



Rotary Club of Naperville

Service Above Self

2009 – 2010 Rotary Year Preview

May 14, 2009



Why We Do What We Do



Service, Fellowship, Fun



Mission

The mission of Rotary International, a worldwide association of Rotary clubs, is to provide service to others, to promote high ethical standards, and to advance world understanding, goodwill, and peace through its fellowship of business, professional, and community leaders.



The Object of Rotary

FIRST. The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;

SECOND. High ethical standards in business and professions, the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations, and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society;

THIRD. The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business, and community life;

FOURTH. The advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.

Strategic Initiatives

- Foster image of Rotary within our communities
- June 9th reception with 4 Naperville Club Boards
- Do more with less
- Re-introduce hands on service with monthly service events
- Become more aware of and engaged in District 6450 activities and educational programs
- Commit to one Hands On Service (and Fun!) opportunity in year
- Monthly fellowship (and Fun!) events



Membership

John Knobloch

- Retention – Goal of our Club and Rotary International for all Clubs
- Engagement of all members
- Events and opportunities to reach out to members
- Satisfaction
 - Annual survey
 - Membership exit interviews



Fundraising

Bill Mitchell

- Challenging environment for Clubs and Rotary Foundation

- Support Club Events
 - Joint club fundraiser late summer
 - Soup's On – October 18
 - International fundraiser
 - Others?

- Support House of Dreams

- Support local Naperville groups



Sergeant At Arms

Donna Dzedzic

- Fun
- Spread Fellowship
- Celebrate Rotarians
- Raise Funds for Scholarships



Secretary

Linda Linford

- Report to Board and Club Monthly
 - Membership
 - Special Activities
 - Ensure Board Minutes Are Posted on Membership Web Site



Treasurer

Anju Khanna

- No Dues Increase
- Slight Reduction in Resources in 2009-2010
- Maintain Club books and Club in financially good standing
- Report Monthly on Financial Statements to Board and quarterly at Club Assemblies



Public Relations

Sun Kwok – Mindie Loebach

External Club Public Relations

- Promote Rotary within the community
- Promote Rotary Events and Activities
- Create Calendar of Public Events
- Handle communications with public, email, letters, etc.
- Create content on website for commonly asked questions

Internal Club Public Relations

- Promote Rotary Events, people, and activities to the club
- Coordinate with Committees to enhance their activities
- Create Calendar of Events
- Website - Get more people involved and making updates to the website
- Begin Project to get BIO's for every Rotarian
- Document Club policies and procedures

Club Service

John Gallagher – Larry Decker

- Monthly Club Activities
 - Variety
 - Affordable for All

- Fellowship Programs Throughout Year

- Special Luncheon Programs
 - Honor Our Veterans – Rotary Hill
 - Peace Program in Naperville
 - Holiday Programs
 - Group Study Exchange



Community Service

Diane Ferris – Lee Spadoni

- Monthly service projects
 - Working with existing organizations in community
 - Work on projects together in community

- Community Service Grants



Vocational

Jason Altenbern – Mindie Loebach

- Ongoing Involvement with Interact
- Continuing and New Programs
 - Mock Trial
 - Entrepreneurship
 - Rotary Youth Leadership (RYLA)
- Rotaract For Young Professionals
- Scholarship Programs
- Youth Exchange with Nitra Slovakia



International

Chuck Newman – Prakash Tata

- Youth Exchange With Nitra Slovakia – Opportunity to Work With Sister Cities Commission
- Encourage participation in two missions to developing countries in 2009-2010 Rotary year
- Full Speed Ahead on July 1 With Matching Grants
- Projects in Many Countries
 - Honduras, Kenya, Philippines, Jordan, India, Haiti, South Africa



Rotary Foundation

Scott Mitchell

Strengthen Understanding & Support for the Rotary Foundation

- Promote Understanding through:
 - Trip to Rotary International in Evanston (Early Fall *Tour of RI & Lunch*)
 - Information for the Nairator & Club on the work of the Rotary Foundation
 - A Paul Harris Luncheon in Spring of 2010
 - Encourage new and existing members to attend District 6450 Foundation Seminar on November 14
- Promote Support through:
 - EREY \$100 Campaign
 - Paul Harris Society
 - Polio Plus Campaign



Fellowship In Rotary District 6450

President Nominee Bob Estvander

- Opportunities to meet and work with other Rotarians
- Educational programs on Rotary projects and initiatives
- Rotary fun events
 - White Sox Game for Autism – June 2
 - PR Seminar with Hunter and Mindie on Hunter's Birthday – September 19
 - New Member Seminar – September 19
 - Rotary Foundation Seminar – November 14
 - District Assembly – April 2010
 - District Conference – May 2010

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**THE FUTURE OF ROTARY
IS IN YOUR HANDS**

