



Flint Rotary World

Charter No. 220 – *Rotary Club of Flint, Michigan* – Organized April 7, 1916
Rotary theme for 2009-10 – “The Future of Rotary is in Your Hands”
John Kenny, Grangemouth, Scotland, President, Rotary International - Tanya Wolff, Sarnia, Canada, Governor, District 6330

This Week’s Program: Friday, October 16, 2009

Leslie Fritz, Director of the State of Michigan Economic Recovery Office

The State of Michigan is receiving over \$800,000,000 of federal economic stimulus funding. Be at this week’s meeting to hear, first hand, how this money will be invested within our state.

Bring guests who might be interested in this important program.
October is membership month – Please invite a prospective member.

Location: Sarvis Conference Center in the Flint Cultural Center.
Time: The buffet luncheon begins at noon and the program at 12:45 p.m.



Upcoming Programs:

Friday, October 23, 2009 - Local auto dealer **Andy Suski** will give a presentation about **The 100 Club of Flint**. This important organization within our community supports: police and fire departments with Genesee and Shiawassee County and the families of those firefighters and police officers who have fallen in the line of duty. **Learn more about The 100 Club – attend the meeting and bring a friend.**

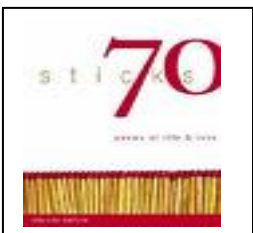


Friday, October 30, 2009 Author, Dallas Gatlin.

His books include:

70 Sticks: Poems of Life & Love; A Small Sense of Hereness.

This program promises to be very enjoyable.
Check out his work online at www.dallasgatlin.com.
After you’ve read his poems you will not want to miss Flint Rotary on October 30th.



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Last Week's Meeting and Program (October 9, 2009) Recap

Past District Governor Pat McAvinchey began last week's meeting with a truly "inspirational" (and timeless) Rotary message. He challenged each of us to think about what Rotary means to us and how we fit into Rotary. He quoted Robert Kennedy's words "Few will have the greatness to bend history itself, but each of us can work to change a small portion of events..." - "the ripples bend the current...". For the entire quote, go to this website: www.goodreads.com/author/quotes/98221.Robert_F_Kennedy. Pat concluded by saying that Rotarians and their clubs around the world have created so many positive 'ripples' that a veritable tsunami has been formed. "It's amazing to be a Rotarian", Pat concluded.

Rotary District 6330 Governor Tanya Wolff gave an inspiring Rotary speech.

She was introduced by Joe Reynolds of Burton Rotary District 6330 Assistant District Governor.

District Governor Wolff's commitment to Rotary is remarkable:

1. Joined Polio Immunization Campaigns to: India, Egypt, India, Mali and Niger, Africa.
2. Volunteered in Rotary Community Service projects: Haiti, Benin – Africa, and Venezuela.
3. She has attended 8 Rotary International Conventions.
4. She has attended Rotary meetings in 15 different countries.

Tanya lives in Sarnia, Ontario. She has two daughters and one son. And by-the-way, Tanya recently returned from Africa where she climbed Mt. Kilimanjaro – to raise funds for Sarnia's Big Brothers' mentoring programs.



District Governor Tanya Wolff's Rotary Goals:

- #1. Polio Eradication – Polio is now found only in PAIN: Pakistan, India and Niger, Africa.
- #2. Advance public awareness of Rotary. Share your Rotary Story.
- #3. Be involved in Rotary.
- #4. Expand Rotary membership. This is up to each member.
- #5. Focus on Vocational Service and Live the 4-Way Test.
- #6. Be a Leader in Your Business
Be a Leader in Rotary.

Tanya concluded her remarks by saying:

- Rotary gives ordinary people extraordinary ways to serve.
- Join the District 6330 Conference in Sarnia, Ont. June 2010. Watch for details and registration.
- World Community Service means: Opportunity, Success and Celebrate.
- The International Convention 2010 will be in Montreal. Every Rotarian should try to attend at least one – Make it this one.



The Rotary Four Way Test

Of the things we think, say or do:

1. Is it the **TRUTH**?
2. Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
3. Will it build **GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?
4. Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?"

Flint Rotarians: Make attendance a priority. It's easy-MAKE UP: you'll make new friends and get your name in the Bulletin.

Where to make up:

Monday
 Saginaw Valley 12:15 p.m.
Horizons Conference Center

Tuesday
 Clio 7:15 a.m.
Roger's Lodge
 Durand Noon
Papa Joe's Restaurant
 Grand Blanc 7:15 a.m.
Sophie's Kitchen
 Fenton 7:15 a.m.
Spring Meadows Country Club
 Genesee Valley (Flint) 12:15
Redwood Lodge
 Lapeer 12:10 p.m.
Lapeer County Center Bldg.
 Columbiaville 6:30 p.m.
Rotary Building

Wednesday
 Greater Flint Sunrise 7 a.m.
Sarvis Center
 Owosso 12:15 p.m.
Owosso Memorial Hosp. Annex
 Saginaw Noon
Saginaw Club
 Davisburg 7 p.m.
Don Hart Community Center

Thursday
 Flushing 7 a.m.
Sorrento's Restaurant
 Burton 12:10 p.m.
Brookwood Golf Club
 Frankenmuth 12:10 p.m.
Zehnder's Restaurant
 Corunna Noon
United Methodist Church

Flint Rotarian Make Up Meetings:

Date	Rotary Member	Location
Sept.22	Paul Wenstrom	Grand Blanc
Sept.23	Doug Speck	Bay City
Sept. 23	Rick Warmbold	Flint Sunrise
Sept. 23	Heather Kale	Red Cup - Golf
Sept. 23	John Musgrave	Red Cup - Golf
Sept. 23	Larry Ridge	Red Cup - Golf
Sept. 23	Don Rockwell	Red Cup - Golf
Sept. 23	Kristen Skivington	Red Cup - Golf
Sept. 23	Jennifer Tremaine	Red Cup - Golf
Sept. 23	Robert Wright	Red Cup - Golf
Sept. 25	Larry Cywin	Southlake, TX
Sept. 29	Larry Cywin	Keller, TX
Sept. 29	Rich Fortner	Genesee Valley
Sept. 29	Gerald Hill	Genesee Valley
Oct. 1	Al Rohde	Flushing
Oct. 3	Don Barrow	Food Bank
Oct. 3	Tim Goyette	Food Bank
Oct. 3	Ken Halter	Food Bank
Oct. 3	James Kovas	Food Bank
Oct. 6	Doug Bacon	Genesee Valley
Oct. 6	Rich Fortner	Genesee Valley
Oct. 7	Mike Lindemann	Flint Sunrise
Oct. 8	Fr. Jim Bettendorf	Burton

Survey:

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What information is useful?

Please let the Bulletin Committee know. Thanks.

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Pianist Paul Vanston finished his music selections with a fine rendition of MSU's Fight Song. The Spartans in attendance quietly smiled and hummed the tune.



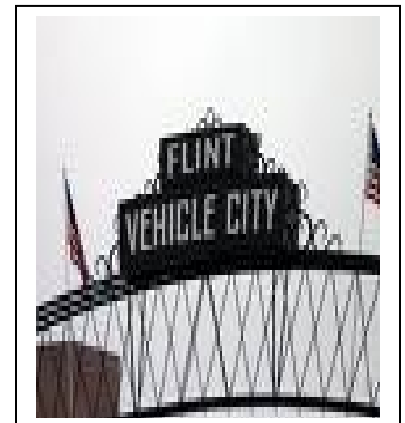
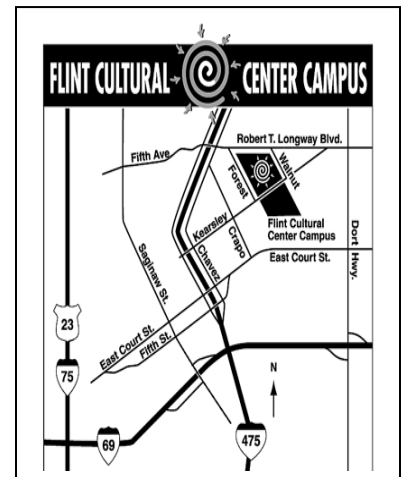
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