

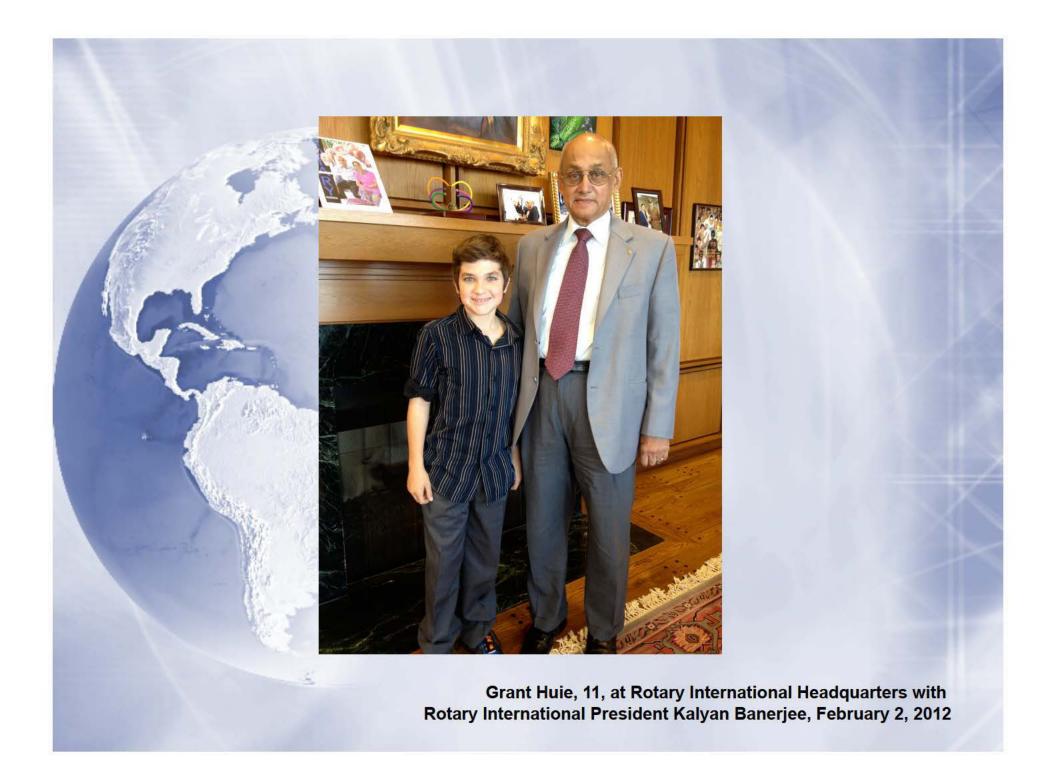
A Catalyst Program

Jackie Huie, Rotary Student Program Presentation

October 2, 2012



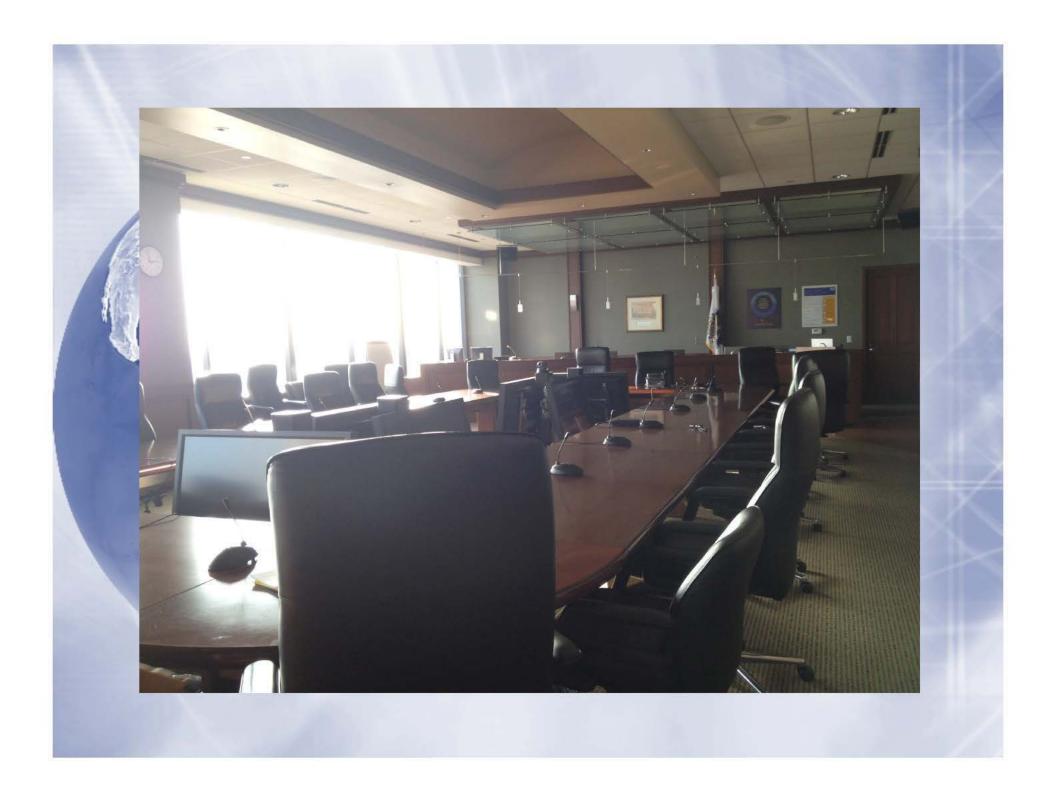


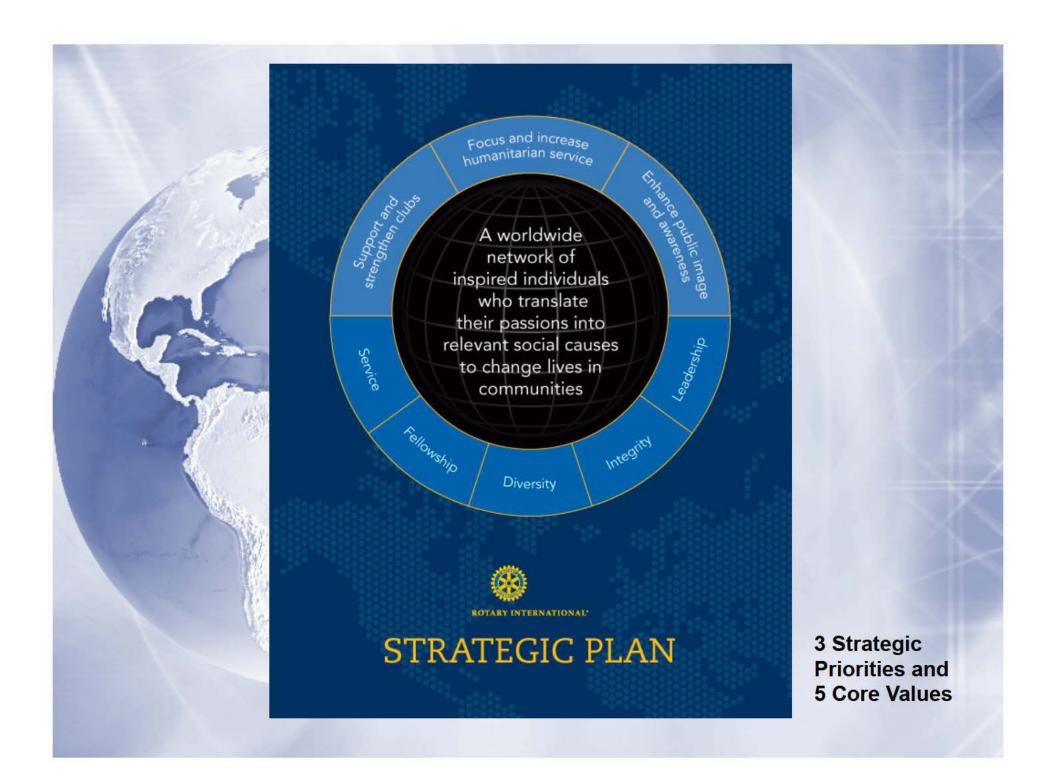


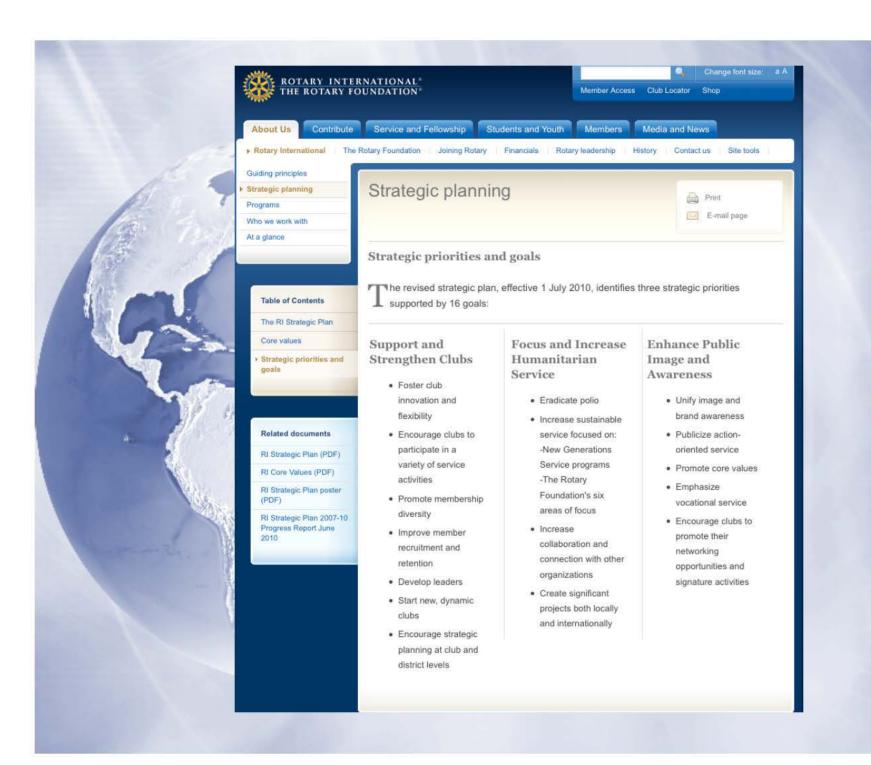










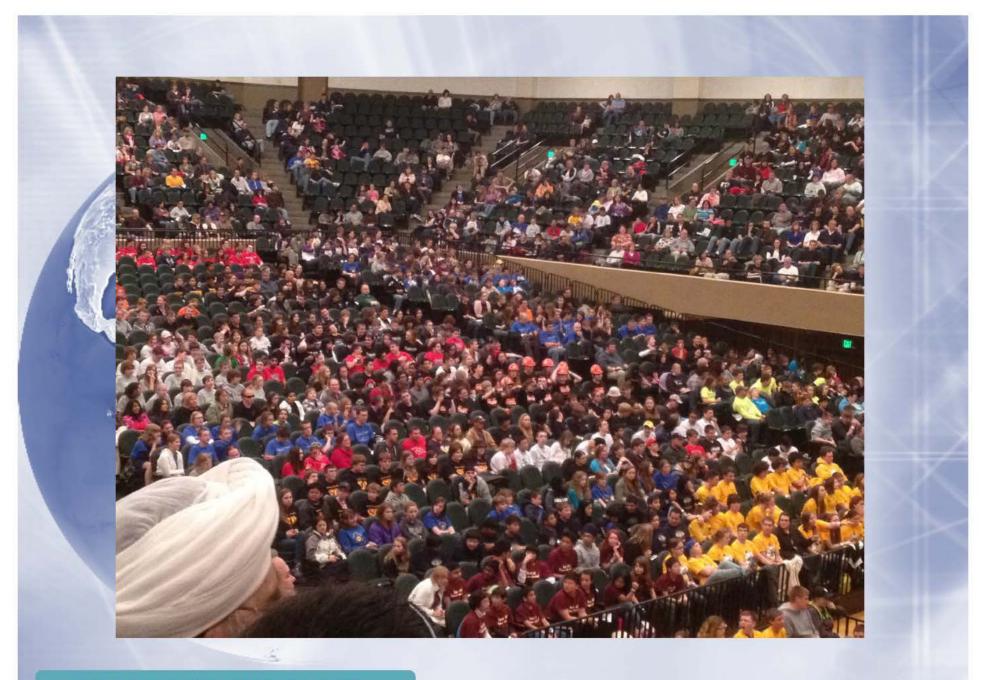












RI 1: Support and Strengthen Clubs

"Helper's High" endorphin-based euphoria experience
The Healing Power of Doing Goodby Allan Luks and Peggy Payne

A Natural Energy Comes From Feeling Valued

RI 2: Focus and Increase Humanitarian Service

90% Evidence positive outcomes mentoring programs*
Opportunities: China Dominican Republic, India, Japan, Scotland, South America

Most High School Graduates Have No Vocational Mentor

RI 3: Enhance Public Image and Awareness

81% Follow advice from someone they know*

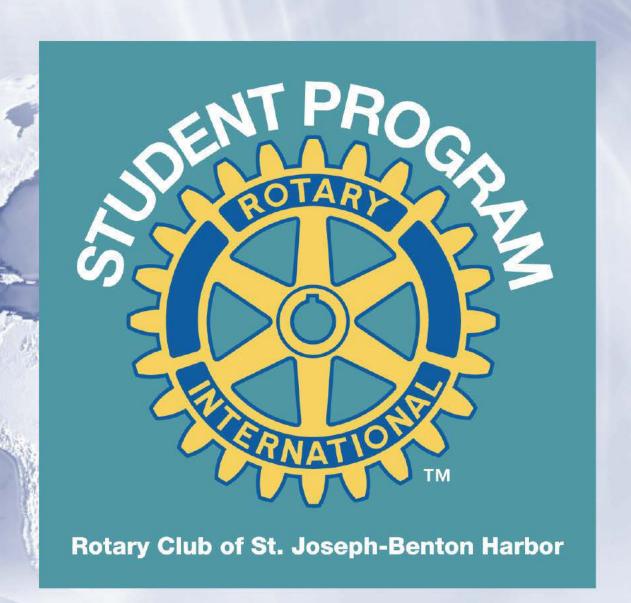
Viral Marketing Flourishes When Actions Are Worthy



By Leveraging Our Network We Can Help Young People Connect With Career Interests



PROGRAM RESULTS





Dream: Becoming a Meteorologist

St. Joseph High School Junior, Teri LaFlorest with WNDU Meteorologist Cindy Clawson, USA

"I enjoyed my experience with Rotary. It was really neat to be able to see WNDU's studio, an opportunity I would not have had without Rotary.

A great piece of advice and a great reminder meteorologist Cindi Clawson gave me was that you shouldn't be afraid to ask for help when you need it because once you get behind, it can be tough to catch back up.

Visiting WNDU actually made choosing a career easier, but tougher at the same time. I realized that I'm not very interested in going into the broadcast side of meteorology. The scientific side, however, I found very interesting...visiting WNDU got me thinking about possibly going into a field that combines engineering and environmental studies."

Teri LaForest, Senior St. Joseph High School, Rotary Student Program 2012 Met with WNDU Meteorologist, Cindi Clawson, hosted by Rotarian, Maria Kibler



Dream: Becoming a Judge

Rotarian Past President and Judge Charles LaSata and Rotarian, Past Judge and Attorney Dave Peterson with St. Joseph High School Senior Ashley Moyer, USA



Dream: Becoming a Restauranteer

Jerrica Griffen with Timothy's Two, Owner, Tim Sizer and his Father, Rotarian, Steve Sizer, USA



Rotarian and Animal Control Director, Val Grimes with a Countryside Academy Senior, USA

Dream: Becoming an Animal Rescue Officer



Dream: Becoming an Engineer

St. Joseph High School Senior Evan Hampton addressing the Rotary Club of St. Joseph-Benton Harbor with Rotarian, Attorney and St. Joseph City Mayor with ties to Engineers, Bob Judd, USA







Rotary Student Program and RYLA students with Rotarian and RYLA Advisor, Jack Porritt



Dream: Becoming a Pediatrician

Melanie Schweir, UofM, Rotary Student Program Alum who met with a Doctor, USA "As a senior in high school, I was clueless as to what career I would want to pursue once I started college, and the (Rotary) job shadowing program gave me the opportunity to further explore my interests and possible career choices.

When applying to the School of Business, I was able to talk about my experience with the job shadow, more specifically I was able to highlight how my skill-set and future goals would be compatible in a work culture such as the one that I experienced at Whirlpool.

In the Fall of 2013, I will graduate from the University of Wisconsin-Madison with a Bachelor of Business Administration Degree in Finance, Investment & Banking and International Business."

Rachel Kuehn, Rotary Student Program, 2009

Who met with Global Director, Whirlpool Corporation, Mike Huie





Plugging up the "brain drain"

SJ-BH Rotary Club introduces students to local business, hopes they'll stick around

Photo by John Madill / H-P staff Erin Etter (left) a senior at St. Joseph High School, spent Monday afternoon at the DK Boutique in downtown St. Joseph as part of the Rotary Club's Student Host Program to learn about the fashion industry. Boutique owner Debbie Craig (center) previewed fall clothes brought in by Larry Gillman (right), a wholesale clothing representative from Detroit.

By KEVIN ALLEN / H-P Business Writer

St. Joseph -- Michigan's economic pains have several causes, but "brain drain" is one of the most insidious.

Thousands of young people who grew up in Michigan are taking their talents and leaving the state for jobs in other places.



Plugging up the "brain drain"

SJ-BH Rotary Club introduces students to local business, hopes they'll stick around



"It's amazing how willing everybody is to help," Huie said. "It's neat how these businesses are opening up their doors to these kids."

Students in the program attend a Rotary luncheon, spend the afternoon touring an area business and report back to club members at their next meeting.

Patrick Glowacki, a senior at Lake Michigan Catholic High School, spoke Monday about his experience at Abonmarche, an engineering and design firm based in Benton Harbor.

Glowacki is planning to study engineering at the University of Michigan. He said it was interesting to see the large projects Abonmarche is working on in the area, such as the Jack Nicklaus Signature Golf Course at Harbor Shores and the Silver Beach development below the bluff in St. Joseph.

"It's good to know there's a lot of opportunity, even in St. Joe," he said.

Erin Etter, a senior at St. Joseph High School, is interested in fashion merchandising, so she spent Monday afternoon at DK Boutique in downtown St. Joseph.

"Even though it was just in a small town, it gave me insight into what the fashion world is like," she said.

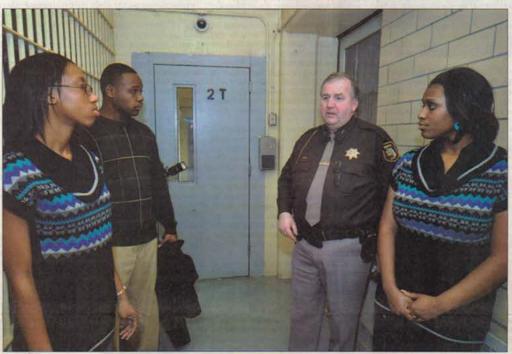
Etter, who will attend Hope College in the fall, said she will probably eventually end up back in St. Joseph, but would like to experience life in a big city such as Chicago or New York.

Another St. Joseph senior, Kyle Denny, met with Chris Ball, general manager of sales for Whirlpool Corp., at the appliance maker's world headquarters in Benton Township.

Denny, who will attend Michigan State University in the fall, said he is planning to pursue a math-related career like actuarial science or engineering.



hp LOCAL



Berrien County Sheriff Paul Balley gives a tour of the jail to Brittney Gathing (left), Marcus Bledsoe and Amber Thomas, local high school students who are interested in exploring different careers. The career program is a Rotary Club project.

Business, behind the scenes

Student Rotary Program gives youths a chance to explore career pathways with visits

By JULIE SWIDWA

H-P Staff Writer

Jackie Huie has the means to introduce young touching dozens.

Area Schools superintendent) was the inspira-rensics or law.

and Michigan Lutheran high schools with Ro- anyone in that field. I'm excited about the diftary Club members who can introduce them to ferent aspects of journalism. Next week I'm various career tracks. The program debuted going to a TV station," she said. ST. JOSEPH - As a business executive, with a few students last year and this year is Bailey led the students on a tour of the jail,

"Paula Dawning (former Benton Harbor Department. She wants a career in either fo- you see on TV."

communications and marketing firm head- iff Paul Bailey, exploring possible careers in training in forensics. law enforcement and forensics.

and Sgt. Mike Danneffel showed them the people to a career path. But she's just one per- "This is something I've always wanted to workings of the forensics lab. Thomas had a son, with one business. Luckily, she's also a do," said Amber Thomas, a senior at Benton lot of questions, including whether Dannefmember of a local Rotary Club whose mem- Harbor High School, while exploring the in- fel's job is stressful, how much money he

Good forensic evidence helps police when tion behind this. It was her idea to line up sev- She and Marcus Bledsoe, a senior at Lake they are called to testify in court, Bailey told eral students with several business people," Michigan Catholie High School, recently the students. He talked about the importance said Huie, president of Johnson Rauhoff, a spent the afternoon with Berrien County Sher- of a sound education in addition to specific

"You're young. You want to do this right Her conversation with Dawning led to creBrittney Gathing, a senior at Benton Harbor now. Get that four-year degree first. It'll pay
ation of the Student Rotary Program, operated High School, participated in the tour, along off big time in the future." Bailey advised the







Evan Hampton (left) is the new president of the Interact Club of St. Joseph-Benton Harbor, Other officers (from left) are Kayleigh Kibler, Courtney Vorrath, Brandon Lucius, Carly Harris and Sean Carpenter. Not pictured is Jasmine Dortch. Interact is the youth

A new kind of 'Interaction'

Rotary Club inaugurates new LaSata, president of the Rotary Club said after the meeting. Other club officers youth club that encompasses SJHS, BHHS, Lake Michigan Catholic, Michigan Lutheran and Countryside students

By WILLIAM F. AST III

youth club with membership from pleased with the results."

more than one school," Frohm told a wished her luck. sizable crowd around the Silver Beach

Academy.

Rotarians chose the five school dis- president, Kayleigh Kibler, Lake tricts in a "hands across the river, Michigan Catholic; co-secretaries,

municipalities in northern Berrien penter, St. Joseph High School. County, and the school districts are LaSata said the club is unique in propriate to include all the schools in a week and a half. ST. JOSEPH - The Rotary Club one Interact Club, and build relation-

Club President Evan Hampton of said. The membership of most such In- St. Joseph High School in making interact Clubs is from one school, said troductions noted that club Director service club for youths 12-18 years past district governor Don Frohm. Jasmine Dortch, from Benton Har- old. The clubs normally undertake Other than the club inaugurated on bor High School, was absent because two service projects a year, one in Wednesday night, "We don't have a she was playing in a district tourna- their own communities and one intersingle Interact Club that encompasses ment basketball game. Hampton nationally,

St. Joseph High School, Benton Har- Harbor High School playing in the but they choose the direction." bor High School, Lake Michigan districts this evening. I think the other schools."

Other club officers include: vice hands across the community" ges- Courtney Vorrath and Brandon Lucius, both of Michigan Lutheran "Because we have so many small High School; and director, Sean Car-

so close, the officers and directors of another way - it was organized and our club felt that it would be more ap- chartered in less than a month - about

"No one had ever chartered a club of St. Joseph-Benton Harbor has ships among the schools," LaSata said in 12 days," LaSata said. That took something unique to its credit - a after the inauguration. "I'm very some tall doing and a lot of help from the students, but they pulled it off, he

Interact is Rotary International's

"I'm just amazed at how they've "The kids, they just get along great," taken the ball the run with it," LaSata LaSata said later. "You heard the said after the inauguration. "And it's The new club has more than 60 president from St. Joseph High School their club. We help them get started members and includes students from rooting for the officer from Benton and got some thing set up for them,

Terry Allen of Lakeshore Rotary, Catholic High School, Michigan Lu-young people will build some really district governor nominee, said the theran High School and Countryside nice relationships and make friends in district has \$10,000 in matching funds for money raised by district Interact



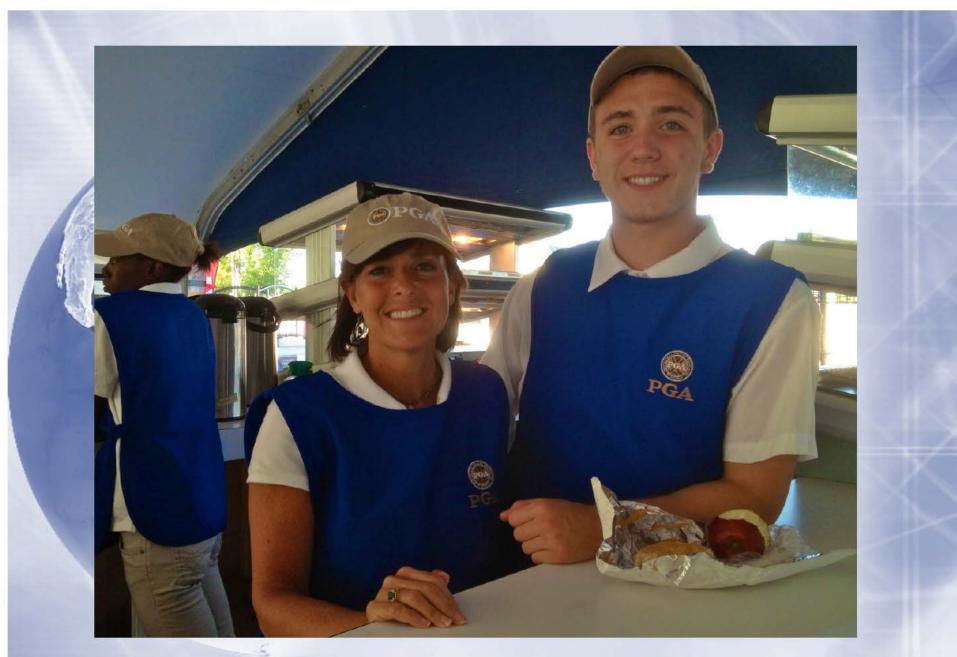
President, Charlie LaSata, Announces Official Charter of the Interact Club of St. Joseph-Benton Harbor, February 29, 2012





Interactors held a fundraising event at the Senior PGA, Benton Harbor, Michigan, USA 2012





Rotarian and Interact Advisor, Maria Kibler and Interact of St. Joseph-Benton Harbor Charter President, Evan Hampton



Rotary Club of St. Joseph Benton Harbor Interact Club preparing to support efforts in the Dominican Republic

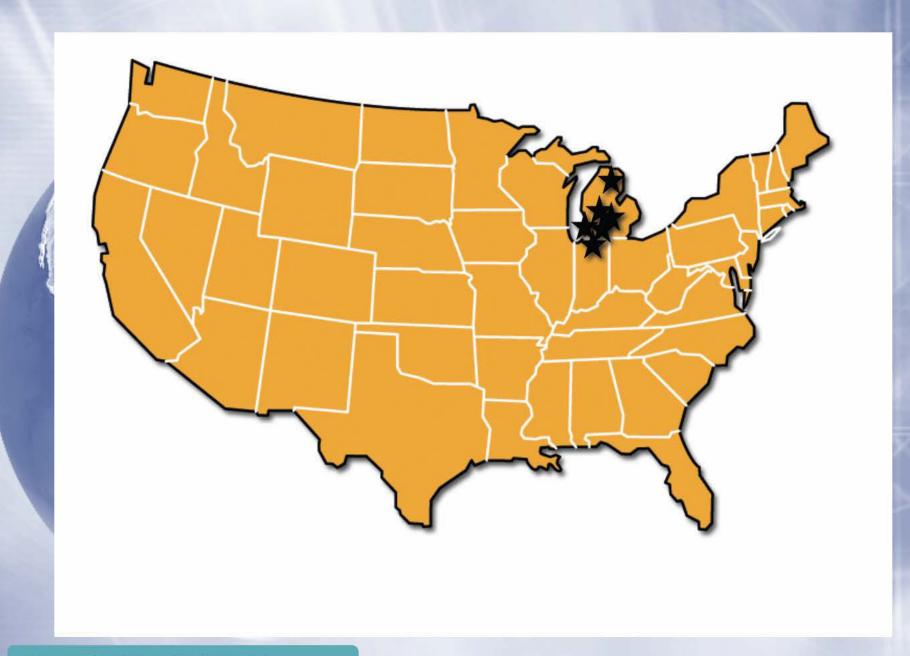


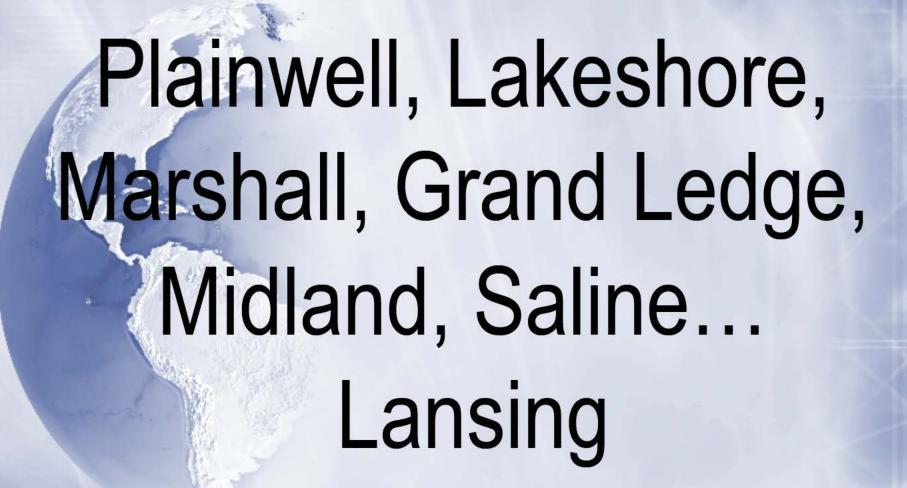




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Rotary District Governor 6360 Mark Henne June 2012 - June 2013









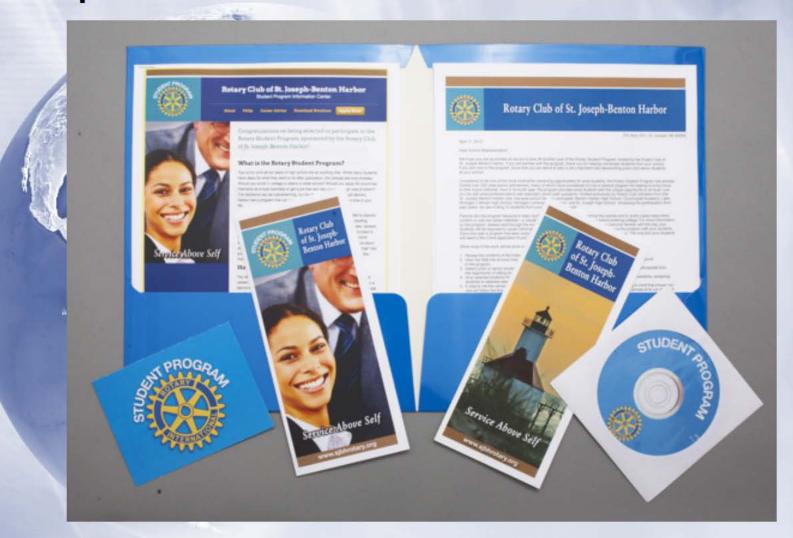
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Pilot in 7 Countries: September-December 2012



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Step 1: Review Materials



Step 2: Visit Site



Rotary Club of St. Joseph-Benton Harbor

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Apply Now!



Congratulations on being selected to participate in the Rotary Student Program, sponsored by the Rotary Club of St. Joseph-Benton Harbor!

What is the Rotary Student Program?

Your junior and senior years of high school are an exciting time. While many students have ideas for what they want to do after graduation, the choices are truly limitless. Should you enroll in college or attend a trade school? Should you apply for a summer internship at a local business or get a job that will help cover the high cost of tuition? The decisions can be overwhelming, but the Rotary Club of St. Joseph-Benton Harbor has a program that can help to guide you during this important time in your life. More...

How does it work?

You will be aligned with a local Rotarian who has special expertise in your area of career interest. That Rotarian will host you at two Rotary lunches, plus take you to a behind-the-scenes visit to an area business. You will have the rare opportunity to ask candid questions about the type of schooling needed, what it's like to have that type of career, and what it takes to land that first job. More ...

How do I get started?

Click here to fill out your application and your school counselor will be informed of dates scheduled. If for any reason the dates do not work, please inform your counselor immediately. We look forward to meeting you at your first Rotary lunch!

More questions? Visit our FAGs.





Step 3: Approach a Superintendent

Step 4: Form A Committee













Rotary Club of St. Joseph-Benton Harbor Rotary Student Program Committee

Jackie Huie, President JohnsonRauhoff, Rotary Student Program Chairman

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Rick Villa, President Villa Environmental

Linda Beushausen, Vice President Lakeland

Kurt Marzke, President PriMar Petrolium

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Step 5: Design Your Program

1) Create Your Own Version

2) Follow Recommended Steps

3) Activate Your Club Utilizing Available System at: www.rotarystudentprogram.org



