



# Keosauqua Rotary Club

Tuesday-Noon

VFW Dining Hall-Keosauqua, Iowa

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2009-2010 Rotary Year

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## 2009-2010 Membership

Marsha Appleman  
Barbara Boley  
Gary Debner  
Jon P. Finney  
Laura Gaston  
Kevin Hranicka  
Elsa Lawry  
Richard Lowe  
J.O. Manning  
Sandra McLain  
Art Ovrom  
David Paulek  
Robert Pedrick  
Twyla Peacock  
Sam Polonsky  
Karen Riggle  
Mark Robertson  
Marie Settles  
William Shewmaker  
Karen Stinson  
Jerry Syfert  
Jan Towne  
Susan Wasko  
Mark Woodruff

## Officers-Board

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

## Webmaster

Rich Lowe

## Upcoming Programs

September 1<sup>st</sup>-Club Assembly  
September 8<sup>th</sup>-Gary Debner  
September 15<sup>th</sup>-Fall Picnic  
September 22<sup>nd</sup>-Laura Gaston  
September 29<sup>th</sup>-Kevin Hranicka  
October 6<sup>th</sup>-Elsa Lawry

## August Perfect Attendance

Marsha Appleman, Barb Boley, Gary Debner, Jon Finney, Elsy Lawry, Rich Lowe, Sam Polonsky, Marie Settles, Bill Shewmaker, Mark Woodruff.  
Overall attendance was 69%.

## September Birthdays

September 4<sup>th</sup>-Karen Stinson

## September Anniversaries

September 3, 1991-Sandra McLain  
September 14, 1976-Jon Finney

## Women in Rotary

This Rotary year makes the 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the official RI recognition of women in Rotary. Some of the local Rotary facts are as follows:

1<sup>st</sup> woman admitted: Lisa Schnedler on May 15, 1990

2<sup>nd</sup> woman admitted: Lil Perry on July 3, 1990

Earliest women admitted who is still a current member: Sandra McLain on September 10, 1991

1<sup>st</sup> woman president of the club: Connie Davenport-1995-1996

Number of women currently in the club: 11 (46%)

Number of women who have been president of the club in 20 years: 8

## Rotary Theme for 2010

"The Future of Rotary is in Your Hands"

## Rotary Bake Sale Sat., Sept. 12th-8AM to Noon

at  
Wasko Hardware

**Rotarians...Please prepare two baked items for this sale...pies, cookies, breads, etc.**

Deliver by 7:30AM on Saturday to Wasko Hardware OR deliver to one of the following committee members the night before:  
Susan Wasko, Marie Settles, or Marsha Appleman.

## Rotary Foundation

Foundation giving through July, 2009 was \$823.00 toward our 2010 Rotary year goal of \$1950.

The amount includes \$575.00 given by Rotarian sustaining members.

## Scenic Festival Parade Theme

"The Future is in Your Hands" is the theme for this year's annual Scenic Festival Parade. The parade will be held on Saturday, October 10<sup>th</sup> and will form at the school as usual beginning at 8:30AM.

Sandra and Jerry McLain will be honored as the Grand Marshal's for this year's parade. Sandy is retiring after 40 years of public service with the county extension service.

## Clean Water Project Update

One of our goals this Rotary year is to provide one water purification system for former Van Buren County native Mike Philips to take to an underdeveloped country in need. The cost of this system is \$500. To date we have received \$220 for this project.