



# NOON FORMATION<sup>SM</sup>

Newsletter of the Rotary Club of Hudson, Wisconsin

ROTARY CLUB OF HUDSON, WISCONSIN

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### VISITORS LAST WEEK

#### *SOS for Youth*

Sue Oberg  
Annis Lesmeister  
Victoria Jones  
Paul Haskins  
Jeremy Hatfield  
Michael Brafford

#### *Hudson Daybreak*

Dick Whitcomb

#### *Special Guest*

Jim Wookey

### UPCOMING PROGRAMS

July 7 – Chris Libby, St Croix County Fair

July 14 – visit by Francesca Spinelli

July 21 – Marty Foote, KLBB radio

### UPCOMING BIRTHDAYS

8 July – Tim Jubie

13 July – Rick Holloway, Randy  
Morrisette

*This year's theme & logo*



### **SOS Players**

The SOS for Youth performing troupe called SOS Players gave Noon Rotarians two performances.

Our own Rick Holloway is Chairman of the SOS Board of Directors. The first skit was about "cyber-bullying" where kids use various electronic means -- e-mail, texting, Facebook, etc. -- to demean other youths. In this case, while it seemed like a fun game to those participating, it led to the suicide of the person being bullied.

The second skit involved drunken driving. The story was told from the perspectives of the people who were attached to the victim of a fatal accident and of the drunken driver who caused it.

Both skits were, needless to say, emotionally charged. From the SOS website: "SOS performs in churches, schools, at conferences and conventions – any place in the Midwest where youth and families gather – sharing information and perspectives on serious topics and social issues that are culturally relevant." For more information, go to [www.sosplayers.org](http://www.sosplayers.org).



### **Passing the Gavel**

Dan Martens starts in the role of club President, while Steve Dzubay receives a commemorative plaque, noting his just-concluded year of service as President.



Dan Martens introduces Chuck, Eric, Kari, Zach, Sarah, Joel, and John – some members serving on our board in the upcoming Rotary year.

### **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

*Thanks to Eric for helping with this edition of the newsletter*

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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.