



"SERVICE ABOVE SELF" - "HE PROFITS MOST WHO SERVES BEST"

The Four Way Test

1. Is it the Truth?
2. Is it Fair to all concerned?
3. Will it build Goodwill and Better Friendships?
4. Will it be Beneficial to all concerned?

The Big Wheel

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Holiday Party 2007 & Paul Harris Fellows

Article by David Schultz. Photos by Bill Kmiecik

The 2007 Holiday Party was held last Friday at the Meridian Banquet Hall in Rolling Meadows. This was a joint engagement with the Arlington Heights Sunrise Club.

A great time was had by all!



In addition to the celebration of the season, Paul Harris Fellows were presented after dinner to members of both clubs.



Update on Mike Silverman

Report by Terry Ennes



News continues to be good. Mike is getting visits from the grandkids.

He is walking the halls with assistance and is meeting or exceeding all of his goals. According to his doctor Mike would be able to leave the hospital by the end of next week at the earliest, or by the beginning of the next week the latest, barring any set backs.

Wow, what words to hear about a person that just went through a heart transplant that he could be out of the hospital in 10 day's to 2 weeks. We are all lucky to live in a time where all this is possible.

So here is the thing. From this point forward, Mike seems to be out of the woods (for the most part), though rejection is still a main concern. It will all be little baby steps until he gets out of the hospital. So no news is good news.

I'll let you all know when he comes home and then I am sure he will be happy to hear from each of you individually. Thanks to all of you for your great words of encouragement and love. They have all helped us get through this time.

"ROME WASN'T BUILT IN A DAY, BUT IT WAS BUILT EVERYDAY". This is all Mike needs to do by building himself back up everyday and not try to do it all in one day.

Upcoming Programs

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| Dec 20 | Major General David Harris, Ret. Report on Iraq |
| Dec 27 | Bill Kmiecik Classification Talk |
| Jan 3 | To Be Announced |
| Jan 10 | Congressman Mark Kirk |
| Jan 17 | TBA |

Holiday Shopping Project

Article by Lynn Jensen. Photos by Sue Dawson



On Sunday, December 2, our Club shopped for 58 individuals at Target. Those who helped are: **Susie and Pete Cavoto, Sue Duchek and Family, Mr. and Mrs. O'Donnell, The Pearson Family, The Walters Family, Matt Fink and Daughter, Sue Dawson, Sandy Baker, Lynn Jensen, The Corrigan Family, The Crawford Family, Stacey Mallek and Daughter, Wendy Davis and Guest, Betsy and Bill Kmiecik, Bob and Marcie Paddock.**



Upcoming District 6440 Events

From District 6440 Website—www.rotary6440.org

Jan 19-21, 2008

Train Trip to Lincoln Museum—Springfield
Registration Deadline—December 3rd

Jan 26, 2008 - Feb 04, 2008

Guatemala Dist. 6440 Service Project

April 24-27, 2008

District 6440 Conference

Correction

The editors regretfully acknowledge the misspelling of the word “December” when listing the upcoming birthdays in the last issue.

Regardless of the misspelling, however, the birthdays will still occur and cannot be cancelled, much to the chagrin of some who thought that they might not have to count them this year!!!

Past Presidents Propose 2008-09 Slate of Club Officers and Board

Article by Terry Ennes.

The Club’s Past Presidents met earlier this month and developed a slate (below) of proposed candidates for Club Officers and Directors. **The Club will be asked to vote on this slate at its regular December 13th meeting.**

If this slate is approved, **Bill Hoff** will serve as the President-Elect for the upcoming Rotary Year and as President in Rotary Year 2009-10. Bill has served previously as Club President for Rotary Year 2003-04.

Direct any questions you have to the Club’s Immediate Past President, Terry Ennes by phone (847-577-6500) or email (terry@ennestax.com).

Proposed Slate 2008-09	Term	Candidate	Year of Term
President	1 yr	<i>Ron Crawford</i>	1 of 1
President-Elect (Raffle)	1 yr	<i>Bill Hoff</i>	1 of 1
Vice President (Foundation)	1 yr	<i>Peter Cavoto</i>	1 of 1
Treasurer	2 yr	<i>Stacey Mallek</i>	2 of 2
Secretary	2 yr	<i>Lynn Jensen</i>	1 of 2
Assistant Secretary	1 yr	<i>Sue Dawson</i>	2 of 2
Director, Club Administration	2 yr	<i>Tim Corrigan</i>	1 of 2
Director, Community Service	2 yr	<i>Bill Kmiecik</i>	2 of 2
Director, Vocational Service	2 yr	<i>Linda Borton</i>	1 of 2
Director, International Service	2 yr	<i>Wendy Davis</i>	2 of 2
Director, Membership	2 yr	<i>Jim Miller</i>	1 of 2
Director, Public Relations & Special Events	2 yr	<i>Jon Ridler</i>	2 of 2
Immediate Past President	1 yr	<i>Ron Popp</i>	1 of 1

Greeter Schedule

December	Dawson & Tauber
January	Mulder & Schultz
February	Passannante & Kmiecik
March	Borton & Dawson
April	Tauber & Mulder
May	Schultz & Kmiecik
June	Tauber & Borton

Pledge, 4-Way Test & Invocation Assignments

December 13	Rick Koebernick
December 20	Bill Kmiecik
December 27	Roger Key
December Stand-In	Pat McMahon
January Stand-In	Scott Johnson
January 3	Lynn Jensen