



Service Above Self

Rotary Club of Cheyenne eBulletin

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November Youth Exchange News

by Miller, Anne E.

The following was submitted by Morgan Krakow, Cheyenne East High School student in Brazil.

My year so far can be described in one word: amazing. I have only been in this beautiful country for three months and I have never felt so at home anywhere outside of Wyoming. It hasn't been the easiest thing I've ever done in my life but I have not regretted one second of it. I'm learning more about myself by interacting with an unfamiliar culture everyday. I have gained so much patience in the past few months, because as most of you know...Brazilians are notoriously laid back people. My goal on this exchange was to learn the language and maybe make a few friends. Now that I'm here I realize that this exchange is not about the language. It's about learning about and becoming one with a society that was so foreign only weeks ago. It's about taking chances and doing things you never would have in your home country. It's about living a life that you only get one short shot at, so you better make the best of it. My exchange is changing my life and I'm saddened by the thought that I will have to return home in seven months. Rotary has given me the best gift anyone could receive and I am extremely thankful.

Rotarian of the Week 11-16-11

by Adams, Ted J.

Our Rotarian of the Week grew up right here in Cheyenne Wyoming. His first paying job was working as a grocery sacker at the old Red Owl Food Store. At that time the store was located in the Wyoming Plaza Shopping Center. Our special Rotarian earned \$1.25 per hour sacking the neighborâ€™s groceries.

He attended Cheyenne East High School and was and still is a Proud Thunderbird. After high school he attended the University of Wyoming where he earned his Bachelor of Science Degree in Accounting.

Roger Schreiner has been married to his lovely wife Paula for thirty six years. They have one daughter, Stacie. She has given them two beautiful granddaughters; Olivia age four and Arianna age two.

Rogerâ€™s proudest accomplishment other than his wonderful family â€¦is â€¦having served for three years as Contestant Chairman for Cheyenne Frontier Days. One of those years â€¦ 1996 â€¦ was the 100th annual Cheyenne Frontier Days Celebration.

Roger was sponsored in to Rotary by Auburn Dowdy. He has served on the Group Study Exchange Committee, Teacher of the Month Committee, and Rotary Foundation Committee. Roger has served the Rotary Club of Cheyenne as Sargent at Arms- for three years; Secretary- Treasurer -for three years; President of the Club in 1991-92 and District Treasurer â€œ for years.

When asked about his most memorable experience â€¦. Roger says â€¦ â€œTwo trips

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to Saratov, Russia to work on projects with the Rotary Club of Saratov- Center and the Saratov Rotaract Club.

His most memorable Rotary experience is the many friendships he has made both here and in Russia.

Roger's favorite meal is from an old Volga German recipe; Cherry Dumplings boiled in sweet cream. When Roger has free time he enjoys being "Opa" which is German for "Grandpa" to his two granddaughters --- traveling, playing golf and reading.

In recognition of his service to our Club and our Cheyenne Community, The Sargent at Arms will present Roger Schreiner with a gift certificate from the Club.

Thank You Club Members

by Ashby, Brittany

A big thank you to everyone who has volunteered to deliver dictionaries to all of the third graders in the county. If you have not already had a chance to do so, please try to have the dictionaries delivered by December 1st

Election Committee Report

by Baggs, Fred T.

On Wednesday, October 27, 2011, twelve of the Past Presidents of this Club of which there are 23, serving as the nominating committee, made the following nominations:

For President, serving for one year commencing July 1, 2012, we nominate Ron Hammel.

For Vice-President, serving for one year commencing July 1, 2012, we nominate Lucie Osborn.

For Secretary for the same term we nominate Teresa Moore.

For Treasurer for the same term, we nominate Mike Geesey.

Every year, we replace 3 outgoing Directors who have served for 3 years, with 3 persons who, if elected, will serve for a period of 3 years.

To serve as Directors for a three year period commencing July 1, 2012, we nominate Don Day, Sabrina Lane and Derek Baker.

For your information, the 6 carry-over Directors are Randy Ford, Anne Miller, Chris Church, Lori Millin, Ann Nelson and Kim Withers.

The election will be held on Wednesday, December 7, 2011. If anyone so desires, nominations may be made from the floor.

Respectfully submitted by your Nominating Committee.

Fred Baggs, Chairman

Community Rotaract Membership Drive Needs Your Help

by Schwem, Mary

On December 6, 2011 at 6 p.m., Cheyenne Community Rotaract will be holding a Membership Drive. The event will be in the Casablanca Room (downstairs) of Suite 1901. All Rotarians are invited to come join in on the fun and are encouraged to bring a young adult who he/she thinks would be a good candidate for Rotaract. There will be informational speeches and appetizers to enjoy. To RSVP, please call Carly Rando at 307-630-9932 or email her at carly.rando@gmail.com as soon as possible

Read to Me Updates

by Markus, Jamie

Would you like to participate in the Read to Me program once a month? Jamie Markus is forming a new Read to Me reading group for a school in the eastern part of the city and is looking for at least three more readers. The school will be decided by the group members. Please let Jamie know if you are interested (jamiemarkus@hotmail.com)

New Member Committee Update

by Markus, Jamie

The Committee will be offering \$1,000 in grants to local non-profits. The application form is available on the website. Please send it to anyone you think could benefit from our support.

The Rotary Super Bowl Party will be held February 5th. Lee is chair of the fundraiser. It will be at John and Lori Millin's home, 308 Stetson Drive. Social time starting at 3:00pm and kick-off at 4:25pm. Lee will be doing the pool board and trivia games. Lori will provide the house, chili, brats and fixings. Committee members will be asked to bring appetizers. We will sell tickets for \$25 again. Lee will talk more about this fundraiser at our next meeting in December

The Red Badge Checklist is available on the website. In case you did not know, the monthly Board meeting is held on the 4th Wednesday of the month at 7am at the Holiday Inn (unless it's a holiday). The next board meeting is Oct. 26th. Breakfast is served. You can turn in your checklist to Lee, Lori, or Jamie

2012-13 Directory Photographs

by Wallace, Edward A

Mary Guthrie will be taking member photographs for the 2012-2013 Club Membership Directory the third meeting of each month.

All new members are encouraged to have your photograph taken as soon as possible following your introduction. Current members desiring to have a new photograph taken are encouraged to do so as soon as possible. If you have any questions please contact Ed Wallace, Derek Baker or Mary Guthrie.

Community Endowment Update

by Baker, Rosalyn

The Community Endowment Committee of the Cheyenne Rotary Clubs Foundation is working diligently to develop a strategy to grow our Permanent Endowment assets to \$1 million or more by 2018. When that goal is reached, \$50,000 will be available annually to support Laramie County charitable projects which meet Rotary's giving policies. For more information, contact Community Endowment Committee Chair Rosalyn Baker, 634-7781 or rosalyn.w.baker@rbc.com.

E-Mail Address for COG Stories

by Schwem, Mary

If you have a story or information for the COG, please e-mail it to cheyennerotary@gmail.com.