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ROTARY CLUB OF HUDSON, WISCONSIN

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VISITORS LAST WEEK

Our Former Rotary Exchange Student & Host Family

Francesca Spinelli
Dagmar & Gary Milewski

Special Guest

Jana Gaffer

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

July 21 – Marty Foote, KLBB radio
July 21 – Baseball Park Travels, by
Doug Stohberg
August 4 – *Open*
August 11- Senator Herb Kohl

UPCOMING BIRTHDAYS

July 21 – Sonya Jansma
Sharing a birthday with Sonya:
C.C. Sabathia (30), Josh Hartnett (33),
Brandi Chastain (43), Robin Williams
(60), Gary Trudeau (63), Janet Reno
(73)

This year's theme & logo



Back in the US

Francesca Spinelli is back in the United States for a month, with several weeks here in Hudson followed by a week in New York, where she'll be joined by her family (mother Birgit and brother Mickey).

As our program last week, Francesca talked about a wide range of German topics, including:

- Dirk Nowitzki, Angela Merkel
- College plans, including the German admissions process, and the free tuition policy
- Rotary Meckenheim update, on both her youth group, and her mother's club
- The Green Party, and recent changes in policy toward nuclear power
- schooling, including the switch from 13 to 12 years for high school, study of foreign languages, and study of World War II.



Rotary Family Reunion

Francesca gets back together with host parents from all three host families from her 2008-2009 stay: Joel Skinner, Jeff Zais, Dagmar & Gary Milewski

Bark Benefit - Baldwin

Sonya provided us info at the last meeting about a benefit for Gabbie Bark, to help her family with expenses related to her diagnosis of SMA (spinal muscular atrophy). July 24 (Sunday) in Baldwin, 11:30 AM – 7 PM. See www.gabbiebark.org for more info.

Golf Request

Rotarians,
The popular Wheelbarrow of Wine will be one of the raffle items at the August 1st Rotary Golf Benefit. Please bring a bottle of wine to a club meeting in July or ask Verna to bill your account for wine to be purchased.

Thanks. Erik Bergmanis, Golf Committee

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THE 4-WAY TEST (first adopted by Rotary in January 1943): Of the things we think, say or do, 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?

Meetings: Every Thursday (except holidays) at 12:00PM Central Time (Noon) @ Hudson Golf Club on Carmichael Road, Hudson, Wisconsin
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Our Mission Hudson Rotary is a fellowship of engaged members, generous in spirit, committed to improving the world around us.

Our Vision We are a growing and diverse club of active and involved members. Our meetings offer fun, fellowship, and programs that are informative and inspirational. The ideals of the four-way test are encouraged by open communication among the board of directors, club members and the community. Our leadership structure fosters continuity of club goals. We are dedicated to helping people and non-profit organizations through focused local and international projects. Our club mentors local youth. We support international exchange students and programs. All members are encouraged to contribute to the Rotary Foundation and become Paul Harris Fellows. Above all, our members live Rotary's motto—Service Above Self.