

Round and Round

Rotary Club of Wichita - Club 30

Upcoming Programs

January 11 - Ray Frederick National Aviation Training Center



Ray Frederick is President and Owner of Frederick Plumbing and Heating Inc. He was recently named Interim President of Wichita Area Technical College. Ray is a past Chairman of WIBA, also serving on the Board for numerous years. The WATC Board tapped Ray to be the Interim President because he has been a member of the WATC Board for three years, including as Chairman of the Facilities Committee, as well as involved in numerous committees and the Foundation Board for WATC. In addition to serving as Chairman of WIBA, he's also served as Chairman of the Plumbing Association of Central Kansas, the Mechanical Board for the City of Wichita and as President of Kansas Cooling Contractors, in addition to numerous other community boards and committees.

Mr. Frederick holds a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Religion and Philosophy from Friends University. He has served as the Assistant Director of Development and the Director of Admissions/Marketing of Trinity College, Deerfield, Illinois.

Ray and his wife, Dianne, have four children.



January 18 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day No Meeting and Rotary Office Closed



January 25 - Allen Clouse - "Marketing To Your Brain" February 1 - Health Insurance Roundtable

Lillian Gattis (center) sponsored two new members and introduced them on January 4. They are Kim Gattis, Wealth Advisor - UMB Bank and Tricia Snyder, Mainstream Solutions Consultant - Pitney Bowes



Loal Wilson (left) sponsored Tim Wilson, Managing Attorney - Tim J. Larson, J.D., P.A. and introduced him on January 4.



Invite a Friend or Colleague To Join Our Great Club!



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370 Members

3 In Progress

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

Is it the TRUTH?	Is it FAIR to all concerned?
Will it build GOOD WILL & BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?	Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

Happy Birthday!

01/11	Marilyn Pauly
01/12	Carol Nazar
01/13	Wilbur Baird Rich Stafford Roger Weast
01/14	Dick Hartwell Doug Watson
01/18	Ron Brown Larry Damm Brian Davidson Charlie Eby
01/20	Dave Murfin
01/21	Clay Bastian Scott Caswell Dick West
01/22	Mike Brown Ron Gessl Terry Pullman
01/23	Eldon Addy Rob Richardson

Club Anniversaries

Jerry Gray	13 years
Jim Holt	5 years
Mike Johnston	13 years
Steve Lewallen	7 years
Nancy Martin	17 years
Dave Murfin	29 years
Karyn Page	4 years
Stacy Peterson	17 years
Jim Reeder	51 years

New Member Orientation

Our New Member Orientation series continues on January 11 at 11:15 a.m. in the Botanica Fireside Room. This month's topic is "Nuts and Bolts of Rotary." New members and those not so new are all invited to join us for this informative series each month. Mark your calendars for future meetings:

February 8
March 15
April 19



From The Dugout...ED Curtis Dick

Happy New Year! I hope each of you and yours had a wonderful holiday season. As we enter the second half of our Rotary year, I think it is important to recognize our efforts over the past few months. Another Habitat House completed, Reading Is Fundamental going strong in 19 USD 259 schools, and almost 4,000 *Scholastic Children's Dictionaries* delivered to every 3rd grade student in all 58 USD 259 elementary schools. Now let's turn our focus to membership recruitment. As I write this column, our membership stands at 370. Call me crazy, but that is not far from 400. How about we all resolve to invite a friend or colleague to join our great club? Let's strive for 400 members again! More next time.

Red Cross Blood Donors

The following members were reported to the Rotary Office as Blood Donors for the month of December: Marsha Geisert, Denny Bender, Jim Money, Barry Blades, Steve Criser and Monte Vines. Thanks to all for giving the gift of life!



RI Rose Parade Float Takes Honors

Rotary's entry in the 2010 Tournament of Roses Parade was recognized as the winner of the Volunteers' Trophy for best floral design of theme 35 feet and under. The float, named "Service Above The Rest", highlighted Rotary's commitment to Polio Eradication and Literacy. The parade is seen by an estimated 300 million people in 200 countries annually.

Dictionary Thanks Received

We receive dozens of appreciation notes each year from students, teachers and parents for our gift of a *Scholastic Children's Dictionary* to each 3rd grade student in USD 259. Following are three examples:

Dear Rotary Club Members,

On behalf of the 3rd grade students and staff of Hyde Elementary, I want to express our sincere gratitude for the wonderful dictionaries you purchased for us. The students were so excited to receive a dictionary of their own. I'm confident they will use them often and will benefit greatly from your generosity. Thanks again!

Heather Eubank
Principal



From Rotarian Ben Grisamore:

Hi Martha...Mission accomplished today...lots of smiles and excitement. As we left, a little blond-headed girl thanked us and commented...Can I keep this dictionary til I die?

(Sent to Lueke Lueken)

Dear Dr. Lueken,
Thank you for sending the pictures. I love being the principal at Kensler and when I see the pictures of all those smiling faces it reminds me of how special our kids are. Thank you for being a part of a wonderful project. The students were so excited when they learned they were actually going to get to keep the dictionaries. You made many, many students very happy! Thanks again,

Kim Pruitt
Principal