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## ROTARY CLUB OF THIENSVILLE-MEQUON

# 2763 April, 2008

T-M Rotary Web Site:

[www.tmrotary.org](http://www.tmrotary.org)

District 6270 Web Site

[www.rotary6270.com](http://www.rotary6270.com)

Rotary International Web Site

[www.rotary.org](http://www.rotary.org)

### 2007-08 Officers

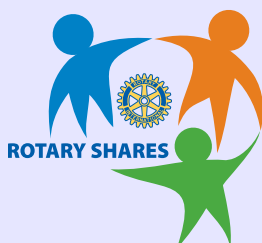
President	Shelley Weston (262) 242-5883
President Elect	Andrew Petzold (262) 241-9910
Secretary-Treasurer	Christine Neurnberg (262)242-3100
Past President	Van Mobley (262) 243-4502

### 2007-08 Directors

International Service	Pat Treffert (262) 242-8045
Club Service	Bruce Rowe (414) 270-8150
Community Service	Greg Sommersberger (262) 240-3577
Vocational Service	Todd Davis (262) 236-8848

### 2007-08 Advisory Board

Visioning Committee:	Sandy Custer
Past President's Council/RI:	Stan Smith
Historian:	Nancy Witte-Dycus
Newsletter:	Ray MacFarlane
Web Master	Dave O'Connor
Sergeant-at-Arms	Tony Von Rueden



## March Student of the Month

Lindsey Kent was our March SOM. An outstanding young lady her many accomplishments include all years National Honor Society, Merit award, 2004-2007, North Shore conference scholar Athlete 2007, Co Founder of High School environmental protection group SKIES(students Keeping It Environmentally Safe) Latin Club 2007-present. In her spare time she volunteers for: Gathering on the Green, Alzheimers Memorial Walk & Freshman Orientation Day just to mention a few AND finds time to swim with HHS Swim Team.



It was our pleasure to present Lindsey with our March Student of the Month.

## March 25, 2008 Speaker

John Orth was the speaker on March 25, 2008, and he represented the Ozaukee County Habitat for Humanity. This is our county's arm of a world organization to help people have housing. The power point presentation clearly explained the intent of this relatively new branch of Habitat.

Mr. Orth explained the property in Ozaukee County is quite expensive so they are currently putting two two unit condos on a piece of land in Port Washington. The person who receives it must put in 500 hours of sweat equity, must already live in Ozaukee County, must have a job, can't have amassed too much debt, and has to show that he or she is living in an inappropriate setting such as having five children in a two bedroom apartment.

The owner will have an interest free mortgage with Habitat which will cost about \$500 per month including taxes and insurance. The houses do not come with porches, air conditioning, or dish washers. Habitat's experience shows that people seldom sell their homes, but if the house does need to be sold, for instance if the owner dies, Habitat has the first right to buy it back.

Ozaukee County Habitat would very much like to have the four Rotary clubs in our county support the building of a unit. The cost in donated money, supplies, etc. is \$50,000. All the clubs in the county have been addressed at this point. What a wonderful challenge this is for the Rotary clubs; it would draw us together for an excellent common cause!



## Proposed Funding 2007-2008

Funds are derived from our annual Fall fundraiser. Not included are funds raised for the Rotary Riverwalk. Those funds are raised through a Rotary Riverwalk Golf Classic.

Funded 2006-2007	Proposed Funding 2007-2008
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### Guatemala

\$4000	\$2000
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### Rotary Foundation Honorary Paul Harris

\$1000	\$1000
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### National Honor Society Banquet

\$2080	\$2000
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### M-T Schools Recognition Plaques

\$1000	\$0
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### HHS Choir – Holiday Program

\$250	\$250
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### Student of the Month Scholarship

\$500	\$1000
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### Vocational Service Scholarship

\$1000	\$500
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### Gathering on the Green

\$500	\$500
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(T-M Rotary Advertisement)

### Logemann Community Center

\$1500	\$0
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### Big Brothers / Big Sisters

\$1000	\$1000
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(Rotary Fellowship Event)

### Boy Scouts – Troop 852

\$300	\$0
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### Community Fun Events

\$500	\$0
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### Thiensville Police – Baseball Cards

\$200	\$0
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### Totals

\$13830.00	\$8250.00
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## March 18, 2008 Speaker

Our speaker was Bill Hattendorf the Marketing Director of the US Bank Championship the PGA Tour event held in Milwaukee. Bill has been involved with the Tournament as a Corporate Sponsor since 1989. He was on the Board of the tournament for several years before taking his current position. Bill believes that an important component of the Tournament is the monies that are given to Wisconsin Charities.



## March 11, 2008 Speaker

Dr. Patrick Ferry with Concordia University of Wisconsin was our speaker. Dr. Ferry outlined CUW's desire for continued, steady growth in traditional undergraduate and graduate areas, with maintenance of numbers in adult education and continued enhancement of on-line offerings. He explained that the new Coburg residence facility was a success and that the students enjoyed their new accommodations. He also noted that the University had been successful in efforts to fundraise for the Center for Environmental Stewardship, and would be advancing plans for that new facility shortly. Finally, he gave an update on our continuing planning for a new School of Pharmacy.

Ray MacFarlane has moved from St. Mary's Ozaukee to:

Sacred Heart Rehabilitation Institute  
Located within:

Columbia St. Mary's Hospital Columbia  
2025 E. Newport Avenue  
Milwaukee, WI 53211  
(414) 298-6730

The Four Way Test of things we think, say or do:

First: Is it the TRUTH?

Second: Is it FAIR to all concerned?

Third: Will it build GOODWILL AND BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?

Fourth: Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

trivia question: what was the first city to use a snow plow and what year did it happen?

T-M ROTARY  
COMMUNITY ACTION  
COUNCIL

Mr. Anthony L. Van Rueden  
term expires June 2008

Mrs. Patricia E. Treffert  
term expires June 2008

Dr. Bruce E. Rowe  
term expires June 2008

Mr. David M. O'Connor  
term expires June 2009

Dr. Ramon H. MacFarlane  
term expires June 2009

Mr. Stanford L. Smith  
term expires June 2010

Mr. Douglas R. Hansen  
term expires June 2010

## FROM OUR PRESIDENT

Dear Club Members,

The Board of Directors has decided to make unspent funds from our annual dinner fundraiser from 2006 available for Requests for Proposal. The Board feels strongly that the funds pooled into one project will have a much greater impact than small donations to various organizations. This Request for Proposal was made public via press release the first week of April. If you know of a project that meets our criteria please apply.

Sincerely,

Shelley Weston

President T-M Rotary

The Mequon-Thiensville Rotary Club is a service organization that supports worthy community projects. Over the years its members as volunteers have contributed many hours to develop community projects such as Rotary Park and a river walk along the Milwaukee River. The Club wishes to continue its support of a worthy community project through a one-time grant. The Club will use the following guidelines in selecting a project.

1. The Club's grant will fund a project or the completion of a larger project. It is anticipated that this will be a standalone project and not a continuing program.
2. The project must be located in the village of Thiensville or the City of Mequon or both.
3. The size of the grant will be in a range of \$2,500 to \$5,000.
4. The project will enhance the quality of life for the Thiensville and Mequon Community
5. The project must be completed within a 12-month period from when the grant was awarded.
6. The project must include a volunteer/service component.
7. Preference will be given to an application that provides for matching funds to the Rotary grant.

A request for funding should include the following information:

1. **Project Contact:** Project proposal must identify an individual responsible for overseeing the project and provide a daytime phone number and a mailing address.
2. **Project Budget, Work Plan, and Timetable:** The request for funding must include a project budget, the amount requested from the Club, and a work plan and timetable of significant project benchmarks, including a description of what organizations, agencies, etc., will be involved. Also describe how volunteers will be involved in the project and the work that they will carry out.

The format of the request must be as follows:

1. Typed in 12 point type with margins of 1 inch,
2. No more than three pages,
3. Six (6) copies.

All requests are due by May 1. Mail your application and copies to Pat Treffert, T-M Rotary Grant, PO Box 104, Thiensville WI 53092.

Thiensville Mequon  
Rotary Members

Allen, Ron  
Bendix, Linda  
Bolz, Frank  
Bruss, Jim  
Casey, Mike  
Custer, Sandy  
Davis, Todd  
Gannon, Daniel  
Ghojallu, Hutan  
Gozdowiak, Marjorie  
Gruber, Bill  
Haering, Tom  
Hagen, Ted  
Hansen, Doug  
Hertz, Karl  
Hillman, Herb  
Holtz, Robt.  
Huffman, Greg  
Huiras, Ralph  
Jacobs, Bob  
Johannes, Rich  
Kirgues, Roger  
Lind, Stan  
MacFarlane, Ellen  
MacFarlane, Ray  
McNabb, Dick  
Means, Demond  
Miller, Evan  
Moblely, Van  
Naggs, Karle  
Nuernberg, Christine  
O'Connor, Dave  
Peterson, Thomas  
Petzold, Andrew  
Robertson, Dianne  
Rowe, Bruce  
Sass, Warren  
Shaffer, Cindy  
Smith, Stan  
Sommersberger, Greg  
Stone, Edwin  
Townsend, Michael  
Treffert, Patricia  
Von Rueden, Tony  
Weston, Shelley  
Wiese, Jack  
Wilke, Jim  
Winnemann, Chuck  
Witte, George  
Witte-Dycus, Nancy

**LEAVE OF ABSENCE:**

Jarvela, Sue  
Rayl, Steven  
Rosing, John  
Stack, Michael

## MARK YOUR CALENDARS

### **April 21 - 5:00 PM - Homestead High School**

\* National Honor Society Induction & Dinner

Rotarians serve dinner for the students and their parents,  
are required to attend, report for dinner @ 5:00PM

### **April 22 - REGULAR MEETING CANCELLED**

due to National Honor Society Dinner

### **April 29 - OZAUKEE COUNTRY CLUB**

\* Business meeting, Thumbnail by Michael Townsend

### **May 6 - Ozaukee Country Club**

\* Wayne Larrivee - Voice of the Green Bay Packers

### **May 13 - Ozaukee Country Club**

\* Brian Morgan - Morgan Aviation

### **May 20 - Ozaukee Country Club**

\* Jennifer Korevec - Rotary Youth Exchange Student

### **May 27 - Ozaukee Country Club**

\* Business meeting, Thumbnail by Demond Means

### **June 3 - Rotary Pavilion in Rotary Park**

\* Thumbnail by Cindy Shaffer

### **June 9, 2008 - Ozaukee Country Club**

Mequon-Thiensville Rotary Golf Classic

### **June 17 - REGULAR MEETING CANCELLED**

for CHANGING of the GUARD

### **June 19, 2008 - Ozaukee Country Club**

Changing of the Guard, Cocktails & Dinner

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### **Bowlers Needed**

Saturday, April 19th at 9:00 am - Harbor Hills in Port Washington is the annual bowling for Big Brothers Big Sisters. Our club will have four lanes and any interested Rotarians are encouraged to contact Greg if they and family members would like to participate. Greg Sommersberger can be reached at 262-240-3577.

trivia question answer: Milwaukee in 1862 – a horse drawn snow plow.