



# *The Kaposian*

**March 2015**

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

## ***March***

### ***Programs***

Paul Tetrick

### ***Greeter***

John Kemp

### ***March 4th***

William McNally

Harvest Pack

### ***March 11th***

Dakota County 4-H Key Awards

### ***March 18th***

TBD

### ***March 25th***

Jerry Sakala, Principal

Simley High School

## ***April***

### ***Programs***

Dave Bernhardson

### ***Greeter***

John Glieden

## ***SSP/IGH Rotary Club***

**Wednesdays**

**12:15 PM**

## **Southview County Club**

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## ***Gonzolo's Host Family***

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**Our Mission: 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.**

### ***President's Corner:***

This year we encourage each member to fill a table (eight people) at the SOHR Banquet. You can do this in any way you like. You can invite your friends, family, and colleagues to purchase a ticket at their own expense and sit with you at the event. If you are feeling like a reserved Midwesterner and Minnesotan, meaning uncomfortable asking people to buy a ticket, you can buy a table yourself and invite folks to attend as your guest. If you don't believe that you can bring in a full table of eight people, should you just give up before you start, and assume you will just bring yourself and your spouse or significant other, as you do every year? Of course not! Bring in as many as you can. If you don't fill a full table of eight, are we going to force you to make up the shortfall and buy the remaining tickets at your own expense? Of course not! This is a volunteer organization. We appreciate the time and effort you donate and we don't force anything upon you. The point is to make the effort. Rather than sitting back and letting a few members bring in all the guests for this event, everyone should start with the expectation that they will fill their own table. If we get anywhere close to accomplishing that goal, we will meet or exceed our fundraising needs, and will be ready to fund our good works throughout the coming year. Dave

### ***March 11 – Dakota County Key Awards! Invite Guests!***

On March 11<sup>th</sup> we will hold our Annual Key Award Luncheon. Enterprising young students from throughout Dakota County are being honored for their hard work in 4-H by receiving this award. This is the time to invite friends, neighbors, family and prospective new members to attend. It's always a good feeling to see these young people inform us of their work. Pass the word . . .

### ***Welcome New Members: Miquela, Mike, and Steve:***

The Board has approved the membership for 3 new Rotarians: Miquela Hernandez, Michael Thorn, and Steve Mankowski. Miquela is with 360 Communities. Mike is a Nurse Practitioner at the Mayo Clinic in Rochester but lives in Inver Grove Heights. Steve Mankowski is the owner of Southview 66 in SSP and has spoken to the Club about "On The Road Again". A big welcome to Miquela, Mike, and Steve!

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### **Our One and Only Fundraiser: Club Banquet On April 10**

If you haven't already, please mark your calendars for the evening of April 10th and plan on attending our annual banquet fundraiser held at Southview Country club. ***This is the single most important event of the year for our club, and a major opportunity for you to provide service to our community.*** Without the funds from this event, we cannot meet our commitments to the community. Please do your part to help make this banquet a big success. We need each club member to donate one or more items for the silent auction (for which you will receive credit for the donation), as well as donate two bottles of your favorite wine for our wine raffle. These items can be given to Dan Warner to store at his office. Also, each member will be asked to sell ten (10) raffle tickets (for \$10 each) giving banquet guests an opportunity to win the wine collections.

We also need sponsors for the event. Each club member is asked to contact companies they work with to gain sponsorships. More information will be provided on this at the meeting of March 5<sup>th</sup>.

Finally, in addition to attending the banquet yourself, we ask that you try to fill a table of 8 people. Tickets for the banquet are \$50/ person. Every ticket helps move us forward in serving our community. This event is broadcast on Town Square Television and, if this year is like the past, is rebroadcast many times. In addition to being our main source of funding (sorry, but BASH and Queen of Hearts dollars just aren't enough), the banquet is a wonderful way for our club and your own business/organization to gain visibility in the community. It's also a great time!

**WE NEED YOUR HELP! THANK YOU!**

Dan Warner

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

March 2<sup>nd</sup> -- Board meeting – 12 Noon – Old World Pizza

March 11th – SOHR Planning Committee – 11:30 – Southview CC

March 11th – 4-H Key Awards Luncheon

March 13th – PETS Training – Mayo Civic Center, Rochester

April 10 – SOHR Banquet & Silent Auction– Southview Country Club

April 30 – Rotary 5960 District Conference, Rochester Kahler

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

Gonzalo	\$80.00
Southview Country Club (meals)	\$1075.73
Neighbor's Inc. (Marti Kemp memorial)	\$100.00
J & J Glassing Floral	\$75.00
Andy Larson (Queen of Hearts)	\$28.50

#### **UPCOMING ASSIGNMENTS:**

<b>Month</b>	<b>Programs</b>	<b>Greeters</b>
April	Bernhardson	Glieden
May	J Taurinskaskas	Buchanan
June	Bauer	Hassing