



"The Downtowner"



KIWANIS CLUB OF ROCHESTER

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ROCHESTER, MN.

June 23, 2017

Coming Programs

June 29 Area Foundation building on N. Broadway

Program will be Steve Borchardt on affordable housing in RST.

July 6 NO MEETING

July 13 Sheriff Kevin Torgerson. Topic TBA

July 20 Randy Schmidt (Lt. Gov. Elect) talking on 'Cardle to Career'

July 27 TBA

June 29 will be at the RST Area Foundation office on N. Broadway. Bring cash or check made out to Kiwanis.

Wayne Wellick

Wayne is a former member and president of the Downtown Club. He is or was an IBM employee. Paul Austinson introduced Wayne who spoke about the Mayo Clinic IRB



Board, standing for Institutional Review Board. This is a Board of both Mayo Clinic employees and non-employees, split evenly and with a Mayo Chairman who can be the deciding vote. Board members are paid a stipend twice a year amounting to about \$7/hour. Terms are one year, although Wayne has been a Board member for 8 years. This Board was first established in 1974 to approve or reject medical procedures that have not been approved by the FDA, such as experimental drugs. Bio-medical research must first go to the Board for approval. Results of such procedures can result in death, getting better, or little or no change. The Board must decide such approvals or rejections. Prospective Board members are vetted by interviews with doctors. There are over 11,000 cases under review, needing an average time of 6 minutes (cont'd on Page 3)



The Circle in June is Scott Oesterle, Bill Kalmes and Paul Austinson. The Circle of Service for July is Bonnie Schultz and Dan Moore. (Circles should send Clare their programs as soon as possible so they can to have them included in the Downtowner.)

Stay alert for signup opportunities online at www.kiwanisroch.org



Expense Report:

\$242.16 Saints on Second for meal & room

Deposit

\$183.50 members paymt for meals at

S.on Second

The difference is Charge for Room, tax buffet service chg. & gratuity. (\$20, \$15.70, \$8.50 serv. Chg., \$29.26)

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22 Active members as of November 1, 2016

*Senior Member **Privileged Member ***Honorary Member
 **** Senior & Long Term Perfect Attendance
 *****Life Member

The preceding list reflects the official roster of active members according to Kiwanis International. If a name is missing or one is present that should not be, please let C. Warren know.

PRIVILEGED & HONORARY MEMBERS

***Jim Bouquet 651-560-4292
 ***Bob Fiss 288-7480

The Kiwanis Club of Rochester meets every Thursday (Starting January, 2013) at 12 noon at the DoubleTree Hotel - Meetings last about one hour. Lunch is a buffet including an entree, fruit, salad, and drink for \$12.75

Newsletter Changes

Remember to call **Clare Warren** at 254-2087 if you have anything you feel is newsworthy. We are trying to get the newsletter out every other week. It can be effective if you feed in the right information. Feel free to contribute something for publication!

Be sure to read the roster once in awhile and report any errors to C. Warren

Why not! If you have a computer, why not try to receive the **Kiwanis Newsletter via e-mail**. It is a quick and easy way for us to get the letter to you on time. We now have 24 ACTIVE members receiving it regularly. They enjoy the ability to get it in **COLOR**.

at www.kiwanisroch.org **2016**
 Dan Carlson President
 Linda Hull & Del Lawson Immed. Past Presidents
 David Nelsen Vice President
 Clare Warren Treasurer
 Austin Jorgenson Secretary



Committees

- Club Rep to District** Dan Carlson
- Membership, Growth & Education**
 Roger Krsnak, Charlie Graham, Del Lawson, Paul Austinson
- Public Relations** Mary Tompkins, Colleen Maddox, Ron Ilvedson, Al Lun
- Community Services**
 Dan Moore, Austin Jorgenson, Bonnie Schultz, Bill Kalmes, Bob McClocklin
- Youth Service & YCPO**
 Peg Anderson, Chair, Dick Weltzin, Mary Tompkins, Don Borcherding,
- Programs**
 Circles of Service
- Human and Spiritual Values**
 Colleen Maddox
- Finance** Irv Nehring, Chair., Clare Warren, Bill Kalmes, Linda Hull
- Donations/Charities** Dave Nelsen, Chair, Scott Oesterle

District & International web sites:

www.kiwanis.org
WWW.MNDAK.ORG

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per case, when the Board meets twice a week. Some cases receive payment or zero amount, but often get hotel rooms and free drugs or other compensation. Over 50% involve cancer research. There is almost no pressure from drug companies for specific studies.

Thursday, June 15, 2017

RE: KIWANIS Meeting Notes

Dan Carlson opened the meeting, followed by a comic moment by Dan Moore. David Nelsen won the drawing. There were a number of happy dollars by Colleen, Del, and Ron. Austin reviewed plans to meet at Saints on Second next week, saying we need to bring the correct cash (\$13.50) for lunch. The following week we will meet at the Rochester Area Foundation building with plans for a box lunch. Kathy from the Day maker's KIWANIS Club spoke about their fundraiser "Golf Ball Drop" to help kids in need, for \$5 per ball during Rochester fest. Top Awards will be given for any balls going in the hole, or for those closest to the hole.

Notes Presented by Charlie Graham



Programs for August

August 3 Michael Wojcik, City Council member speaking on the status of the city.

August 10 Dr. Tyler Oesterie, Mayo Medical Director to speak about Fountain Centers, mental health and drug trends.

August 17 Brian Crabtree, Olmsted County Water Lab Coordinator. He will speak about clean water testing.

August 24 TBA

August 31 Club business and brainstorming

(It was so unusual to get the program listing so early, I just had to find room for them!)
(Circle of Service, Charlie G. & Bill Kalmes)

June 22 Meeting & Brainstorming.....

16 members and Dee Dee Jorgenson met at Saints on Second restaurant. The meal was in a meeting room somewhat similar to the DoubleTree. The buffet was also very similar with chicken primavera as the entrée. This is one of the locations under consideration for the club moving to a new venue.

There was adequate free parking at the rear and under the hotel. This was the biggest complaint in our downtown location. The meeting room was very adequate, nicely appointed with built in projector and screen. The cost of meals would be the same as the DoubleTree, \$13.50, but the room would be a cost of only \$20 instead of the current \$35. After much discussion, it appeared that the members present were nearly unanimous in the desire to leave the downtown, primarily due to difficult parking.

Some wanted to approve the move to Saints on Second, but after discussion, we will wait to determine where to re-locate after next week's meeting to be at the Rochester Area Foundation building.

It was determined that the club will not meet July 6 due to the July 4th Holiday.

There was a discussion on the continuing effort to get new members. **It was moved and passed that any member getting a new member will receive 4 consecutive free meals at our meetings.**

Alternative locations considered were Charlies at Hillcrest, but not recommended by the committee.

If you have anything further to add to this discussion, Austin Jorgenson was leading that committee and would appreciate your feedback. Give him a call or send an email.

Austinj4@gmail.com

Thanks a lot to Austin for guiding us through this transition. You and your group are appreciated!



Copy of bill from Saints on Second



Some old, some new

- ◆ I read that 4,153,237 people got married last year; not to cause any trouble but shouldn't that be an even number?
- ◆ Today a man knocked on my door and asked for a small donation towards the local swimming pool. I gave him a glass of water.
- ◆ I want to die peacefully in my sleep, like my grandfather. Not screaming and yelling like the passengers in his car.

- ^ I find it ironic that the colors red, white and blue stand for freedom until they are flashing behind you.
- ◆ A recent study has found that women who carry a little extra weight live longer than the men who mention it.
- ◆ Relationships are a lot like algebra. Have you ever looked at your X and wondered Y?
- ◆ America is a country which produces citizens who will cross the ocean to fight for democracy but won't cross the street to vote.
- ◆ You know that tingly little feeling you get when you like someone? That's your common sense leaving your body.
- ◆ Did you know that dolphins are so smart that within a few weeks of captivity, they can train people to stand on the very edge of the pool and throw them fish?
- ◆ My therapist says I have a preoccupation with vengeance. We'll see about that.
- ◆ I think my neighbor is stalking me as she's been Googling my name on her computer. I saw it through my telescope last night.
- ◆ Money talks...but all mine ever says is good-bye.
- ◆ You're not fat, you're just... easier to see.
- ◆ If you think nobody cares whether you're alive, try missing a couple of payments.
- ◆ I always wondered what the job application is like at Hooters. Do they just give you a bra and say, "Here, fill this out?"
- ◆ I can't understand why women are okay that JC Penny has an older women's clothing line named, "Sag Harbor.";
- ◆ My therapist said that my narcissism causes me to misread social situations. I'm pretty sure she was hitting on me.
- ◆ My 60 year kindergarten reunion is coming up soon and I'm worried about the 175 pounds I've gained since then.

◆ Denny's has a slogan, "If it's your birthday, the meal is on us." If you're in Denny's and it's your birthday, your life sucks!

◆ The pharmacist asked me my birth date again today. I'm pretty sure she's going to get me something

◆ The location of your mailbox shows you how far away from your house you can be in a robe before you start looking like a mental patient.

◆ I think it's pretty cool how Chinese people made a language entirely out of tattoos.

◆ Money can't buy happiness, but it keeps the kids in touch!

◆ The reason Mayberry was so peaceful and quiet was because nobody was married. Andy, Aunt Bea, Barney, Floyd, Howard, Goober, Gomer, Sam,



Earnest T Bass, Helen, Thelma Lou, Clara and, of course, Opie were all single. The only married person was Otis, and he stayed drunk.

