



# SPOKESPERSON

## ROTARY CLUB OF HOMEWOOD

Chartered April 1, 1936 - District 6450

Awarded 2nd Best News Letter in the District, RY 2006-2007

### 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?

## February 11, 2009

EVERY ROTARIAN EVERY YEAR

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

If God had wanted this newsletter to be perfect, he never would have let me do it!

### CALL TO ORDER FEBRUARY 11 2009



President Elect Steve Marks called the meeting to order at 12:15 P.M and welcomed our visitors. PE Steve announced that Pres.Vana was busy at the bank trying to spend the Stimulus money the bank got from the Government.



### MEETING-

Steve introduced the new Theme Logo for RY 09-10 June 1<sup>st</sup> 2009.



This Logo will be official as of

Linda Q announced that the supply drive for SSHC was a success

### PROGRAM- Rabbi Ellen Dreyfus



Rabbi Ellen Weinberg Dreyfus of B'nai Yehuda Beth Sholom in **Homewood, Illinois**, and a Fellow of the Hartman Institute's first Rabbinic Leadership Initiative program in 2001-2004, will be installed as president of the New York-based Central Conference of American Rabbis during a conference in Jerusalem in February. Rabbi Dreyfus talked to us about what being the president of this prestigious and important organization entails.

## Announcements, Activities, Member Contributions

**Program Suggestion?** If you have a suggestion for a program, Email Program Chair Gary Nordbrock at [nordbrck@aol.com](mailto:nordbrck@aol.com) and tell him what it is.

### ROTARY LOAN CLOSET

If you are aware of any one in the Homewood-Flossmoor area that may be in temporary need of a wheelchair, crutches, a walker, or any other medical appliance. Tell them to contact the rotary loan closet at (708) 747-8989. This phone number is monitored by an answering machine 24/7 and all requests will be acknowledged quickly...



The date for this year's Health Fair has been set. The Fair will be on Sunday April 19<sup>th</sup>. The Chair for this year's event is Millicent Walker. Millicent is looking for volunteers to assist with the set up on Saturday the 18<sup>th</sup>.



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



The raffle this week was won by Mike Krokidas



If a member of your nuclear family or any Rotarian that you know of is ill, no matter how minor, tell about it by emailing me at [jcommerford@comcast.net](mailto:jcommerford@comcast.net).

## Significant Dates



February 14<sup>th</sup> -Valentines Day



February 16<sup>th</sup> -President's day



Sunday March 8<sup>th</sup> Daylight Saving Time begins (2:00 A.M.) Set clocks ahead 1 hour



Tuesday March 17<sup>th</sup> St Patrick's Day



April 4<sup>th</sup>, District 6450 Assembly Willow brook Holiday Inn



April 19<sup>th</sup> Annual Health Fair at Millennium School



September -2nd 2009-Second Annual Charity Golf Outing



## This Weeks Poop Sheet

### ATTENDANCE-42

#### Guests (2)

Zena Smith (Sharon Case), Jennifer Hindel (James Daugherty)

#### Visiting Rotarians (1)



James Daugherty (Chicago Heights)

#### Member Birthdays

**February** Joe Moser (10<sup>th</sup>), Jerry Palm (13<sup>th</sup>), Sol Rocke (21<sup>st</sup>), Jerry Bradley (27<sup>th</sup>)

### Club Locations Which Meet at 12:15 PM

#### Monday

*Evergreen Park:* Baracco's Pizza  
3701 W. 95<sup>th</sup>  
*Oak Lawn:* Oak Lawn Hilton, 9333 So. Cicero.

#### Tuesday

*Blue Island:* Elks Club, 4428 Midlothian Trnprk, Crestwood  
*Chicago-1: (noon)* the Union League Club, 65 W. Jackson .  
*Oak Forest.* Midlothian Country Club: 5000 147<sup>th</sup> St.  
*Matteson:* Dusties Southern Style Buffet 4012 Lincoln Hwy

#### Thursday

*Chicago Heights:* Olympia Fields Country Club  
*Orland Park:* Silver Lake CC, 151st & 82<sup>nd</sup> Ave  
*Park Forest:* University Country Club  
Crawford Rd. Just North of Stuenkel Rd.

#### Friday

*Hinsdale:* Oaks Hotel, 300 S. Frontage Rd. Burr Ridge  
*Lansing:* Popolano's Rest., 17940 Torrence, Lansing, IL

## Meeting Assignments & Program Information



#### Greeters

Feb 18 Mike Reagan  
Feb 25 Erin Ryan  
Mar 4 Mike Ryan  
Mar-11 Geoff Slawson  
Mar-18 Rick Thiernau

#### Invocation (assigned by Pres.Cheri)

**Sergeants at Arms** Al Locke and any club member willing to help

#### Upcoming Programs (Prog. Chair-Gary Nordbrock)

**Meetings at Calumet CC unless otherwise noted**

#### Feb 18

Rotarians talking about past Presidents

#### Feb 25

Erin Ryan-Qualification Talk

#### Mar 4

TBA

#### Mar 11

Steve Hofer-The origins of TV

#### Mar !8

Rick Thiernau-Status of the Haiti Water Project

# **Club Information**

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

### ***International President***

D. K. Lee.

### ***District Governor***

Michael Slevnik

### ***President***

Cheri Vana

### ***President-Elect***

Steve Marks

### ***Club Directors***

Linda Quagliani

Al Locke

Vreni Mendoza

John Townsend

### ***Treasurer***

Robert Hindsley

### ***Secretary***

Nick Markionni

### ***Past President***

Jack Edwards

### ***Homewood Rotary Foundation***

#### ***President***

Mike Ryan

#### ***Vice President***

Jack Edwards

#### ***Secretary***

Geoff Slawson

#### ***Treasurer***

Roger Bovenkerk

#### ***Directors***

Jerry Palm

Rick Thiernau

Dave Corbin

Bill Nuzbach

Sharon Case

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