



# *The Kaposian*

January, 2012

SOUTH ST. PAUL/INVER GROVE HEIGHTS ROTARY CLUB-----DISTRICT 5960

## **January**

### **Programs:**

Steve Cortinas

Greg Kuntz

### **Greeters:**

John Glieden

Pam Schultz

## **Programs**

### **January 4th**

Lorn Manthey

MN Farm Bureau

### **January 11<sup>th</sup>**

Ralph Dumond

Former NYC Policeman

Mission efforts

### **January 18<sup>th</sup>**

Adam Carter

WCCO Radio

### **January 25<sup>th</sup>**

TBD

## **February**

### **Programs**

Greg Bauer

Pam Schultz

### **Greeters**

David Kendall

Connie McCoy

## ***Happy New Year!!***

### ***PRESIDENT'S CORNER . . . .***

Happy New Year! As we close the book on 2011 and all its experiences, let's acknowledge our accomplishments and recognize the efforts of our friends who made them possible. Connie McCoy, Greg Kuntz, Greg Bauer, Dan Warner and Jill Lewis all played important roles with our first SOHR Award and Banquet, our Youth Exchange Program and our Education Initiative. Thanks to their leadership and creativity our club was able to achieve many important goals. This is also a time for resolutions; a time to evaluate ourselves – as individuals, as parents, as professionals – and set new goals. We can do this as Rotarians as well. Are you attending every meeting you can or finding reasons not to come? Are you engaged in the programs or counting the minutes until it's over? Do you talk about Rotary with your family, friends and peers or do you keep it a secret? Do you participate in our projects and events or do you leave it to someone else? Do you lead our club in new directions or follow the paths set by others? The answers to these questions will tell you what you need. We all have different strengths, different interests and different personalities. As we *open* the book on 2012 let us all resolve to be the best *Rotarian* that we can be. It's up to you to decide what that means. Joe

### ***Mid-Term and Pre-Pets . . .***

It is time to register for Midterm on January 14<sup>th</sup> to be held at the Boy Scout BASE Camp at Fort Snelling. The day includes presentations and breakout sessions, including information on the RI Public Image Grant awarded to the district in November. ALSO there will be a wealth of information presented at the Opportunity Café. MANY of you have expressed the desire to talk to other Rotarians in the district about projects, activities and efforts – this is your chance. AND PETS 1 will be held for 2012-2013 Presidents. The day concludes with the Leadership Academy. [Midterm](#) registration information is on the website.

**SSP/IGH Rotary Club  
Meetings at  
Emma Krumbie's  
5660 Bishop Ave., IGH  
Wednesdays at 12:15 p.m.**

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### **SOHR Award & Banquet**

Our Annual Banquet will be held on Friday, April 20, 2012 – Mark your calendars and invite your friends. Every Rotarian's help will be needed to make it a success. Our club officers and interested members meet tomorrow (January 4<sup>th</sup>) at 11:30 a.m. at Emma Krumbes to discuss our club's largest and most popular event, the SOHR Banquet, scheduled only four months away. A general discussion regarding the banquet will surround the main topic - sponsorships. We ask for assistance, advice, and ideas from all of our members. If you are unable to attend, you are also welcome to contribute by emailing or calling Brian with your advice or ideas. Again, as our President stated, our club expects that every member will participate in this main event by being a sponsor and/or recruiting a sponsor.

#### **Mark your calendars:**

Board meeting – no Board meeting in January  
 Mid-term Conference & Pre-PETS – January 14<sup>th</sup> – Boy Scout BASE Camp  
 District 5960 Conference – April 13-15, 2012  
 SOHR Award & Banquet – April 20, 2012

#### **Paid during November on your behalf:**

Johanne Stensgaard (monthly stipend)	\$80.00
Emma Krumbes's (meals)	\$701.13
South St. Paul Schools (grant—Girl Scout project)	\$150.00
Joe Gullerud (meal-reimbursement)	\$101.00
Joe Gullerud (Foundation banquet reimbursement)	\$225.00
Greg Kuntz (Adopt A Family gifts)	\$514.20
Greg Bauer (Exchange Student expenses)	\$378.22

<b>Month</b>	<b>Programs</b>	<b>Greeters</b>
February	Schultz, Bauer	McCoy, Kendall
March	Kemp, Leonard	Francis, Buchanan
April	Lewis, J. Taurinskas	B. Taurinskas, Goodwin
May	Hassing, Kassan	Gullerud, P. Taurinskas
June	Warner, Wynes	Gale, McCoy

### **Johanne's Host Family**

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