

# Gurnee Rotary Club

Thursdays at 7:15 a.m. In-Laws Restaurant, 7251 N. Milwaukee Ave., Gurnee IL 60031

## Coming up

- May 31 — Student Exchange program — Host family testimonies.
- June 9 — Highway Cleanup
- June 21 — Incoming Board Meeting
- June 30 — Installation Dinner
- July 20 Club Golf Outing at Shepherd's Crook
- Aug. 11-12 — Gurnee Days
- Aug. 19 — Summer Picnic

## Club Duties

### Today

**Greeter:** Klocek  
**Fines&Frolics:** Kline  
**Drawing:** Ferguson-Munns  
**Rotary Minute:** Welton

### June 7

**Greeter:** Kolar  
**Fines&Frolics:** Klocek  
**Drawing:** Frankel  
**Rotary Minute:** Winiarz

### June 14

**Greeter:** Leslie  
**Fines&Frolics:** Kolar  
**Drawing:** Griesheimer  
**Rotary Minute:** Bero

## Today's Meeting

### ***Student exchange experience: Nukke, families to tell us about it***

This week's special program will feature everything you always wanted to know about Gurnee Rotary's student exchange program and how you or a friend or neighbor could become involved in it.

The program will feature this year's student exchange host families sharing with us their experiences in taking an exchange student into their home. They'll give us the inside scoop on what it was like to host a foreign student.

Also, as part of the program, our exchange student Nukke Adriany will fill us in on all the great experiences she has had studying and living here in Gurnee.

## Club Song

### Refrain:

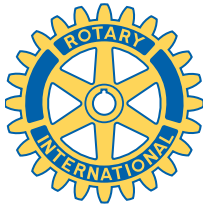
*Oh, I feel healthy, happy and terrific  
 Happy and terrific, that's the way I feel.  
 I feel healthy, happy and terrific,  
 Happy as a member of Rotary*

*Each morning I wake up I say a little  
 prayer*

*And give thanks for the way I feel.  
 I greet the day with love in my heart  
 With a pride I can't conceal!*

### Refrain:

*Oh, I feel healthy...*



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### President

Randy Simmons

### President-Elect

Marty Klauber

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### 2nd Vice President

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Bruce Rasey

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Tim Walsh  
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## DJ Leonhardt gives us tips on marketing

DJ Leonhardt presented us with a great program on marketing our club by using PR. She told us how marketing is a powerful tool that can be implemented each day individually and collectively for the benefit of Gurnee Rotary.

Public Relations, she said, is effectively communicating the sum total of our organization. Some personal PR efforts members can use every day include utilizing the Four-Way Test, show we belong to Rotary by wearing our pin, support all Rotary efforts, and distribute Rotary business cards. Media public relations can include inviting a newsmaker to the club and maintaining a Web site. Event PR includes creating visibility for our activities by adopting local projects and cosponsoring community events.

## Last week's meeting

**Guests:** Holly, Colton and Allen Hill, and Randy Schuerer, guests of **Noel Calhoun**; Jeff Johnson, guest of **Ken Rosko**; Brian Winter, guest of **Steve Carlson**; Brian Paquette, guest of **Dan Stolarick**; Bob Weisman and Stepan, guests of **Marty Klauber**; and John Zai, guest of **Sam Hallak**.

**Visiting Rotarians:** John Bucker and Richard Lee of the Waukegan Club.

**Announcements:** **Ben Martindale** introduced his special guest, eighth-grader Amanda Reed, who told us about a special project she is working on to raise money for scholarships for students of the University of Southern Mississippi, which was devastated by Hurricane Katrina. **John Leslie** announced that the club's Adopt-A-Highway Cleanup will be Saturday, June 9. Members are urged to participate. Meet at Denny's at 8 a.m. for breakfast before heading out to Hunt Club at 9. **Noel Calhoun** announced the grant recipients for 2007. They are: Boys and Girls Club, second installment of \$5,000 grant; \$1,000 each to Kids Hope United, PADS and COOL; \$500 each to Big Brothers Big Sisters, Camp Jorn YMCA; Habitat for Humanity; KatieBug Foundation; Lake County Haven; and Nicasa. **Marty Klauber** announced that we will also install new members to the club at the June 30 Installation Dinner. **Mary Kolar** said International Committee planning dinner will be June. 2.

**Bragging Buck\$:** **Marty Klauber** bragged on members who attended the Vision Dinner and helped develop a strategic plan through 2012 with the goal of 100 members raising \$100,000 for charity. **Michelle Lynch** bragged about her son's baseball team in first place and his first home run. **Jim Hessenthaler** bragged about new granddaughter Ava. **Ken Rosko** was named the outstanding planner of the year for Lake County. **Rich Capoccioni** paddled his way down the Des Plaines River in the Canoe Marathon.

**Rotary Minute:** **Noel Calhoun** told us about next week's program focusing on the youth exchange.

**Fine\$ and Frolic\$:** **Marty Klauber** gave us the lowdown on the incoming president.