



Plymouth Rotary Newsletter

District 6270 Club 2754 August 30, 2011

President – Clark Reinke President Elect – Chris Merklein Past President – Lisa Hurley
Secretary/ Treasurer – Karen White Board - Mary Richter, Tom Slater, Jack Fernsler

Schedule

August 31, 2011 – Ron H. – Vi Feldman, American Legion Poppy Princess

New Generations Month

September 7, 2011 – Derrick – Karen Jasniewski – District 6270 Polio Plus Co-Chair

September 14, 2011 – Dave – Mary Beth Seiser – District 6270 Rotary Foundation Annual Giving

September 21, 2011 – Wendi – Dr. Dharmesh Murthy, Prescription Drug Abuse

September 23-25th – Road America SCCA

September 27th – Welcome Table – 5pm St. Paul Episcopal Church - Brat Fry (from Road America)

September 28, 2011 – Road America Discussion

Vocational Service Month

October 5, 2011 – Ron N.

October 12, 2011 – Don – Club Assembly

October 19, 2011 – Clark – Jeff Tauscheck – Concealed Carry Issues

October 26, 2011 – Mary

Rotary Foundation Month

November 2, 2011 – Paulette – Frank Maydak, GM Frontier Communications

November 9, 2011 – Tom

November 16, 2011 – Frederick Phelps/ Leah Hankins, World Affairs Seminar

November 23, 2011 – Margaret

November 30, 2011 - Tina

Our membership count is at 21 – Invite a friend to Rotary. We need new members.

Visit the new District 6270 website. It's very interactive and has loads of information on it.

Our Road America talks haven't gotten us far in our decision to continue or not. Ron H. asked exactly where our money goes. Though this is stated in the financial statements every quarter, a list is provided at the end of this newsletter. Also there is a list of what Jack, Karen, Don, and Marvin do at the stand so everyone knows what is involved. These are the items others need to step up and take responsibility for. We need to make an educated decision before Nov 1st.

Past Meetings

We've been visited by Jeff Mehn, Director of the Children's Museum in Sheboygan, Christine Sloan from Collette's Daughter a new business on Mill St. and District Governor Nancy Rhodes. We need to increase membership as at some point RI will be charging all clubs dues/ membership fees for a minimum of 25 members. This equates to \$100 for every person that we are less than 25. Get your 'Ask' In Gear and invite someone you know to Rotary. Nancy stated we met our RI Foundation and Polio goals, which is great for a small club. Polio funds should be coming from the public to enhance awareness. We do this with Road America. Our website is current and all in all we received a good report.

Wonder why the Rotary year starts on July 1st?

Go to http://www.rotary.org/en/MediaAndNews/News/Pages/110708_news_history.aspx to find out.

Great Places to make-up a meeting:

Sheboygan Downtown - Monday at 12 noon at The Elks Club , 1943 Erie Ave, Sheboygan

Sheboygan Early Birds - Thursday at 7am at Al & Al's, 1502 South 12th Street, Sheboygan

Sheboygan West - Tuesday at 12 noon at City Streets, 712 Riverfront Dr, Sheboygan

For other district clubs check

<http://www.clubrunner.ca/portal/Organization/Meetings.aspx?accountid=50114>

Also visit EClub One Online at <http://www.rotaryclubone.org/> Lots of good information and very easy to do.

Working at Road America counts as a make-up as well.

Where Has Our Money Gone over time?

Annual Scholarship (\$1000)

World Affairs Seminar – 2 to 3 students per year (\$650 per student)

Plymouth Chamber of Commerce 'Positively Plymouth' Campaign Co' Sponsor

Wall Dogs Co-Sponsor (\$1000)

Children's Health Education Center (CHEC – average \$2000 annually up to 2010)

Plymouth Intergenerational Coalition (\$250)

Holiday Parade (\$200-\$400)

Santa Train

REINS

Shelterbox (\$1000)

Plymouth Arts Center, Annual Kitty Lynne Klitch Student Art Show (\$450)

Easter Seals (\$295)

Plymouth Eagles 4th of July Fireworks (\$200)

Camp Anokijig (\$200-\$400)

SHARE – 8 Holiday Meal Baskets (\$200)

Salvation Army

Memorial Funds (\$400)

Plymouth Downtown Business Planter (\$125)

LEWSPA for Haiti (\$500)

Supplement on District Simplified Grants (\$1000+)

Family Resource Center Brain Game Books

Here We Grow – new laptop, pc software and new games

Horizon Garden Project

Meyer Park Water Project

St Vincent de Paul Children's Play Area

St. Vincent de Paul Office Equipment

Beautification of Rotary Park

Welcome Table – Chest Freezer (\$300)

Lake Country Rotary Foundation Haiti Water Project (\$250)

President Elect Training Seminar (PETS) – (\$500)

District Conference Attendance – (\$500-\$1000)

Sure members can think of these things too.

Road America – What does Jack do?

- Post event inventory and status
- Review RA contract for changes/ impacts
- Post race clean-up – power washes inside floor and outdoor grill area as needed
- Reviews each race from year to year for planning
- Reviews all vendors from year to year for product purchase, pricing and amounts to be bought
- Places all orders prior to each event – Sysco, Miesfeld, Coke, Flipse, Larry's Distributing, Cedar Crest, Riley Bakery, Sargento and Serv-Ice
- Pickup cheese
- Wednesday and Thursday before event go to track to receive orders
- Stock back shelves, beverage coolers, ice cream freezer and snacks for event
- Rotate meat/ product from freezers
- Review Invoices
- Clean-Up Days before season – insure all equipment is in good running order. Repair was needed. Water seal picnic tables. Do all building/ grounds repairs/ maintenance as needed.
- Clean-Up Days after season – Remove all mats to walk-in cooler. Remove all product from back shelves excluding non-perishable products (i.e. paper goods), clean grease trap on inside grill (Yucky job if you've ever done it), clean and prop open all refrigerators/ freezers,
- Insure fire extinguisher is up to code
- Distribute nonreturnable products to designated areas.
- Clean all meat bins on last day of event

Road America – What does Karen do?

- Review insurance policy and pay
- Beverage Licenses – paperwork, get notarized, pay and pick-up at Town of Plymouth Offices
- Sheboygan County Health Dept. License
- Do RA Pre-Season Paperwork
- Review RA Contract for impacts/ changes
- Review and purchase product needs not bought by suppliers i.e. condiments, sour cream, milk, margarine, flavored creamer, hot chocolate, tea, sweeteners, mayo, baggies, foil/ saran wrap, coffee (decaf/ reg.), cleaning supplies, trash bags, salt/ pepper, PAM, etc. Go to Costco, Wal-Mart and Piggly Wiggly
- Do pre-season RA paperwork – tickets request for each event and hard cards
- Arrange with bank for money needed and pickup
- Solicit workers for all races
- Track schedule to insure full coverage
- Get RA tickets and distribute
- Monitor RA sign-in document
- Arrive 5 am daily to prep stand for 7am opening – open flaps, situate rolls, wipe down inside /outside counters and shelves, Friday do brat patties on inside grill, get coffee and coffee setup ready – 2 regular, 1 decaf, prepare salsa, hot peppers, and cheese for breakfast, fill snack displays, fill napkin holders (in/ out), set up money drawers, setup dishwashing tubs, setup nacho cheese, setup ham and eggs
- Setup sandwich papers

- Saturday/ Sunday morning move meat bins from walk-in to steam table
- Setup taco meat in Nesco and monitor through the day. Drain grease when done, and add salsa (3/4 to 1 bottle for a full Nesco)
- Cut tomatoes, lettuce for sandwiches
- Bag onions, pickles and sauerkraut
- Review supplies for next race – shop as needed
- Post event - store/ freeze product as needed
- Do post event RA reports – credentials and sales
- Pay bills – vendors, WI Sales tax, RA commission
- Report daily sales to Jack.
- Count tip jars – deposit
- Deposit money
- Pre- Post season cleanup as defined above

What does Don do?

- Weekend or Monday before event drains, sanitizes and fills water tank at SJB Stand (4-5 hour process)
- Works all 3 days where needed
- Cleans meat bins on last day of event
- Stocks beverage coolers as needed
- Backup person for money
- Pre/ post season maintenance
- Assists with stocking

What does Marvin do?

- Picks up and returns water jugs to Artesian Wells
- Delivers leftover rolls to Plymouth Food Pantry
- Runs for products as needed throughout event
- Stocks beverage coolers as needed
- Pre/ Post season cleanup
- Brings Donna Mae

REACH WITHIN TO EMBRACE HUMANITY

