



Keosauqua Rotary Club

Tuesday-Noon

VFW Dining Hall-Keosauqua, Iowa

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2007-2008 Rotary Year

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2006-2007 Membership

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Richard Lytle
J.O. Manning
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Art Ovrom
Paul Ovrom
David Paulek
Robert Pedrick
Twyla Peacock
Sam Polonsky
William Randolph
Mark Robertson
Lisa Schnedler
Marie Settles
William Shewmaker
Karen Stinson
Jerry Syfert
Jan Towne
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Mark Woodruff

Officers-Board

David Paulek, Pres.
Marie Settles, Pres.-Elect
Jon P. Finney, Secy-Treas.
Karen Stinson, Past Pres.
Jerry Syfert, Past Pres.
Barbara Adam
Susan Wasko

Program Chair

Marie Settles

Upcoming Programs

October 2nd-Dean Folker
October 9th-Kevin Hranicka
October 16th-Rich Lowe
October 23rd-John Manning
October 30-Sandy McLain
November 6th-Dave Paulek

September Perfect Attendance

Jon Finney, Dean Folker, Art Ovrom,
Dave Paulek, Robert Pedrick, Marie
Settles, Jake Syfert. Overall attendance
was 50% for the month.

Membership Anniversaries

October 14, 1980-John Manning
October 17, 1995-Marsha Appleman
October 19, 1982-Mark Robertson
October 21, 1997-Sam Polonsky
October 25, 1988-Mark Woodruff

October Birthdays

October 29th-John Whitaker
October 30th-Bill Randolph

Dues are Due

Dues for the 2nd quarter of
2008 are now due and payable in the
amount of \$80.00. Those who have not
paid the 1st quarter, you are now past
due.

Due to an increase in costs, the
club voted to increase dues to \$90 per
quarter beginning January 1, 2008. This
is the first dues increase in about 14
years.

Rotary Foundation

Foundation giving through
September was \$696 toward our 2008
Rotary year goal of \$2300.

Rotary Theme for 2008

“Rotary Shares”

“Salute to Manufacturing”

Theme for Keosauqua Parade

October 13

By Sandy Polonsky

“Salute to Manufacturing” is the
theme for Keosauqua’s 2007 Festival of
Colors Parade on Saturday, October 13. The
parade coincides with the Villages of Van
Buren Fall Festival the weekend of October
13 and 14.

This year’s parade will honor Jack
McMahon as the 2007 Parade Grand
Marshal.

All entries that wish to be
announced and judged need to be at the
school between 8:00 A.M. and 9:00 A.M.
Information sheets regarding the entry (to be
filled out) will be distributed at the entrance
to the parade line-up and then picked up by
the parade committee members. Line-up for
the parade is on a first-come, first-serve
basis. There is no pre-registration.

Judging parade entries for Best
Theme, Most Creative, and Judge’s Choice
will be done between 9:00 and 9:30 A.M. at
the parade grounds at the high school.

This year’s parade will line up at
the entrance to the Van Buren High School
(corner of 4th & Oak) starting at 8:00 A.M.,
leaving the school at 9:30 A.M., arriving
downtown on First Street at 10:00 A.M.
The route follows the same as in past years,
leaving the 6th Street exit of the school,
proceeding past Good Samaritan Center on
Country Lane Road, then turning right on
Dodge Street down to First Street, turning
right at the Old Creamery and proceeding
down First Street to the viewing stand in
front of the Library.

Van Buren County has many
businesses that manufacture products,
whether they are produced in mass quantity
or specialty one-of-a-kind items, and for this
we are proud to salute manufacturing this
year and invite all area manufacturers to
participate in the parade to showcase their
business.

All businesses, organizations,
groups, teams, families or individuals are
encouraged to participate in the parade and
join in the 2007 Festival of Colors Parade.