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District 6250

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Today's Program

Avenues of Service

Upcoming Events Schedule

February 4	Tom Schneider- Shoulder to Shoulder
February 11	Elaine Semrow- Nancy Jens Riverview Auxilliary
February 18	Avenues of Service
February 25	Sue Siewert
March 4	Steve Sternitzky
March 11	Fred Stich

Sunrise Rotary News – January 21, 2010

Welcome Visiting Rotars and guests: Youth Rotars were Remy Henke of Lincoln High School and Ellen Weiler of Assumption High School. Carol Olsen introduced Will Green who gave the program.

New Members Proposed: Glorianne Neuville, speech and language clinician with WRPS, and Jeff Williams, editor of The Voice, have been proposed as new members. These proposed members will be discussed at Monday's board meeting and brought up for a vote on January 28. Anyone with any concerns please contact Dave.

Auction News: Next meeting is February 2 at From the Ground Up.

February 23: Designated by RI as a day to commemorate RI's efforts to eradicate polio.

District 6250 Meeting: The annual District 6250 meeting will be held May 21-22 in La Crosse. President-elect Wayne Johnson encourages all interested Sunrise members to attend.

Packer Pool Proceeds: It is anticipated that approximately \$1200 will be available from the Packer Pool. Haiti, the SWC Humane Society, and the All Children Together play ground have all been suggested as potential recipients of the proceeds. Please be prepared to discuss and vote on this at the Jan. 28 meeting.

Every Rotarian, Every Year: Dave Mueller distributed sheets indicating Sunrise Rotary's records of individuals' contributions dating back to 2005. If you know you gave prior to 2005 please inform Dave of your contributions as it may qualify you for a Paul Harris Fellowship.

Host Families Needed: Sunrise Rotary will be welcoming a Rotary Exchange student in August and is looking for host families, preferably in the Nekoosa School District. Anyone who may be interested please contact Steve Sternitzky.

Books still Available: Nancy Mischnick said two of Ina Pogainis's are still available. Proceeds help fund Shoulder to Shoulder projects.

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College Bowl Weekend: Mary Jo Green announced that on Feb. 20 students seeking financial aid can come to Mid-State and receive help filling out applications. It starts at 2:00 and volunteers are needed to help as ushers and other capacities.

Haiti Contributions: If you want to contribute to the Haiti relief effort but are unsure how your money will be best used Wayne Johnson's daughter who has worked in Haiti in humanitarian efforts suggested the Red Cross as a good choice. It was noted R.I.'s funds that are collected ultimately go to the Red Cross.

Upcoming Programs: The **tentative** list through mid-March is on the Upcoming Events Schedule on the front of the Script. If you need to make a change, please switch with another person on the list and notify Sergeant at Arms Paul Veldman and Script Editor George Hathaway of the change. Also tell George your speaker and topic as soon as you can. Please let Paul know of any of your audio-visual needs as soon as possible as projectors can be difficult to get on short notice.

Need a Program? Contact Paul Veldman, Sergeant at Arms, who has a list of potential programs.

Mentors Have Been Selected to greet Youth Rotars:

January	Linda Staub	Dennis McCarville
February	Tom Schneider	Carol Olson
March	Bill Beaton	Ed Heuer
April	Kim Auman	Mike Meinel
May	Pat Schuetz	Elaine Semrow

Note to Rotarians proposing new members in the next couple of months: Ida Lee Siewert will be gone but you can obtain materials from Wayne Johnson and Barry Jens that are needed to propose new members and introduce them to Rotary.

Will Green is a nurse anesthetist in the anesthesia department in Riverview Hospital. He has been a volunteer with Rotoplast which is an organization that has roots in the Rotary Club of San Francisco. Started in 1992 by Angelo Capazzi MD and Peter Lagarias it has separated from Rotary but works closely with it to deliver corrective surgeries for cleft lip and palate overseas. To date 142 trips have been made by volunteers that have helped 11,000 children in 20 countries.

Will showed photos from his latest trip from India and demonstrated some before and after shots of some of the cases treated. Will noted that amny of these defects could have been prevented with adequate amounts of Vitamin B during pregnancy.