



The Kaposian

July, 2012

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

July

Programs

Jimmy Francis

Gary Bergh

Greeters

Jim Taurinskas

Greg Bauer

Programs

July 4th

NO MEETING

July 11th

Keith Olson

Classification Talk

July 18th

Mystery Guest

July 27th

Chris Esser

SSP Parks & Recreation

Update on Seidl's Lake etc

August

Programs

John Buchanan

Pam Schultz

Greeters

John Glieden

Dan Warner

SSP/IGH Rotary Club

Emma Krumbie's

5660 Bishop Ave., IGH

Wednesdays at 12:15 p.m.

Johanne's Host Family

Paul & Jodi Hassing

6217 Bolland Tr.

651-453-9424

President's Corner:

*"I believe that when we support our communities,
our communities will support us."*

I want to congratulate Joe Gullerud on a year of many successes. Thank you, Joe, for your contribution to Rotary's mission and your vested commitment to the success of our club.

Rotary has made great strides with the eradication of polio. We are very close to a complete eradication of polio in our world and, as a club we'll continue our efforts until we are a polio-free world.

In addition, in my term, I plan to continue with certain principles that have made our club successful in the past. I will also focus on our club's public image and the overall satisfaction of our members, whether you've been a Rotarian for just a few months or for over 30 years.

Not every member has the same interest level in being involved in our club activities or functions. Still, we must remember that we are a volunteer-based club and our success is solely dependent upon the collective efforts of its members. While I don't feel it is required that every member be involved in all club activities and functions, I do feel every member has the responsibility as a Rotarian to be regularly and actively involved and engaged. I am asking each of you to set a personal goal and consider how you will become involved or engaged in the coming year. Whether it means you send an email to me with an idea of how to better our club, invite just one guest (or potential member) to our lunch meetings, or make the commitment to assist or form a club project, *taking a vested interest in the work and mission of our club is imperative to its success.*

On August 9, 1962, the Rotary Club of South St. Paul became chartered. My term marks our club's 50th Anniversary. I have asked Jim Taurinskas to assist with forming a committee that can help us acknowledge this anniversary in some fashion. Please contact Jim if you are interested in contributing or assisting with this celebration in any way. Finally, I think overall satisfaction of our members is paramount to retention of current members and to attracting new members.

There will be a focus on new membership and recruitment throughout my term, as I believe the results will be beneficial to all members on a personal, social, career, and club level.

I look forward to another successful and enjoyable year and to celebrating our club's 50th Anniversary year. Our club has accomplished great things over the 50 past years.

What's next? The answer depends on the collective efforts of our members now and in the years to come.

Farewell Johanne!

On June 27th we bid farewell to Johanne Stensgard. She's been a great exchange student for our club and we will miss her. Hopefully she will be able to visit us again soon.

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Host Families needed

Greg Bauer is asking for all club members to be on the "lookout" for potential host families for a 3-4 month period during the next year. Antonio is from Brazil and interested in soccer and music. He will arrive in mid-August and attend Simley High School. Contact Greg Bauer if you have questions or know someone that would like more information.

Golf Anyone?

The IGH B.E.S.T. Foundation Golf Tournament will be held on August 27th at Inverwood Golf Course in IGH. The cost is \$125.00 per golfer and includes green fees, cart, lunch, dinner and prizes. Rotary foursomes are being formed, so if you are interested in participating, please contact Jill. (651.552.8586)

Education Initiative Update:

Our grant request to District 5960 was submitted and approved by the District Grant Committee. We will be providing funds for 10 iPads to *Inver Grove Heights Community Schools* for use in "flipped classrooms". The students use the iPads to watch recorded lessons available 24/7 during their free time. Class time would then be used for students to practice what they have learned by watching the lesson, work collaboratively, or work individually and with the teacher. The iPads are also used to access pertinent open source material put online by colleges and universities. Thanks Dan Warner for getting the training and following through on the grant process with the District. Good Job!

Mark your calendars:

July 9 – Board Meeting - Noon – Emma Krumbée's
August 27 – IGH B.E.S.T. Foundation Golf Tournament

Paid during June on your behalf:

Johanne Stensgaard (monthly stipend)	\$80.00
Emma Krumbée's (meals)	\$724.67
Rotary District 5960 (prorated dues)	\$25.00
Paul Hassing (reimburse Johanne grad party)	\$340.17

Month	Programs	Greeters
September	Kemp, Hassing	Leonard, P Taurinskas
October	Gullerud, Wynes	Kassan, Gale
November	Kuntz, Cortinas	Leonard, McCoy
December	Goodwin, Lewis	Francis, Olson
January	J Taurinskas, Bauer	Buchanan, Schultz
February	B Taurinskas, Olson	Kemp, Hassing
March	Glieden, Warner	Gullerud, Wynes
April	Leonard, P Taurinskas	Kuntz, Cortinas
May	Kassan, Gale	P Taurinskas, J Taurinskas
June	Leonard, McCoy	Schultz, Lewis