



JANUARY 28, 2010

# Spokesman

NEWSLETTER OF THE ROTARY CLUB OF SPRINGFIELD SOUTHEAST

## TOP STORY

### What's Happening Behind the Scenes?

*Basketball Tournament Committee, Chair-Brad Bodenhausen*

The boys have been practicing their 3-pt shots and rebounding since January 10. Dates have been set for the tournament on March 22, 23, and 25.

*Group Study Exchange Committee, Chair-Larry Campbell*

Michelle Sherwood was selected as Southeast's nominee for the outbound Group Student Exchange team to South Korea later this year.

*House Committee, Chair-Mike Moon*

In response to the amount of leftover food each week, the committee is now offering St. John's employees the opportunity to purchase the leftovers for a \$2.00 donation to our K-Park Project. The food will be offered following 12:40 p.m.

*International Youth Exchange Committee, Chair-Patrick Harrington*

Lori Johnson has volunteered to serve as the outbound Counselor for the next Rotary year for our student, Savanna Myers. The committee is expecting an inbound male student next year.

*Long Range Planning Committee, Chair-Brad Bodenhausen*

The committee has met several times since December. The first focus has been to review Membership Development strategies.

*Program Committee, Chair-Randy Mayes*

The committee is preparing to meet to complete the speakers

*Continued on page 2*

## COMMITTEE HUB

### Audit Committee

Typically a one-person committee designed to provide oversight of the financial aspects of the club.

Assists the treasurer, on an as-needed basis, with accounting, financial reporting and tax matters.

If requested by the Club President or other appropriate officer, is available to review specific items, transactions or other matters.

Does not actually perform an audit of the Club's books unless specific requests are made for such assistance.

Chair-Andy Clemens

## CALENDAR

### Looking Ahead

- 2/1 Semi Annual and 3rd quarter payments are due.
- 2/4 OTC Workforce Dev.
- 2/9 Rotary Board Meeting
- 2/10 Organizational Meeting of the Incoming Board of Directors
- 2/11 Long Range Planning Committee

## Today's Agenda

- Invocation: Chip Wolf
- Welcome Student Guests from Springfield Catholic
- Check Presentation to the Ozark Literacy Council
- Announcements
- Sarge
- Introduction: Don Harkey
- Program: University of Missouri Research by Dr. Robert Duncan
- "4 of Clubs" Drawing



## Four Way Test

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?

## WHAT'S NEXT

### Viewing of the Film "The Final Inch" is February 11

The board has made arrangements to view the film "The Final Inch" at our regular Thursday meeting on February 11, instead of a speaker. To make allowances for the length of the film, the meeting will start early and the business portion will be shorter.

## RECOGNIZING ROTARIANS

### 1/21 Raffle Winner

Steve Montgomery

### February Birthdays

Feb 4 Bob Hammerschmidt,  
Feb 4 Patrick Harrington  
Feb 5 Mike Williamson  
Feb 6 Ron Reynaud  
Feb 9 Pat Roberts  
Feb 15 Jim Quesenberry  
Feb 15 Brian Weimer  
Feb 18 Alan Rosen  
Feb 21 David Bosso  
Feb 22 Scott Marrs  
Feb 24 Jennifer Jackson  
Feb 25 Dwight Leigh  
Feb 28 David Hamm

## WORDS AND INSIGHT

### Assistance?

In the examination paper the Professor wanted us to sign a form stating that we had not received any outside assistance. Unsure of whether he should sign the form, a student stated that he had prayed for the assistance of God. The Professor carefully studied the answer script and then said, "You can sign it with a clear conscience. God did not assist you."

## Behind the Scenes

CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1

calendar for the remaining meetings in this Rotary year.

*Projects Committee, Chair-Daniel Wooten*

The committee has spent some of their grant money; including grants to Child Advocacy Center, Ozark Literacy Council and Watkins Elementary School. They are looking at projects involving literacy, health, hunger or water.

*Rotary Volunteers Committee, Chair -Tom Slaight*

The committee has been working on changes to their selection process of choosing a Volunteer of the Year from the current membership.

*Twin Club Committee, Chair-David Bixler*

David and his wife, Julie, will be visiting our Twin Club in Tlaquepaque Mexico during the first week in March to view the completion of our latest service project with our Twin Club.

*World Community Service Committee, Chair-Rick Waggoner*

Committee members are hard at work soliciting donations for the Raffle/ Auction in February.

*Youth Projects Committee, Chair-Julie Guillebeau*

The committee will soon select the local high school student to attend the summer Rotary Youth Leadership Academy.

## Contact Info

Rotary Club of Springfield  
Southeast, MO, organized June  
28, 1967  
Club No. 2388 - District 6080  
417-300-4937  
spfdserotary@sbcglobal.net



## ROTARY INFORMATION Recruitment of New Members

Someone thought enough of you to invite you to a Rotary meeting. If being a Rotarian has had a positive impact on your professional and personal then the best thing you can do for Rotary is to help grow our family.

Here's one of our "family trees" at Southeast:

Jerry Brierly asked Steve...

Steve Scott asked Marty...

Marty Ross asked Gary...

Gary Whitaker asked Jim...

Jim Conley asked...

Jim's proposing a new member right now!

## MEMBERSHIP

### Proposed New Member

Board Action: The board has approved the following membership proposal. Written objections should be received in the Rotary office in one week.

Michael Grillot

Orthopedic Hand Surgeon

Orthopedic Specialists of  
Springfield

Classification: Medical

Sponsor-Jim Conley

Advisor-Brad Bodenhausen