



## SPOKESPERSON ROTARY CLUB OF HOMEWOOD

### THE ROTARY FOUR WAY TEST

1. Is it the truth?
2. Is it fair to all concerned?
3. Will it build good will and better friendships?
4. Will it be beneficial to all concerned?

District 6450

Chartered April 1, 1936

[www.homewoodrotary.org](http://www.homewoodrotary.org)

**November , 2008**

### MEETING PROCEEDINGS

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**Steve Marks** opened the meeting and welcomed our guests.

**John Townsend** reported that **Early Act** at Millenium School is working on a red ribbon/drug awareness project, cards, and Thanksgiving boxes. Start thinking of your schedules to attend their meetings in 2009. Thursday meetings start at 3:15 PM. Please sign up for one of the meetings and represent Rotary. Brookwood School meets on Wednesdays.

**Linda Quagliani** announced that 10 bags were collected for donation to **PADS**. Thanks to all who contributed.

**Mike Ryan** presented **Homewood Rotary Foundation** checks to the Audubon Society for their Adventure Program (\$456.50) and to the Homewood-Flossmoor Snowflake/Snowball/Snow flurry clubs (\$500.00 each).

A special guest, Lt. Jack Treptoe, U.S. Marines Corps, gave an impromptu talk about his career in the service. He was in Iraq and Afghanistan. He is stationed out of Virginia but had some time off and joined us. Thank you for your service to our country, Lt. Jack! \$\$\$\$ Marv Commerford won the day's raffle.

### PROGRAM

Steve Marks gave an inspirational message about club membership. We have a great club, but we need to look for new members to be able to continue our projects and service to the community. Steve suggested that we look for younger members (under the age of 40) as well as look for members at the events that we sponsor such as the Corn Roast and Health Fair. New members also can be people we do business with, community members, retirees, clients, etc. Here's what we can do;

1. If you know of someone who might be a good member, give the name and phone number to Steve. He will call and invite them to lunch.
2. Invite potential members to lunch.
3. Call club members who have not recently attended the lunch meetings. We don't want to lose members that we already have.

## **IMPORTANT DATES**

**November 19 – GSU International Luncheon**

**Myrus Osmond – China, How it is Today**

**Membership Committee meeting with Steve Marks**

**November 20 - Glenwood School Luncheon – Downtown.** See Jerry Palm for details

**December 10 – Wrapping presents for the Glenwood School Christmas Party**

**December 16 - Glenwood School Christmas Party**

**Data for the Week: Visiting Rotarians: none Attendance: 42**

**Guests: Erin Ryan, Mary Ann McClean, H-F High School representatives.**

### **Meeting Assignments:**

**Greeters      Mike Krokidas - November 12**

**Beth Lindsay – November 19**

### **Sergeants at Arms**

Al Locke and any club member willing to help

**Invocation      Steve Marks - November 12**

**Paul McHenry – November 19**

### **Announcements and Activities**

• **November BIRTHDAYS – Jane Hindsley (8), Clint Johnson (13), Sharon Case (15), Cheri Vana (18), Paul McHenry (23)**

• **Information for the newsletter:** Please send to Mary Klinefelter at [mklinefelter@prairiestate.edu](mailto:mklinefelter@prairiestate.edu)

• **Make-ups:** Please provide documentation to Nick Markionni, club secretary. If your make-up is from a committee meeting or social event, please ask that chair to e-mail a list of attending Rotarians to Nick.

• **Rotary Loan Closet:** If someone temporary needs a wheelchair, crutches, walker, etc., contact the Rotary Loan Closet at 708-747-8989. Please leave a message.

### **Officers - Rotary Year 2008-2009**

<i>Club President</i>	<i>President-Elect</i>	<i>Past President</i>
Cheri Vana	Steve Marks	Jack Edwards
<i>Club Directors</i>	<i>Treasurer</i>	<i>District Governor</i>
Linda Quagliani	Robert Hindsley	Michael Slevnik
Al Locke	<i>Secretary</i>	<i>International President</i>
Vreni Mendoza	Nick Markionni	D. K. Lee
John Townsend		

### **Neighboring Rotary Clubs meeting at 12:15 PM**

#### **Monday**

*Evergreen Park:* Baracco's Pizza, 3701 W. 95th

*Oak Lawn:* Oak Lawn Hilton, 9333 S. Cicero Ave.

#### **Tuesday**

*Blue Island:* Fountain Hills Golf Club

12601 S. Kedzie, Alsip

*Matteson:* Dusties Southern Style, 4012 Lincoln Hwy

*Chicago-I: (noon)* The Union League Club

65 W. Jackson Blvd

*Oak Forest:* Midlothian Country Club, 5000 147th St

*Lansing:* Popolano's Rest., 17940 Torrence

#### **Thursday**

*Chicago Heights:* Olympia Fields CC

*Orland Park:* Silver Lake CC

151st & 82nd Ave

*Park Forest:* University Country Club

Crawford Rd. just north of Stuenkel Rd.

#### **Friday**

*Hinsdale:* Oaks Hotel, 300 S. Frontage Rd.

Burr Ridge