

Gurnee Rotary Club

Thursdays at 7:15 a.m., Gurnee IL 60031

Coming up

- Feb 21 — We move to Yao-Yao's today!
- Feb. 21 — Club Assembly
- Feb. 21 — Board meeting
- Feb. 28 — Bill Delp of SE-DOL
- March 6 — Vocational Talks: Schmidt and Domeracki
- March 13 — Tom Lenz, Lake County United
- March 20 — Club Assembly

Club Duties

Today

Greeter: Randall

Fines&Frolics: Westfall

Drawing: Cieplicki

Rotary Minute: Hallak

Feb. 28

Greeter: Rasey

Fines&Frolics: Winiarz

Drawing: Cole

Rotary Minute: Harden

March 6

Greeter: Rosko

Fines&Frolics: Winter

Drawing: Crowley

Rotary Minute: Harrower

Today's Meeting

First meeting at Yao-Yao's to feature Club Assembly

When you head out to our club meeting Thursday morning, don't go to the In-Laws because we will begin meeting at C and J Buffet, the former Yao-Yao's Restaurant. It is at the corner of Delany Road and Route 41. You can enter the restaurant's parking lot easily via northbound Route 41 or southbound Delany Road. If you are coming south on 41, make a left onto Delany then take the first left to enter the parking lot. If you going north on Delany, cross Route 41 and then make the first left into the parking lot.

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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Joe Rosner tells us about safety issues

Joe Rosner, an instructor on personal safety, gave us advice on how to stay safe. He said when he teaches classes for children, things fall into place when they know they have a right to be safe. Bullies and predators try to make children feel guilty.

Joe advised that we get in the habit of looking around to see who is nearby whenever entering a new zone — leaving your car, going to a new place, etc. At the risk of profiling, men are by far the most likely attackers. Joe advised to listen to your intuitive alarm system and said you can train your subconscious to look for trouble. Always ask if you see someone: Who is he? Why is he here? If you can't guess, you need to be on high alert. Watch the person, and have a plan for what your are going to do. The best options are awareness and avoidance. the best thing to do is to run if there is trouble. But if that is not an option, Joe gave us several tactics to use to be safe.

Last week's meeting

Guests: Randy Weese, guest of Noel Calhoun; Jamie Sefton, guest of Jim Randall; and Stan Olson, guest of the club.

Announcements: John Hutton reminded members to sell their raffle tickets to support the youth exchange program. Rich Capoccioni reminded members Century 21 in Grayslake will host its annual Easter Egg Hunt at the Lake County Fairgrounds from 11:30 to noon on March 22. Steve Carlson said there will be a community forum for the county on April 1 from 6 to 8:30 p.m. at Warren-Newport Library. Marty Klauber reminded everyone that the board has approved a double match for members who make a contribution to the Paul Harris Foundation for first time contributors. Coupled with the District match, that means a member can become a Paul Harris Fellow for \$250. Four members have taken advantage of the offer. Budd Busceni said they RYLA applications are due in two weeks.

Rotary Minute: Ron Griesheimer told us of a number of Rotary firsts to coincide with the founding of Rotary.

School minute: John Hutton told about teacher in-service day and Chuck Crowley gave the good news that the high school won't have to go to a referendum for a year or two and of an upcoming college night for Middle Schoolers March 13.

Bragging Buck\$: Roland Frankel bragged on Marty for keeping the bank open late for him. Marsha Ross said Annika got all A's and Bs on her report card. Rhonda Harden bragged on Pam Harrower for helping her get the bills out. She also bragged on the police and fire departments' quick response to when a semi took down a bank canopy. Greg Garner bragged on his 9-year-old son who won a laptop. Al Siblik bragged on alma mater De La Salle High School ranked 10th in basketball. Sam Hallak said his youngest daughter finished her masters and will be student teaching at Lake Zurich High School. Ken Rosko said his wife is walking 33 days after her surgery.

Fine\$ & Frolic\$: Sam Hallak had some little known lessons from Noah's Ark.