



The Kaposian

April, 2013

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

April

Programs

Jimmy Francis
Pete Taurinskas

Greeters

Steve Cortinas

Programs

April 3rd

**Meet at Good Samaritan
1301 50th St. E., IGH**

Jimmy Francis
Peter Taurinskas
Rotarian Forum

April 10th

Paul Hassing
Joe Gullerud
Rotarian Forum

April 17th

NO MEETING

SUB: District Conference

April 24th

Paul Tetrick
Classification Talk

May

Programs

Dave Kendall
Jake Sobaskiewicz

Greeters

Jim Taurinskas
Peter Taurinskas

SSP/IGH Rotary Club Meetings

Wednesday at 12:15 p.m.

Location: See website

Antonio's Host Family

Ann & Steve Vogel
8594 Birch Blvd
651-457-9537

April 3rd meeting at Good Samaritan –IGH

April 10th meeting location TBD

April 17th – No meeting

**April 19th -DISTRICT CONFERENCE FRIDAY LUNCHEON
at HOLIDAY INN EAST, 2201 Burns Ave., St. Paul**

***Mission Statement of the Rotary Club of South St.
Paul/Inver Grove Heights:***

"In addition to the many worthwhile missions of Rotary International, the focus of our Club is to improve the educational opportunities for students in South Saint Paul and Inver Grove Heights." Though our mission is clear that improving education opportunities is paramount, I feel it is imperative that we ensure our actions, goals, and relations with those in our community reflect this mission.

Rotary International Monthly Theme: Magazine Month - Recognizing the contribution of "The Rotarian" and "The Rotary News."

President's Corner for April 2013

Congratulations to Jodelle Ista, this year's SOHR Award Recipient, who was selected from several incredible and well-qualified nominees!

In the past several years, April has been one of the busiest and most important months for our Rotary Club. This year keeps with that tradition as we continue to focus much of our efforts on the SOHR Award Banquet on April 26th at Southview Country Club. The success of this one evening will define what it is our club can do and accomplish in the following year! As I mentioned in our last month's Kaposian: A successful banquet is necessary for continuing our education initiatives, offering scholarships to the local high school students, developing community projects, assisting the less fortunate in our communities, contributing to the final push of eradicating polio in this world, and the other great things our club presently does AND desires to do in the future. It also allows us to be able to continue to recognize those individuals in our community whose actions have impacted our community and

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who exemplify incredible "service to others" in his or her life. Our Banquet Chair, Pam Schultz, along with the banquet planning committee, is working very hard to make this year's banquet our most successful and enjoyable banquet yet. Still, the contributions, efforts, support, and ideas of EVERY MEMBER are absolutely necessary to accomplish a successful banquet for a successful future. Let's make it happen!

Club Calendar:

BRAZIL HOLIDAYS/EVENTS:

April 21 - Dia de Tiradentes

Club Committees

International Service – Greg Bauer (Bauer Floor Covering) and Gary Bergh (Gary L. Bergh D.D.S.)

Foundation – John Buchanan (St. Croix Hosting)

Youth Exchange – Greg Bauer (Bauer Floor Covering)

Community Service – Daniel Warner (Warner Law Office), Paul Hassing (Edward Jones), John Kemp (Neighbors, Inc.)

Club Service – Connie McCoy

Public Relations – Jimmy Francis (YouProfit Business Coaching)

Membership Development – Past-Pres. Joe Gullerud (Bester Bros.) and Sec. David Kendall (Levander, Gillen & Miller), co-chairs; Keith Olson (DARTS) and Jimmy Francis (YouProfit Business Coaching), members

SOHR Banquet (Fundraising) – Pres.-Elect Pamela Schultz (Good Samaritan Society of IGH)

Service to Others Humanitarian Recognition Banquet

Our International SOHR Banquet is less than one month away. Once again we have a wonderful opportunity to recognize the work of a community member, and raise the funds necessary to continue our educational initiatives and projects in our community, and give to RI polio projects. Slowly we are collecting items needed to make our Silent Auction and Wine Raffle successful as part of the Banquet. We are all familiar with the adage "it takes village" and we are the village that will make this successful. Your wine, silent auction items, sponsorships and reservations for the Banquet are needed now to help the committee with the planning. This will be a well-attended and fun event with each members attendance and contributions. Your auctions items can be brought to a meeting. Or, just let the committee know what will work for you. And, if it isn't there already, be sure the Banquet date, April 26th, is on your calendar! Pam Schultz

EDUCATION COMMITTEE UPDATE:

We are continuing to receive proposals from the Superintendents of SSP and IGH for possible projects this year. Keith Olson and Dan Warner attended the District Grant Seminar Saturday, March 9, 2013, in Prior Lake, so we are qualified to apply for another District grant. Stay tuned!

COMMUNITY TWINS NIGHT -- The 30th Annual Twin's Community Night is being held on Tuesday, June 11, 2013. This year, the MN Twins will play the Philadelphia Phillies. The seats are in left field so everyone is together as a group. Game tickets alone are \$20 each; Game and Bus is \$27. Consider donating tickets for needy families also. As in the past we will reserve several tickets for Rotarians. If you are interested, please contact Dan Warner. Don't wait long – these tickets go quickly.

Mark your calendars:

April 8th – Noon – April Board meeting-location tbd
 April 18-20 – District 5960 Conference
 April 19th—Friday Luncheon – all Rotarians
 April 20th – Exchange Students highlighted
 April 26th – SOHR Banquet and Silent Auction
 June 11th – Community Night with the MN Twins

Paid during March on your behalf:

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| Antonio Moreira (monthly stipend) | \$80.00 |
| Emma Krumbree's (meals) | \$722.26 |
| Southview Country Club (4H Key Awards) | \$753.83 |
| IGH BEST Foundation (scholarship) | \$1500.00 |
| SSP Education Foundation (scholarship) | \$1500.00 |
| SSP Kaposia Days (sponsorship) | \$250.00 |
| Feed My Starving Children | \$250.00 |
| Rotary District 5960 (Fast For Hope) | \$400.00 |
| Pam Schultz (PETS Registration) | \$225.00 |
| Greg Bauer (exchange student expense) | \$84.98 |
| Postmaster (postage) | \$138.00 |
| Russell Hampton (Rotary supplies) | \$26.31 |

| <i>Month</i> | <i>Programs</i> | <i>Greeters</i> |
|---------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
| June | J Taurinskas, J Kemp | Schultz, Lewis |
| July | Francis, Glieden | Bauer, Wynes |
| August | Weber, Buchanan | Olson, Bergh |
| September | Hassing, Bauer | Kemp, Goodwin |
| October | Lewis, P Taurinskas | Cortinas, B Taurinskas |
| November | Gullerud, Warner | Tetrick, Glieden |
| December | Kendall, Sobaskiewicz | Schultz, J Taurinskas |



Rotary District 5960 Conference
April 18-20, 2013
Holiday Inn East
2201 Burns Ave., St. Paul

Thursday, April 18th

2:00 – 5:00 Grant Management Seminar
 5:00 – 8:00 Jingle Mahan Retirement Party

Friday, April 19th

9:00 Registration Opens
 8:00–11:30 District Assembly, Officer Training
 11:00-11:30 Credentials--Delegates
 11:00-12:00 Opportunity Café (2nd Floor)
 12:00-1:30 Luncheon & Keynote Speaker
 Lynn Casey, CEO
 Padilla Spear Beardsley
 1:45-4:15 Breakout Sessions
 4:30 Annual Meeting
 6:45 Dinner & Keynote
 Rotarian Christine Etienne
 “Peace Through Service”
 9:00 After hours with District Governor

Saturday, April 20th

9:00-11:00 Feed My Starving Children, Eagan
 11:30-12:30 Country Fair with
 Exchange Students
 12:30-2:15 Youth Exchange Luncheon
 Keynote: Marilyn Fitzgerald PhD
 “If I Had A Water Buffalo”
 2:15 Adjourn