

Rotary Club of Peoria SERVICE Above Self

Upcoming Meetings



Rotary Readers Orientation is scheduled to take place on <u>Tues. September, 13th</u> at <u>3:45pm</u> at <u>Trewyn Grade</u> <u>School - 1419 S Folkers Ave, Peoria, IL 61605</u>

Please remember to bring ID's | Enter through the main front door, we will be meeting in the Library.

Reading Begins: Monday, September, 19th 2022

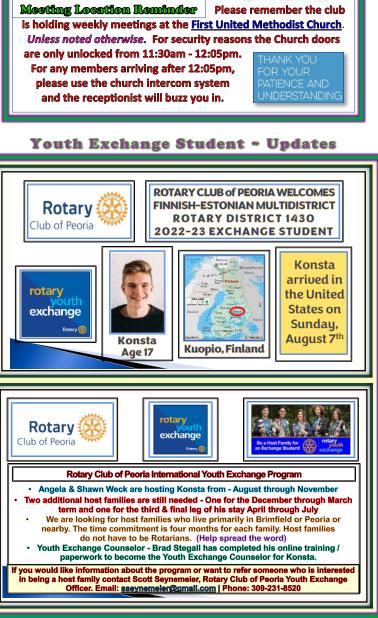
<u>Click Here</u> if you would like more information about making a positive impact on needy 2nd graders.

Let's make this another great year with Miss Doty's 2nd grade students.

Thanks to all for your commitment!!

Maggie & Owen - Rotary Readers Co-chairs





Volunteer Opportunities



The Rotary Club of Peoria has been involved with the Goodwill Stand Down for Homeless Veterans for 14 years!! This year's annual event will be held at <u>Goodwill Commons</u> 2319 E. War Memorial Dr on <u>Oct 15</u>.

Volunteers are needed to help out between <u>8 AM - 1 PM</u>. Please be sure to include your up to date phone & email - Goodwill will contact you about timeslots. If you would like to volunteer, a signup sheet will be available at the weekly meetings. You can also email the office <u>infodowntown@peorlarotary.org</u> to be added to list. Thank you!!



Hunger Grants Announcement

Rotary District 6460 Updates

The Rotary Club of Peoria is now accepting applications for the 2022 Hunger Grants

Grants from the Rotary Club of Peoria Hunger Fund are given for Direct Services to Programs that: Provide Basic Needs of Food & Food related items such as Refrigerators, Coolers, & Supplies for Food Distribution.

Grant amounts generally range from \$200 to \$2,000.

2022 Hunger Grant Application

Applications are also available on the Rotary Club website <u>www.peoriarotary.org</u>

Completed applications must be received in the Rotary email cue on or before <u>September 30, 2022</u>.

If you have any questions please email the office at <u>infodowntown@peoriarotary.org</u>



Club Member Announcements

Peoria Area Reader's Theater Ensemble (P. A. R. T. E.) performs *Inherit the Wind* at the Peoria Riverfront Museum's Giant Screen Theater Sat. October 15 at 7:30 p.m. & Sun. October 16 at 3:30 p.m.

Inherit the Wind, the timeless drama depicting issues of science and faith and how society grapples with these controversies, is an imaginative dramatization of the 1925 Scopes "Monkey Trial." In this landmark trial, high school teacher John Scopes was tried for violating a Tennessee law forbidding



Inherit the Wind Stars!! Gene Pratt (Matthew Brady), Edith Barnard (Director), Phil Luciano (Hornbeck) & Jim Shadid (Henry Drummond) the teaching of evolution, specifically "the simian descent of man." Edith Barnard directs this multimedia show which will feature performances by Judge Jim Shadid, Phil Luciano, Gene Pratt, Kathryn Eissfeldt, Tom Biederbeck, Judge Christ Doscotch, Barbara Carraway, Brian Buralli, Judge Mike McCuskey, Mitch Gilfillan and many more talented Central Illinois actors. The "Hillsboro Tunes of the Twenties Trio" features Wes Sedrel, quitar;

Don Perilles, keyboard and Bill Turner, bass. The Giant Screen slides are created by Duffy Armstrong Farrell & Elizabeth Keest Sedrel.

The question of evolution versus creationism still elicits strong feelings. In *Inherit the Win*d, the arguments are presented in the dramatic setting of a courtroom. "What's on trial here is not evolution; it's freedom of speech!": so states lead defense counsel Henry Drummond. *This rollicking audience participatory production benefits "Prairie State Legal Services."*

hil Luciano Jim Shadid Jim Shadid mmond) So that audiences can converse with the cast who will be in character, the theater will open 30 minutes prior to the performances. Doors open at 7 p.m. Saturday evening for the 7:30 performance & at 3 p.m. on Sunday for the 3:30 performance. TICKETS ARE ON SALE NOW. Tickets are \$50 and can be purchased online at info@PeoriaRiverfrontMuseum.org or by calling the Museum at 309-686-7000.

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