



Keosauqua Rotary Club

Tuesday-Noon

VFW Dining Hall-Keosauqua, Iowa

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2008-2009 Rotary Year

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2008-2009 Membership

Ann Abolt
Marsha Appleman
Barbara Boley
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Gary Debner
Jon P. Finney
Dean Folker
Laura Gaston
Kevin Hranicka
Richard Lowe
J.O. Manning
Sandra McLain
Cathy Newman
Art Ovrom
David Paulek
Robert Pedrick
Twyla Peacock
Sam Polonsky
William Randolph
Mark Robertson
Marie Settles
William Shewmaker
Karen Stinson
Jerry Syfert
Jan Towne
Susan Wasko
John R. Whitaker
Mark Woodruff

Officers-Board

Marie Settles, Pres.
Bill Shewmaker, Pres.-Elect
Jon P. Finney, Secy.-Treas.
David Paulek, Past Pres.
Karen Stinson, Past Pres.
Susan Wasko
Jan Towne

Program Chair

Bill Shewmaker

Webmaster

Rich Lowe

Upcoming Programs

December 2nd-Ann Abolt
December 9th-Gift Exchange
December 16th-No meeting
December 18th-Senior Christmas
Dinner at the Roberts Memorial
Center-Noon
December 23rd & 30th-No meeting

November Perfect Attendance

Barb Boley, Jon Finney, Marie Settles,
Mark Woodruff. Overall attendance was
51%.

Membership Anniversaries

December 19, 2002-Jake Syfert
December 21, 2006-Ann Abolt

December Birthdays

December 19th-Rich Lowe
December 19th-Marie Settles

Christmas Dinner for Senior Citizens

Our 39th annual Christmas
dinner for our senior citizens will be
held at the Roberts Memorial Center
beginning at noon on **Thursday,**
December 18th.

The VFW ladies will be serving
a turkey dinner with all the
trimmings. The Rotary chorus will be
singing selected Christmas carols.

We will need help at 9:30AM
that morning to set up tables and
decorate and then again at 11:30AM to
set out food and help our guests into the
building.

Art Ovrom is in charge of
signup at Country Lane Apts., Gary
Debner for signup at Village Terrace,
and Ann Abolt at Good Sam.

Your calling list will be emailed
to you as a reminder of who you have
signed up to call.

Be sure to mark this date on
your calendars!

Rotary Foundation

The Rotary Foundation is the
primary way in which we are involved
in the 4th avenue of service –
International Service.

The Foundation was established ...”*for
the purpose of doing good in the world*
in charitable, educational, and other
avenues of community service.” It took
eleven years – from 1917 to 1928,
before the Foundation had assets of
\$5,000. In 1930 the very first grant was
made to the International Society for
Crippled Children – later to be known as
the Easter Seals organization. Like the
proverbial acorn, the Foundation has
grown to a mighty oak. Last year
Rotarians contributed over \$93 million
to the Annual Programs Fund, \$12
million to the Permanent Fund, and \$6
million in Restricted Giving, a total of
\$111 million! We are making a
difference throughout the world.

Every Rotarian Every Year is
a reminder to all of us to donate
generously to the Foundation and do it
year after year.

Our club Foundation giving
through November, 2008 was \$1124
toward our 2009 Rotary year goal of
\$2100.

The amount includes \$550
given by Rotarian sustaining members.

Gift Exchange at Rotary

Our annual Christmas Gift
exchange will be held on Tuesday,
December 9th. Please check your email
from Rotary Mark Woodruff for
instructions on this annual event.

Rotary Theme for 2009

“Make Dreams Real”