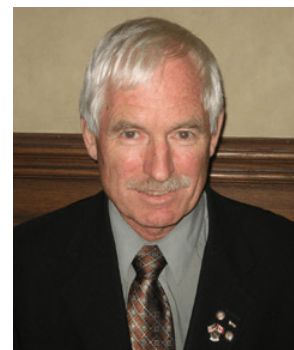
I will be the Rotary GSE leader from District 6380 (Canada and USA) to District 9630 (Queensland, Australia) February 26 -March 29, 2009.

I have been married to Carolyn for 36 years and have two daughters, Colleen married to Ian and a grandson, Elliott; Heather to be married to Mike next summer; and a son, Kent.

My first formal introduction to Rotary was being a GSE member to South Korea in 1977 and then becoming a member the next year. I was President of my Chatham, Ontario, Canada club in 1987-88 when the polio campaign was launched. I continue as chair of our club's environment and the vintage Mustang fundraising committees.

Carolyn and I have participated in limb camps and NIDs for polio in India the last two years and have witnessed the need for and impacts of Rotary Water Projects in Nepal.

My career has been in rural/urban/agricultural/organizational leadership development as a professional extension person, first with the provincial government and now as a certified agricultural consultant and farm advisor. This experience along with Rotary has opened doors for me in community activities and church leadership. I look forward to this upcoming GSE tour with young, outstanding leaders from their respective communities.



Barry Fraser



We want to inform the members of Rotary of the sudden passing of the son of longtime Southfield Rotarian Mel Janney. Mel has many friends in Rotary. **Richard "Rick" Janney's** visitation and memorial service were September 26 in Royal Oak.



With deepest sympathy ...

James "Jim" Winchel

The Rotary Club of Brighton, Michigan, sadly announces that James "Jim" Winchel, 68, passed away on September 9, 2008. A native of Indiana, Jim moved to Brighton in 1964 and worked at Colt Park Insurance agency, where he eventually became the owner. Jim was a natural community leader and served on the Brighton City Council from 1983 to 1999, as mayor pro tem from 1991-1993, and mayor from 1993-1999. He served with the Downtown Development Association since 1993, and the planning commission for many years. In addition to his work with the local government, Jim served many years with Work Skills Corp., an organization to help impaired people get training and jobs. Jim co-chaired the Livingston County United Way fundraising campaign in 2006, and served on the board of directors for Gleaners Community Food Bank and Brighton Commerce Bank. In 2007, Jim was recognized by the Greater Brighton Area Chamber of Commerce with a President's Choice Award for serving the community with distinction. In August 2008, the Brighton City Council named the pavilion next to city hall in his honor.

A longtime Rotarian and past president of the Rotary Club of Brighton, Jim was active in many events that ranged from helping to build wheelchair ramps with the Brighton Rotary Raiders group, making a key putt to help win the Livingston County Area Rotary Club's traveling golf trophy, or appearing on stage in the "Lip Sync" musical fundraiser for area seniors. On the day of his passing, the Brighton Rotary had organized a *Roast of Jim Winchel* as a fundraiser for Gleaners Community Food Bank to honor Jim's wonderful example of "service above self." When it became apparent that Jim would be unable to attend, Jim and his wife Gloria, insisted that the event still be held and more than \$20,000 was raised for the Gleaners Shared Harvest Pantry. Jim enjoyed golf, flying, and reading and said that many people were not aware that he held a private pilot's license. Jim is survived by his wife of 35 years, Gloria; a son, two daughters, and ten grandchildren.



Register early and save!
Register early for the
convention to take advantage
of special pricing!
First deadline: 15 December
Second deadline: 31 March
Register online at
www.rotary.org

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Do you want your club's event posted in the district newsletter or on the district Web site?

Email your request to Stanleysherman@msn.com

Be sure that you include a contact name, phone number and email address.

District 6380 Status as of August 31, 2008

Rotary			YTD	2007-08	2008-09	2008-09	2008-09	2008-09	Annual	Annual
International District 6380 Statistics	Membership as of Jul-08	Membership Reported to District 31-Aug-08	net gain or loss	Foundation Annual Giving (actual)	Foundation Annual Giving (Club Pledge)	Foundation Annual Giving 31-Aug-08	Foundation Restricted Giving 31-Jul-08	Foundation Permanent Fund 31-Aug-08	Giving Per Capita Rank	Giving Per Capita
Club	SAR									
Anchor Bay	25	24	-1	\$ -	\$ 2,500	\$ -				\$ -
Ann Arbor	316	309	-7	\$ 37,180	\$ 32,000	\$ 3,150	\$ 1,845			\$ 9.97
Ann Arbor Sunrise	15	15	0	\$ 2,300	\$ 1,500					\$ -
Ann Arbor North	35	33	-2	\$ 3,550	\$ 3,700					\$ -
Auburn Hills	18		-18	\$ 1,800	\$ 2,000					\$ -
Berkley	28	28	0	\$ 1,438	\$ 4,160	\$ 80				\$ 2.86
Birmingham	85	83	-2	\$ 10,140	\$ 8,500					\$ -
Blenheim	29	27	-2	\$ 3,960	\$ 3,300					\$ -
Bloomfield Hills	26	26	0	\$ 3,200	\$ 2,700					\$ -
Brighton	79	74	-5	\$ 5,995	\$ 7,900					\$ -
Chatham	69	66	-3	\$ 10,498	\$ 7,000	\$ 1,471				\$ 21.32
Chatham Sunrise	33	33	0	\$ 7,921	\$ 2,700					\$ -
Chelsea	30	31	1	\$ 685	\$ 2,900					\$ -
Clarkston	29	29	0	\$ 8,681	\$ 3,100	\$ 2,000			2	\$ 68.97
Clawson	18	18	0	\$ -	\$ 4,600					\$ -
Clinton Township Sunrise	16	16	0	\$ 800	\$ 2,000					\$ -
Davisburg	19	19	0	\$ 1,354	\$ 3,125					\$ -
Dexter	32	33	1	\$ 1,250	\$ 3,600					\$ -
Dresden	23	23	0	\$ 2,000	\$ 2,300					\$ -
Eastpointe	19	20	1	\$ 1,000	\$ 2,300	\$ 1,000			3	\$ 52.63
Farmington	25	24	-1	\$ 3,600	\$ 3,000					\$ -
Ferndale	19	20	1	\$ 565	\$ 1,900			\$ 175		\$ -
Fowlerville	29	28	-1	\$ 1,000	\$ 1,000					\$ -
Howell	47	46	-1	\$ -	\$ 1,000	\$ -	\$ 1,000			\$ -
Lake Orion	32	28	-4	\$ 1,000	\$ 3,000					\$ -
Lakes Area	19	20	1	\$ 2,750	\$ 1,500	\$ 128				\$ 6.74
Livingston Sunrise	60	61	1	\$ 11,300	\$ 6,300					\$ -
Lyon Area	21	22	1	\$ -	\$ 1,000	\$ -				\$ -
Madison Heights	10		-10	\$ -	\$ 1,000					\$ -
Milan	21	21	0	\$ 400	\$ 2,100					\$ -
Milford	29	26	-3	\$ 2,500	\$ 2,800					\$ -
Mt. Clemens	82	85	3	\$ 6,947	\$ 8,400	\$ 6,100	\$ 55		1	\$ 74.39
Novi	47	47	0	\$ 6,011	\$ 5,040					\$ -
Ortonville	15		-15	\$ -	\$ 1,000	\$ -				\$ -
Oxford	45	42	-3	\$ 4,870	\$ 4,320					\$ -
Pontiac	27	27	0	\$ 1,350	\$ 2,500	\$ 250				\$ 9.26
Richmond	36	36	0	\$ 4,000	\$ 80					\$ -
Ridgetown	36	36	0	\$ 5,951	\$ 3,300					\$ -
Rochester	98	97	-1	\$ 21,607	\$ 10,000					\$ -
Romeo	11	10	-1	\$ 100	\$ 1,000					\$ -
Royal Oak	47	42	-5	\$ 7,228	\$ 660	\$ 370				\$ 7.87
Saline	33	34	1	\$ 560	\$ 3,800	\$ 60				\$ 1.82
Southfield	16	16	0	\$ 200	\$ 450	\$ 50				\$ 3.13
Sterling Heights	24	24	0	\$ 6,000	\$ 2,000	\$ 500	\$ 500			\$ 20.83
Thamesville	9	8	-1	\$ 2,000	\$ 900					\$ -
Tilbury	24	23	-1	\$ 7,760	\$ 2,400	\$ 575				\$ 23.96
Troy	33	33	0	\$ 2,750	\$ 1,200					\$ -
Utica-Shelby	14	15	1	\$ 1,600	\$ 1,000					\$ -
Wallaceburg	10	10	0	\$ 1,408	\$ 1,000					\$ -
Warren	30	30	0	\$ 2,000	\$ 2,000					\$ -
Waterford	31	30	-1	\$ 6,575	\$ 6,800					\$ -
West Bloomfield	23	21	-2	\$ 1,846	\$ 1,500					\$ -
Ypsilanti	25	21	-4	1535	\$ 2,500					\$ -
District 6380										
District Total	1972	1890	-82	\$ 219,165	\$ 188,736	\$ 15,734	\$ 3,400	\$ 175		
			Per Capita ->	\$ 112.62		\$ 7.98				