

# ROCHELLE ROTARY RAILBIRD

Rochelle Rotary Club #3090 ♦Chartered 1-27-41 ♦District #6420



## This Week's Program

This week's program will be presented  
by **Reg Folmar**

Greeters This Week: **J. Black & G. Bloomingdale**

## Rotary's 4-Way Test

1. Is it the **TRUTH**?
2. Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
3. Will it build **GOODWILL & BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?
4. Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

## January 15, 2008 Rochelle Rotary Meeting

**Reg Folmar will present an informational program on  
HOME RULE  
which will be a referendum on the February 5th ballot.**

Sam Graber reported on the NFL Fund Raiser. He handed out sheets showing the teams still left and the 3 levels Rotarians chose. He also thanked those businesses who contributed to the fund raiser. The teams left in the playoffs are the Green Bay Packers, New York Giants, New England Patriots and San Diego Chargers.

Dave Eckhardt reported on the "From The Heart" Rotary Fundraiser, saying that everything is going well with the event. He brought pictures of items such as a watch and jewelry. The watch is a first-of-its-kind Lois Hill watch! There are a lot of silent auction items!

Last Week's Program:

## **Dr. Dwight Mayberry - Superintendent of Eswood School Dist. #269**

Natalie Vogeler presented Dr. Dwight Mayberry, Superintendent of the Eswood School District, saying that she is extremely happy that her children attend his school district. Dr. Mayberry talked about the advantages of children attending a smaller school district. He also stated that the Eswood School District was number one in the State of Illinois in regards to the ISAP tests. He included that they stress helping the environment. He added that, with the help of Ann Rice, the school district has secured various grants through WalMart and the State of Illinois. He also stated that the school district wrote a grant through the IRS for an interest free loan for 2.25 million dollars, which was granted.

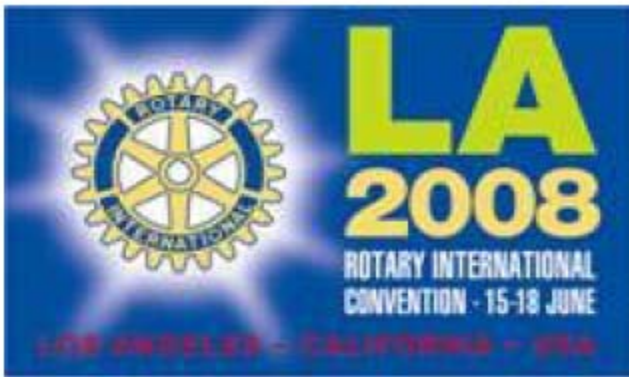


## Upcoming Events

February 1, 2008 - "From The Heart" Fundraiser

## The District Corner

**SIGN UP NOW !!!**



Join the Stars at the 2008 Los Angeles Rotary International Convention!

2008 Convention Promotion Committee

*December message from the Chair Lynmar Brock, Jr.*

### Star of the entertainment world

Natalie Cole, eight-time Grammy Award winner, will perform at the Convention on Saturday evening at the new Nokia Theatre L.A. Live as part of the "California Experience." She is the daughter of the legendary Nat 'King' Cole and a major entertainer in her own right.

[http://www.rotary.org/en/Members/Events/Announcements/Pages/071128\\_announce\\_NatalieCole.aspx](http://www.rotary.org/en/Members/Events/Announcements/Pages/071128_announce_NatalieCole.aspx)

Stephen Lewis, former special envoy to United Nations Secretary-General Kofi Annan for HIV/AIDS in Africa from 2001 to 2006, is currently the co-director of AIDS-Free World Foundation, a new international AIDS advocacy organization. As keynote speaker on Wednesday, June 18, he will share with Rotarians at the convention both the scourge and then hope for a world released from the trauma of AIDS.

[Article coming soon to the RI Web.]

[http://www.stephenlewisfoundation.org/about\\_who.htm](http://www.stephenlewisfoundation.org/about_who.htm)

**April 25-27**

**Is this date on your calendar?**

**District Conference in Ottawa !!!**



Abraham Lincoln and Steven Douglas are here and waiting to greet you. Now is the time to plan your "CLUB SUCCESS" display for the Friendship Hall. This is where all Rotarians can share their ideas and projects. Each club will be given ½ of a banquet table top (about 3 feet) to **SHARE** your 2007-2008 Rotary project.

In addition to the club displays, the **SILENT AUCTION** for **THE ROTARY FOUNDATION** will be with us again. Each club is being asked to bring an item with an approximate value of \$50 for this auction. You are also asked to bring your checkbook so that you can bid on these items.

### Are you in need of a club program?

Did you ever wonder what a college student goes through as an Ambassadorial Scholar?

What is it like to adapt to a new culture? 2006-2007 Scholar Student Korah Winn spent the year in Northern Ireland and is willing to answer your questions during her program at your club meeting.



As most student quickly learn, after college it is time to seek employment and start paying off those bills. It is no different with our returning Ambassadorial Scholars.

If you would like a program, please contact Korah at [www.dovewithin.com](http://www.dovewithin.com). You may have to wait until she finds a free day in her work schedule, but you will find out that the wait was worth it.

If you know someone who would like to attend new member orientation contact Bob Johns at 562-2181 x2690.

**Upcoming Assignments**

Date	Program	Greeters
1/22	D. Anderson	G.Bloomingtondale &M. Brooks
1/29	Geri Henkel	M. Brooks & W. Brooks
2/5	Joni Spartz	W. Brooks & G. Brown
2/12	Kathy Cooper	G. Brown & S. Bryant
2/19	Fred Horner	S. Bryant & R. Buck
2/26	R. Ohlinger	R. Buck & R. Bunger
3/4	John Shank	R. Bunger & P. Burch

**Rotary Website Addresses**

Home Site: [www.rotary.rochelle.net](http://www.rotary.rochelle.net)  
 International Site: [www.rotary.org](http://www.rotary.org)  
 District Site: [www.rotary6420.org](http://www.rotary6420.org)

**Dietary Requests: Anyone who has special dietary needs related to health or religious reasons is encouraged to let club officials know in advance so special meals can be made available at the meetings.**

**2007 - 2008 Officers**

- ♦Chuck Watkins - President ♦Bobbi Burke - President Elect
- ♦John Prabhaker- Vice President ♦Ray Schwartz - Sec./Treas.

**2007 - 2008 Directors**

- ♦Mick Gronewold ♦Joni Spartz



**Club Members**

Jeana Abbott	Chamber of Commerce	Toni Koury-Daneman	Banking - Travel Coordinator
Ken Alberts +	Public Utilities	Gary Larsen	Municipal Utilities
Terese Almquist	Newspaper Publishing	Steve Liezert	Park Management
Dr. Denis Anderson +	Dentist - Family Practice	Dr. David Louis	Community College Administration
Jason Anderson	Economic Development	Dan Lundquist	Food Warehousing
Mike Arraguin	Cabinetry-Retail	Dr. Eric Malaker	Veterinarian
Russ Barber	Printer	James May +	Real Estate - Residential
Gilbert Barkai +	Farm Management	Phillip May Jr. +	Real Estate - Land Development
Jim Beardin	Foundation Coordination	Vince McCabe	Energy Production
John Bearrows +	Auctioneer	Jim Mear	Printing
Jim Black +	Grain Management	Brent Ohlinger +	Banking - Commerce Loans
Glenda Bloomingdale	Hotel Management	Richard Ohlinger +	Banking - Full Service
Michael Brooks +	Banking - Retail Investment	William Parsons +	Natural Gas Distribution
Wallace Brooks +	Education - Counseling	Eugene Peck +	Concrete Productions Manufacturing
Greg Brown	Printing	Susan Plumley	Township Government
Steve Bryant	Property Management	Dr. John Prabhaker +	Vascular Surgeon
Rob Buck	Law Enforcement	Thomas Price	Insurance - Health
Roger Bunger	Financial Consulting	Todd Prusator	Administrator - Elementary
Patricia Burch + #	Trucking	Greg Query	Insurance
Dr. Roberta Burke	Chiropractor	Ann Rice	Education - Development
Leonard Carmichael + #	Grain Production & Handling	W. Ed Rice +	Life Insurance
Noah Carmichael	Civil Engineering	John Ross	Health Care Finance
Robert Chadwick +	Trial Attorney	Jane Ruppenthal	Title Underwriter
Merle Cluts +	Mortician	Dr. Timothy Salinas	Chiropractor
Kathy Cooper	Water Reclamation	Ray Schwartz +	Municipal Utilities
Jaime Craven	Secondary Ed - Admin	John Shank	Newspaper Editor
David Diamond	Construction - General	Tom Simmons +	Consulting Engineer
Dan DiGvonna	Restaurant - Management	Brian Siwicki	Cabinetry - Retail
Steve Dow	Clergy	Joni Spartz	Newspaper Financial Services
Dave Eckhardt	Banking - Admin	Deanie Springmire +	Education - Secondary
Stan Elson	Hardware - Retail	Bob Sullivan	Intermodal Operations
Jane Engel + #	Honorary	Marianne Swanson	Education - Counselor
Richard Fluck +	Past Service	Jean Tess +	Past Service
Reg Folmar	Investments	Dr. Surjit Thiera	Physician - Family
Ross Freier +	Tourism	Theodore Tilton	Banking - Trust
Sam Graber +	Insurance	James Tolan +	Banking
Garland Grace +	Agricultural Services	Bill Tyler	Investments - Securities
Rick Greenwald	Broadcasting	Dan Vinyard	Banking
Mick Gronewold	Engineering	Natalie Vogeler	Real Estate Sales
Phil Hasz +	Insurance - Life	David Waltrip +	Past Service
Karen Hayden	Real Estate	Chuck Watkins	Insurance - Commercial
Bill Hayes +	Pharmacist	Christine Watson	Facility Management
Geri Henkel	Banking - Loans	William Wilkinson II	Community College Finance
Fred Horner	Monument Sales	Bryan Wills	Chiropractic Services
Rev. James Horvath +	Religion	Bob Withrow	City Adminstrative Services
Bob Johns	Human Resources Management		
Steve Johnson			
Cindy Knight	Human Resources		

+Paul Harris Fellow #Benefactor

**Have you invited someone to the club lately?**

# Rochelle Rotary Committees

## Membership:

Chair - Bob Johns  
Co-Chair - Geri Henkel

## **Classifications**

Bob Johns & Ray Schwartz

## **Membership**

Erik Malaker  
Mick Gronewold

## **Membership Development**

Jean Abbott  
Bill Tyler  
Bob Withrow  
Jim Mear

## **Rotary Information**

Phil Hasz  
Jason Anderson  
Jim Tolan  
Leonard Carmichael  
Ken Alberts  
Richard Ohlinger  
Fred Horner  
Surjit Thiara  
Greg Brown

## Service Projects:

Chair - Steve Bryant

## **Community Development**

Mick Gronewold

## **Community Service**

Ann Rice  
Jim May

## **Environmental Protection**

Steve Dow  
Tom Simmons  
Jean Tess

Bill Wilkinson  
Bob Sullivan  
Bryan Wills

## **Human Development**

Denis Anderson  
Jim May

## **International Service**

John Prabhakar

## **Partners In Service**

Pat Burch  
Toni Koury

## **Rotary Volunteers**

Ed Rice

## **Vocational Service**

Stan Elson

## **Worldwide Community Service**

Deanie Springmire

## **Youth**

Dave Diamond  
Marianne Swanson

## **Literacy**

Todd Prusator

## Rotary Foundation:

Chair - Susan Plumley  
Co-Chair - Mic Brooks

## **Rotary Foundation**

Richard Fluck  
Ray Schwartz  
Dave Waltrip  
Sam Graber

Pat Burch

## **Annual Giving**

Noah Carmichael  
Ray Schwartz

## **Grants**

Ann Rice

## **Group Study Exchange**

Pat Burch  
Bobbi Burke  
Marianne Swanson

## **Permanent Fund**

Dan Vinyard

## **Polio Plus**

Jim May  
Dave Louis

## **Scholarships**

Jean Tess  
Jane Engel  
Garland Grace  
Kathy Cooper

## **Fund Raisers**

Sam Graber - NFL

## **Duck Derby**

Bobbi Burke  
Greg Brown  
Jim Mear  
John Shank  
Rick Greenwald

## **Steak Fry**

Joni Spartz  
Cindy Knight

**Club Administration:**

Chair - Brent Ohlinger

Co-Chair - Steve Bryant

**Attendance**

Ray Schwartz

Tom Simmons

**Club Bulletin**

Ross Freier

Russ Barber

**Club Service**

Jim May

Chris Watson

**Fellowship Activities**

Chris Watson

Tim Salinas

Amy Regan

Dan DiGvonna

**Magazine**

John Prabhakar

**Program**

Phil Hasz

Dave Waltrip

Jean Tess

Brent Ohlinger

Steve Bryant

**Public Relations:**

Chair - Michael Arreguin

**Public Relations**

Reg Folmar

Vince McCabe

John Shank

Rick Greenwald

Terese Almquist

James Horvath

Michael Arreguin

Tom Price

John Bearrows

Jim Black

Robert Chadwick

Ross Freier