

# Rock Island Rotary Weekly Review



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WVIK radio was the proud recipient of a Budget Priorities grant for their APRIS program.

#### **Club Notes & Announcements!**

- Welcome Guests! Kyle Vietti (prospective); Jen von Kaenel (Lambert); Peter Wessels (Trone); Duncan Cameron (Naples, FL); Avalon Thomas-Roebal (Ponsetto); Beth Payne (Ponsetto); Youth Exchange Daughter Camila Velasco Medina!
- Save the Date! The Illinois QC Rotary Clubs will be gathering at the Blue Cat Brew Pub on Sept. 17 at 5:30 p.m. to discuss utilizing future district grants and generate ideas for other interesting projects to plan for next year.
- New member proposed! The Rock Island Rotary Board of Directors approved the membership of Tammy Weikert who is the Rock Island County Circuit Clerk. If anyone has questions or concerns call Membership Chair Steve Morenz.
- **Joint Meeting with Kiwanis on Sept. 8.** The club will be together with the Rock Island Kiwanis Club on Tuesday, September 8 for the Rock Island-Milan State of the Schools Address. Please plan to arrive a little early as the meeting will begin promptly in order to fit in the program.

### September Calendar

o9/o1 – Dan McNeil, Exec. Director Spring Forward Learning Center o9/o7 – Labor Day Parade! o9/o8 – Mike Oberhaus, State of the Schools - joint meeting with Kiwanis o9/15 - Pamela Crouch Zayner, Living Proof Exhibit o9/17 – Blue Cat Brew Pub, 5:30 p.m. o9/22 – Ellis Kell of RME! o9/29 – Mike Miller, Exec. Dir. Riverbend Food Bank



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#### **Officers**

John Phillips, President Steve Morenz, 1st VP Bruce Peterson, 2nd VP Anne McGlynn, Secretary Carrie Crossen, Treasurer Mike Locander, Past President

#### Board Members

Angela Campbell Sue Cassatt John Daly Lawrence Davis Jeff Eder Mark Mayeski Carrie O'Neill Billy Puckett

Co-Sergeant At Arms Vic Boblett & Bob Swanson

## Program Chairs 2015-16

Aug – Sept: Monta Ponsetto Oct – Nov: Chris Lemon Dec.- Jan: John Wetzel Feb – March: Bob Swanson April – May: Kevin Koski June – July: Diane Koster

### Don't Miss the Fun at Trivia Night November 20!



#### **TURKEY TRIVIA NIGHT**

#### Friday, November 20<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm

SAVE the DATE and get your team together for Rock Island Rotary's annual fundraiser! Cash prizes, cash bar, 50/50, silent auction and TONS of FUN with MR. TRIVIA!!!

This fundraiser allows Rotary to support local youth programs such as:
Rotary Youth Leadership Awards, Interact, Rotaract, Earlyact, Youth
Exchange, Spring Forward Learning Center, Martin Luther King Center,
and MANY other local programs.

When: Friday, November 20<sup>th</sup>

Where: Milan Community Center, 2701 1st Street East, Milan

Time: 6:30pm START time, doors open at 5:45pm

Cost: \$100 a table (up to 10 players at a table)

RSVP: Kathy Trone 309-794-9400 or Kathy@wesselspc.com

The Rock Island Rotary Club is challenging all other Rotary Clubs in the QC Area to participate and TRY to win the "Traveling Trophy" for the SMARTEST ROTARY CLUB!