

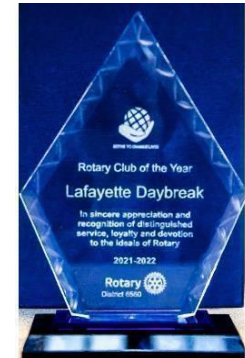


THE DAYBREAKER

July 25th, 2024



WHATEVER
ROTARY MAY
MEAN TO US,
TO THE WORLD
IT WILL BE
KNOWN ONLY
BY THE
RESULTS IT
ACHIEVES
PAUL HARRIS



Today we had 20 in person attendees and 3 ZOOM attendees.

Social Opportunity:

Daybreak Rotary will have its Summer Social on August 7th from 5:30 – 7 PM at Bistro 501. Please see the announcement attached to the email with this newsletter.

Service Opportunities:

1. John Polles needs help with supporting our efforts at LUM – please contact him if you are interested in helping with this important Rotary project.

2. Committee Assignment Time

John Polles and Bill Lapcheska want to offer each member an opportunity to sign up for a committee for 2024-25. This is an opportunity to volunteer for a committee that interests you!

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Where do you see yourself? Prepare yourself to have a first and second choice.

(I would hate to have Polles pick a committee for me!)

Committee Current Chair	Service Projects Peters	Speaker Shively	Gifts & Requests McGaughey	Toast Salsbery
Committee Current Chair	Membership Gilliom	New Member Polles	District Grants Lapcheska	Foundation Wagner
Committee Current Chair	Fellowship Johnson	Website Adams	RYLA Robinson	Interact Fletcher

Talk to a Committee Chair to see if their committee is just right for you! Do it now!

3. MHA has opportunities to serve youth in a teaching or support role. If interested in obtaining the training for this, please contact Brandi Christiansen.

4. Joyful Journey Classic – August 25 – they will need volunteers to cook hot dogs, but also to work at the Home Run Derby and Celebrity Softball game – save the date

Gerard also asked for volunteers – Joyful Journey needs Hot Dog Cookers – 2 from Noon – 2:15 PM and 2 from 2:15 PM – 4:30 PM. Please contact Gerard if you are available.

5. We will also be collecting cleaning supplies for Joyful Journey through the month of July and Rebecca will collect these on July 25.

Supply List for Joyful Journey

Paper products

Toilette paper -Paper towel – Kleenex - Napkins

Other Supplies

30-gal Lg Garbage Bags flap tie, black
Liquid Hand Soap- unscented- clear or white

Glass cleaner x3

Multi-purpose cleaner that does **not** contain bleach- Says “kills 99.9% of germs

13-gal Garbage Bags- flap tie white

Disposable sanitizing wipes- Unlimited Lysol disinfecting spray, aerosol-unlimited

Bleach x2

Dishwasher Pods

Art Supplies

Crayola watercolor paint set x10. Painter’s tape 1-inch rolls Painter’s tape 1/2-inch rolls

Watercolor paper pads Multi-color packs Sharpies

Thick chisel tipped dry erase markers.

Dry erase marker spray- 2 bottles.

Non-acetone nail polish remover for sensitive skin x 3 bottles White cardstock

Graphite Pencil (6h, 4b, etc.) sets x 5

GUESTS: None

VISITING ROTARIANS:

INVOCATION: Vince Guido

Program: DG Santos Salinas



DG Santos joined our meeting today and began by presenting Ed Lausch and Jan Dowell with Paul Harris Fellowships.

ADG Tim introduced Santos, noting he had graduated from Purdue and has been a member of the Kokomo Early Risers since 2011. He has been very active in youth activities in Kokomo and has a special interest in early literacy. He was also President of the Kokomo group when their 30 members managed to obtain a \$80K Rotary Foundation grant to provide an ambulance to Uganda.

Santos added that he is also a father and grandfather, having adopted 3 of the daughters they fostered over past years.

He has 3 areas that he hopes to work with this year:

1. Strengthen Clubs and organize new clubs and grow membership.
2. Encourage contributions and support for The Rotary Foundation
3. Promote Rotary's public image and be a spokesperson for the District.



In terms of membership, he noted that there are now 1.4 million Rotarians throughout the world and while North America is losing membership, Asia is growing. In District 6560 we have 41 clubs with 1,553 members. Only 10% of these are under the age of 40 and only 38% are women, both areas giving us opportunity for growth. He encouraged all of us to consider our personal Rotary experience and to look on RI's website to see a

discussion of this. He hopes to grow not only traditional clubs, but cause clubs and corporate clubs to increase this Rotary experience. He also encouraged us to provide a welcoming environment and to remember to take in the experience and knowledge of all our members.

To support the Rotary Foundation the District has made a goal of \$432,697, one dollar more than our maximum year of 2017-18. This is an ambitious goal since over 2,200 people donated in that year and last year our intake was about ½ of that amount and only 660 people donated to the Foundation. He noted that with the average cost of a restaurant meal for 2 people in Indiana is about \$100, if we gave up one a month, we would be able to reach this goal.

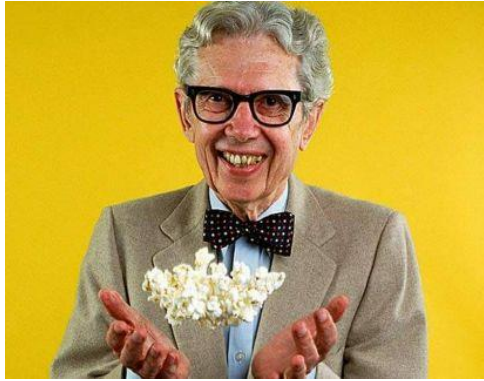
In terms of our public image, he encouraged us to look at Rotary Brand Central to increase our image footprint.

He ended by announcing a Vision Planning for leadership teams on September 28 and an all-Indiana Rotary Conference on April 26th.

Trivia Question for the week: As of 2023, who is the most decorated Olympian of all time?

The answer to last week's trivia question: Purdue University's "Top of the Crop" Scholarship is awarded in honor of which famous alumnus?

Orville Redenbacher is most often associated with the brand of popcorn that



bears his name. The New York Times described him as "the agricultural visionary who all but single-handedly revolutionized the American popcorn industry." Redenbacher attended Purdue University, where he studied agronomy. Students at Purdue University are eligible to apply for Orville Redenbacher's "Top of the Crop" Scholarship. The scholarship is open to juniors and seniors in the departments of

agronomy, food science, agricultural engineering or agricultural economics.

Thought of the Week: Your calling isn't something that somebody can tell you about. It's what you feel. It is the thing that gives you juice. The thing that you are supposed to do. And nobody can tell you what that is. You know it inside yourself. ~ Oprah Winfrey

UPCOMING PROGRAMS:

August 1 – Chris McCauley – The Art Museum of Lafayette

August 8 – Gifts and Requests Presentation

August 15 – David Krakower – Lafayette Aviators Baseball

August 22 – Purdue Theatre

August 29 – Lafayette Symphony Orchestra

September 5 – Jim Stone – Q106

September 12 – Raquel Lopez – Civic Theatre of Greater Lafayette



Before and after!!

The Four Way Test

Rotary



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?