

Rotary

Club of Fairfield



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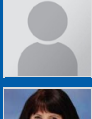
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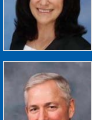
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Youth Services Chair



Alon Sapir
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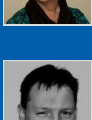
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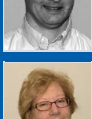
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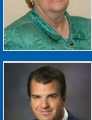
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Drummer Notes

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Rotary Meeting
November 18, 2024

Opening: Alon Sapir

Pledge: Said

Invocation: John Hoover: Job 12:10 Birds and Fish and...

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Song: **Bob Price:** Viva La Rotary (Shouldn't it be **Le** Rotary, masculine? Women didn't join until after the song was written.)

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Visiting Rotarians: Philip Dwyer, Bridgeport Club.

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Guests: Pat Matteson's husband Chuck, Tomas Koeck, Steven Knowles

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Announcements:

-**Tom Sansone,** "One Member, One Lead". The forms for tracking are available.

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Beverly Balaz, Get Ready... December 1st is Sherman Green Santa Clause 10:00am to 2:00pm. November 30 is Small Business Saturday...

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Pat Matteson: December 2nd is the Grant Awards Ceremony from 12:01pm to 2:00pm here at the Gaelic Club. Nineteen groups will receive funds.

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John Lee: December 7th will be the Salvation Army bell ringing. The sign-up sheet is getting heavier... thanks to all.

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Norma Peterson: The next order for gift cards goes out on December 1st. See her for your easy peasy gift giving.

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Alon Sapir: The district meeting went well and two of our Rotarians were honored. John Lee for Polio Plus and Bill Llewellyn for something else...

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Tim Russell: Thanks the bunch of Rotarians that helped out at the Golden Hill Church 'soup kitchen'. They all had a good time.

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Engram
Assistant
District
Governor

Birthdays

- Sheryl A
Shaughnessey
October 31st
- Renato Gasparian
October 31st
- Douglas Williams
November 1st
- Timothy G. Russell
November 4th
- Peter A. Penczer
November 5th
- Gina Giannone
November 5th
- William Llewellyn
November 7th
- Tom Kelty
November 9th
- Steven Heffer
November 13th

Wedding Anniversaries

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Anniversaries Found

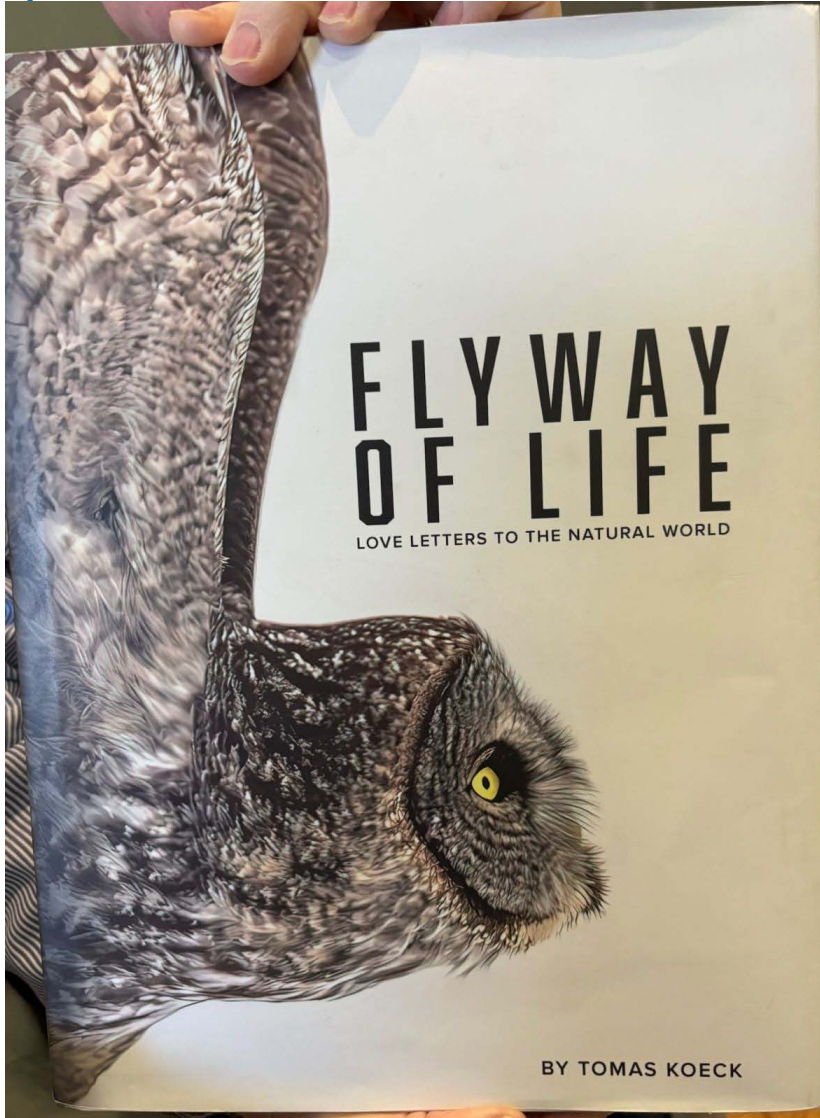
Years of Service

- Douglas Williams
11-01-1993
30 Years
- Thomas J. Walsh Jr.
11-01-1999
24 Years
- Robert B. Price
11-01-1999
24 Years
- Deborah Clancy
11-07-2005
18 Years
- Chad Stewart
11-07-2005
18 Years
- Ben Williamson
11-22-2005
18 Years
- Robert D. Russo
11-10-2014
9 Years
- Noor Deeb
11-16-2021
2 Years
- Wadie Boutros
10-31-2022
1 Year

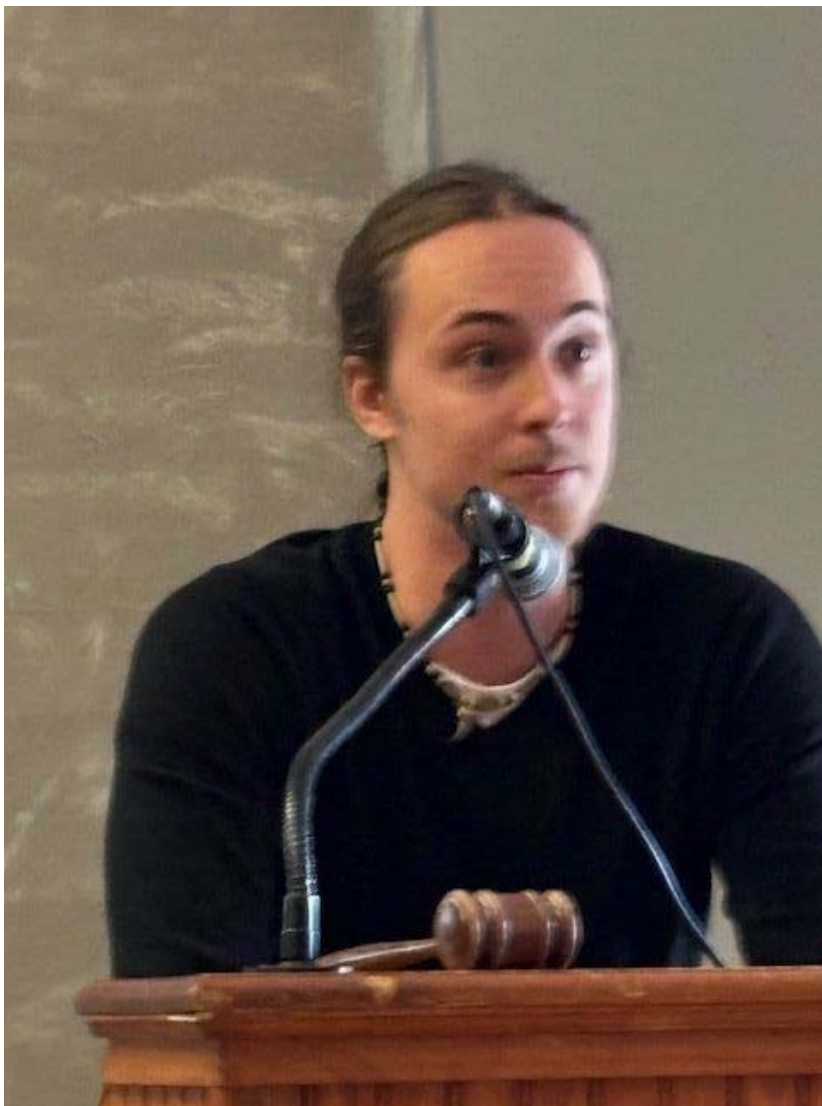
Just Because:

- 1 **Doug Williams** honored his years of service, his birthday and all the work Rotarians do.
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- 2 **Vance Hancock** is excited that he will be ringing a bell with Pida.
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- 3 **John Hoover** was excited about the Fairfield Center Stage.
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4. **Bruce Carter** visited his sister and announced that her teaching book will be in Uganda and Nigeria.

Speaker:



Tomas Koeck presents “Wild New England” which was about wild animals.



He is a film maker,
naturalist, environmentalist, and photographer.



How Cool
is this
Bird!

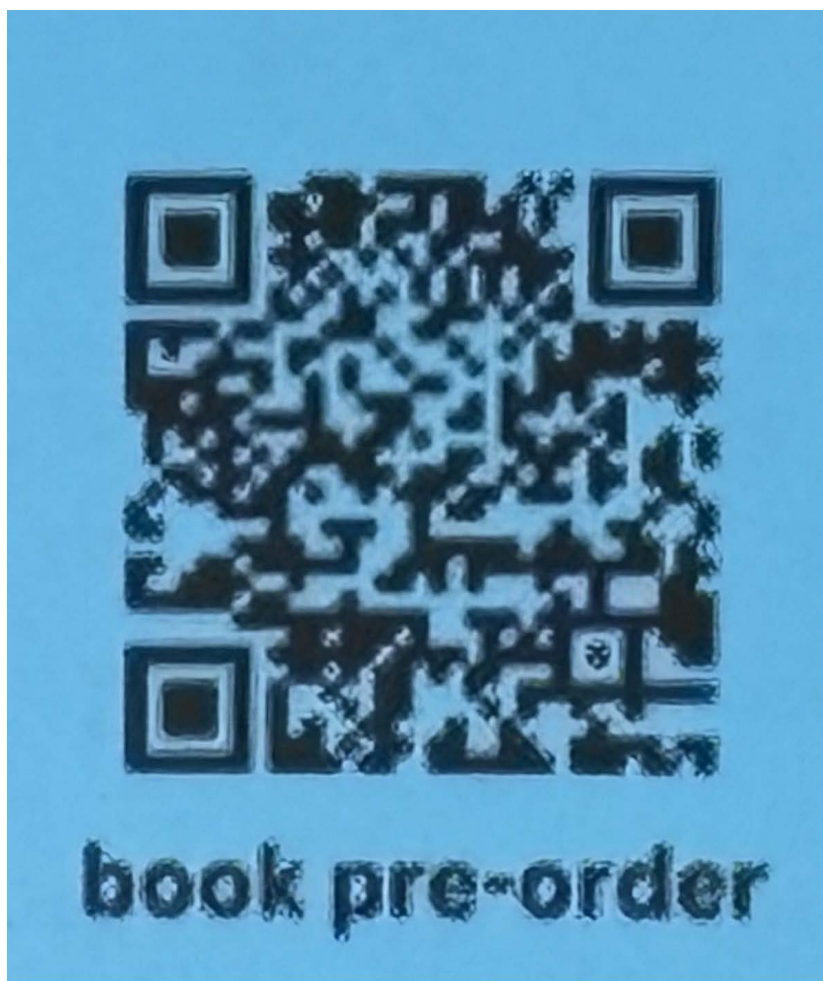
His captivating presentation culminated is his announcing his video; "Flyway of Life" will be debuted on Earth Day, April 22, 2025. This will be at the Sacred Heart theatre downtown. Photos will be on display in the Bruce

Kirshner Room at the main library.



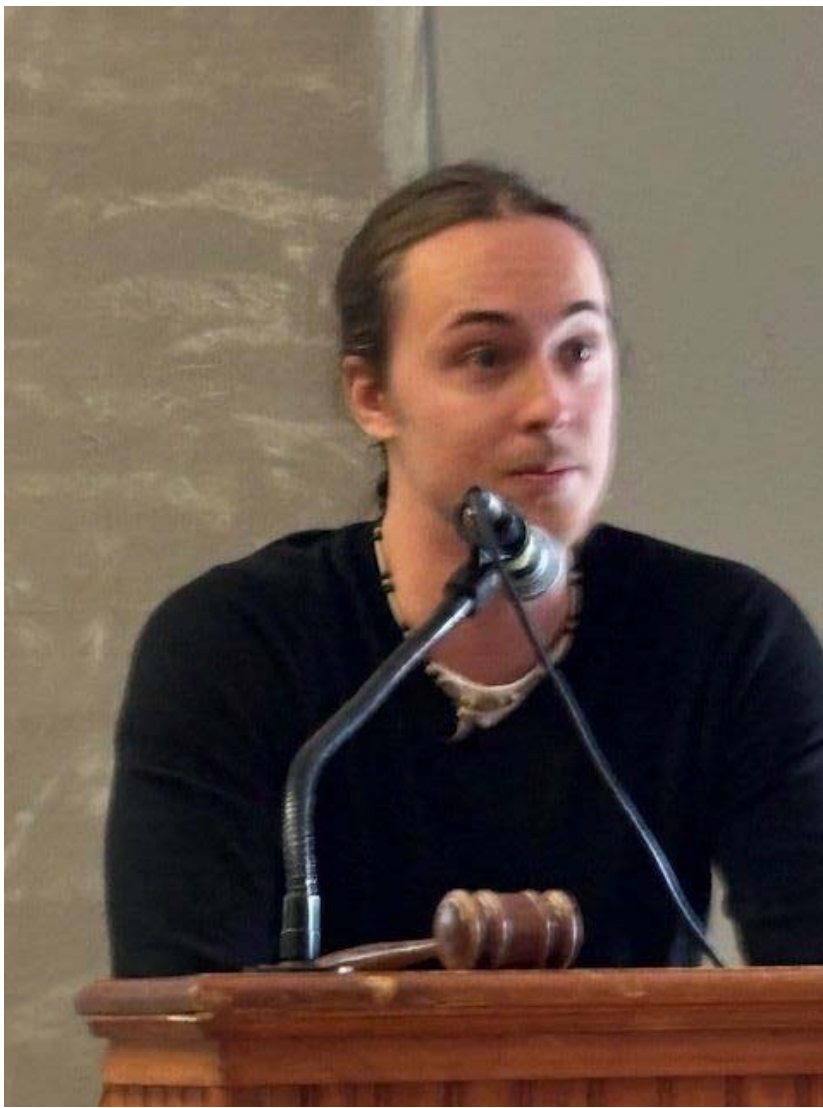
His major sponsor is Sacred Heart University among others





Raffle No Winners... just bookmark acquisitions.
4- way test: Yup, did them again...
Next Week:

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Don't miss Thursday evening's celebration of The Fairfield Rotary Club.