

Round and Round

Rotary Club of Wichita - Club 30

Upcoming Programs

April 12 - Mark Reed - Executive Director, Sedgwick County Zoo "How Well Do You Know Your Sedgwick County Zoo?"



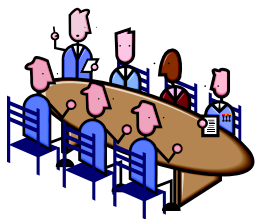
Each day the Zoo strives to be the pride of the community through its mission: To inspire discovery, appreciation, and respect for animals and nature.



Mark will share the top 10 frequently asked questions by guests and how they tie to the daily operations of your zoo. Sit back and enjoy the basics of zoo operations including: cost to open each day, species survival planning in captivity and the wild, guest services (giraffe feeding, education classes, tram rides, bathrooms), veterinary care (elephants to tomato frogs), and much, much more. After all it's a Zoo out there!

Mark has served as Executive Director since 1991 and was the Zoo's Assistant Director for 12 years prior to being named Director. In 2009, Mark completed his 30th year at the Sedgwick County Zoo. Before beginning his career at the Sedgwick County Zoo, Mark worked at the San Antonio Zoological Gardens & Aquarium, where he acquired seven years of animal curatorial experience. Mark is responsible for overseeing all areas of Zoo operations and future development. He is a member of the Association of Zoos & Aquariums (AZA) and is a Past President of the Board of Directors. He is a member of the World Association of Zoos & Aquariums (WAZA). Locally he is a member of the Rotary Club of Wichita and is a proud third generation alumni from Kansas State University.

April 19 - Fireside Meetings At Various Locations No Meeting at Botanica



Fireside meetings are a great vocational and fellowship opportunity in a smaller setting and, as usual, we have some great locations for you to visit. If you have not received an invitation from your host or you have misplaced it, please feel free to call Jean in the Rotary office at 262-4375 for your assigned Fireside Meeting.

Our Fireside hosts are: **Judy Conners, Dick Coe, Chester Daniel, Susan Estes, Gayle Goetz/Emily Compton, Mike Johnston, Bill Lee, Rose Mary Mohr, Glenda Sue Morris/Janet Rine, Ron Pasmore, Marilyn Pauly/Monte Cook, Mark Reed, Mike Relihan and Teresa Rupp.**

April 26 - Devin Hansen, Wichita Riverfest Admiral Windwagon Smith May 3 - Steve Hewitt, 3rd Anniversary of Greensburg Tornado



Volunteers Needed For Riverfest

Can you assist our club sell Food Court Tickets at Riverfest? We still have a few open slots as follows:

Tuesday, May 11 from 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. (Need 4)

Tuesday, May 11 from 2 p.m. - 5 p.m. (Need 2)

Friday, May 14 from 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. (Need 7)

If you can help, please contact Curtis in the Rotary office at 262-4375 or email curtis@wichitarotary.org.



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369 Members

1 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

04/12	Rose Mary Mohr
04/13	Martin Bauer Bev Morlan
04/14	Mark Cassell
04/15	Len Goldstein Ken Lerman
04/16	Lowell Richardson
04/18	John Prechtel

Club Anniversaries

Jan Arbuckle	22 years
Gary Austerman	13 years
Bill Edison	18 years
Dennis Schoenebeck	19 years
R.D. Smith	26 years
Jeff Willis	6 years

New Member Orientation

Our new member orientation series continues next Monday, April 12 at 11:15 a.m. in the Fireside Room at Botanica. This month's topic is "Rotary Ethics". All new members and other interested Rotarians are invited to attend.

Haiti's New Challenge - The Task Before Us

Rotarians Geri Appel and Sam Muyskens outlined new and broad endeavors in Lambert, Haiti at our April 5 meeting. Anyone interested in assisting may call the Rotary office for more details or contact Geri or Sam directly. The new projects are: **Computer Technology Center, Refurbish Lambert's Medical Clinic, Housing For Haiti, Dry Latrines and Child Sponsorship.** The proceeds from our recent coffee sales in the amount of \$7,000 will be used for the Computer Technology Center, the Lambert Medical Clinic and Dry Latrines.

Save The Date - 2010 Family Picnic June 14th! More Details Coming Soon

American Experience Presents: *The Polio Crusade*

AMERICAN EXPERIENCE

Our club will be a sponsor and receive recognition as KPTS presents *The Polio Crusade* on Monday, April 12 at 9pm!



American Experience and KPTS will present *The Polio Crusade*, a one-hour documentary from filmmaker Sarah Colt that interweaves the personal accounts of polio survivors with the story of an ardent crusader who tirelessly fought on their behalf while scientists races to eradicate this dreaded disease. Based in part on the Pulitzer-Prize winning book: *Polio: An American Story* by David Oshinsky, *The Polio Crusade* features interviews with historians, scientists, polio survivors and the only surviving scientist from the core research team that developed the Salk vaccine, Julius Youngner.

Your Input is Wanted For Club Survey!

You are invited to share your thoughts and opinions by completing a brief electronic survey of our members. The 2010-11 Wichita Rotary Board-Elect is presently assembling strategic plans for the coming year to ensure that the Rotary Club of Wichita is responsive to the needs of its members and has an accurate assessment of members' opinions, perceptions, and preferences.

As we enter our 99th year of existence, your board-elect has numerous ideas for growth and for exciting initiatives in fulfillment of our club's mission, but your candid input is needed to ensure the planning process is congruent with the needs, ideas, and preferences of the club's members.

As an extra incentive, all Rotarians responding to the survey by April 15th will have the opportunity to be entered into a drawing for a basket containing Girl Scout Cookies donated by the Girl Scouts of Kansas Heartland.

You should have received an e-mail from Jean Hackett with a link to the survey earlier this week, but if you feel uncomfortable participating in the web-based survey, please call Jean in the Rotary Office, 262-4375 or e-mail jean@wichitarotary.org and she will mail you a paper version.

We look forward receiving your input!

Botanica Plant Sale/Silent Auction



BOTANICA

WICHITA

Our relationship with Botanica is one of mutual benefits and they are requesting Rotarian volunteers for their annual plant sale and silent auction. In the words of Botanica personnel, "as a public garden, it takes the support of the whole

community to keep us growing". Proceeds from the event go towards Botanica's operating budget, funding educational programs, floral displays and other expenses. **Volunteers are needed from Wednesday, April 21 through Saturday, April 24 for moving and staging plants, ticket takers, register persons and carry out customer assistance. For times, more information and to sign up as a volunteer, please call Risa at ComfortCare Homes at 685-3322.**



Blood Donors For March

The following persons were reported to the Rotary office as giving blood last month: **Mark Cassell, Tom Kruse, Mac Carter, Bill McAdoo, Dave Anderson, Denny Bender, Tim McGuigan and Shelly Chenoweth**