

P.O. BOX 130, Park Ridge, Illinois 60068 – District 6440



Save These Dates

April 16 & 18 Job Shadowing

April 17th Golden Gloves

Golden Gloves Boxing Finals.

Right in our own backyard at The Historic St. Anthony's Gym.

Questions: Call Rick Pucci

April 22nd Earth Day

Joining the Park Ridge Chamber of Commerce and the Park Ridge Recreational and Park District in Recycling Day. Household items and business equipment- computers, cello phones, televisions, etc. To be held in the Parking Lot of the Senior Center (7am-7pm). Rotary Club of Park Ridge would be assisting in this community project. More information will be distributed later.

April 24-27 District Conference

Westing Hotel in Itasca
Friday meeting adjourned and reconvened for Paul Harris luncheon.

May 14th Labyrinth Walk at Rotary Park

May 17th Youth Exchange Golf Event

Hosted by our club this event will be held at the Golf Center from 11am-11:30am. This is a May joint meeting. **THIS WILL BE OUR JOINT MEETING IN MAY**

Programs and Special Events

MEETING LOCATION: The Summit of Uptown, 10 N. Summit, Park Ridge

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| 4/2 | AM | Pastor JohnAlan Boryk, Guatemala Trip |
| 4/5 | Noon | Pastor JohnAlan Boryk, Guatemala Trip |
| 4/9 | AM | Maine South High School Choir |
| 4/11 | Noon* | |
| 4/16 | AM | Dr. Pat Duggan, Chairperson, Maine South H.S.
Applied Arts & Technology and
Mrs. Wachowski, Chairperson Maine East H.S.
Applied Arts & Technology |
| 4/18 | Noon* | |
| 4/23 | AM | Mrs. Margaret Polovchek, Executive Director Maine
Community Youth Assistance Foundation |
| 4/25 | Noon | Meeting at District Conference |
| 4/30 | AM | |
| 5/02 | Noon* | |

If anyone has a makeup, please send the information (where, date, what, if necessary) to Claudia at cbvignola@comcast.net. Paperwork is not necessary.

* The information for the Noon speakers for 4/11, 18, and 5/2 will be communicated via emails to the club members in coming weeks.

Please submit your list of speakers to both Charlotte Ogorek (charlotte@OgorekAssociates.com) and Marta Hoover (Marta@pennyville.net) by the Third Monday of every month.

Club Website: www.parkridgerotary.com
District 6440 website: http://www.clubrunner.ca/dprg/DxHome/_home.aspx?did=6440

To contact the editor call Marta at 847-768-2679



Happy Birthday Rotarians

APRIL

4/1 Charlotte Ogorek
4/15 Birgitta McGuire

MAY

5/1 Vic Carter
5/12 Don Ely
5/20 Bob Mau
5/27 Sandy Artisuk Lynch
5/29 Ed McCabe

JUNE

6/4 Jeff Krupp
6/4 Marcia Opal
6/7 Rosemary Sajovic
6/19 Bill Parker
6/21 Rick Libner
6/23 Bob Gottschalk
6/24 Dan Hogan
6/27 John McNabola
6/27 Nadya Zimmerman
6/29 Pat Ahern

Born in Racine Wisconsin, USA on the 19 April 1868, Paul was the second of six children to George N. Harris and Cornelia Bryan Harris. At age 3 he moved to Wallingford, Vermont where he grew up in the care of his paternal grandparents. Married to Jean Thompson Harris (1881 - 1963), they had no children.

He received an L.L.B. from the University of Iowa and received an honorary L.L.D. from the University of Vermont.



Avenues of Service

MARCH - Rotary Service

WEDNESDAY MEETINGS Wednesday

Invocation/Fun & Frolic

APRIL	2	Sally Pryor
APRIL	9	Anna Rybak
APRIL	16	Russell Zage
APRIL	23	Nadya Zimmerman
APRIL	30	Pat Ahern

FRIDAY NOON MEETINGS

		Invocation/4 Way	Greeter	Fun & Frolic
APRIL	4	Dan Hogan	Jeff Krupp	Rick Libner
APRIL	11	Juliana Maller	I.D. Maramba	Doug Myers
APRIL	18	Larry Narum	Marcia Opal	Rick Pucci
APRIL	25	MEETING AT DISTRICT CONFERENCE		
MAY	2	Mike Ryan	Rosemary Sajovic	Jim Schaefer

If unable to complete club assignment, please arrange your replacement.

Speaker Duty Responsibilities:

- April AM: Dr. Rose Garlasco
- April Noon: Doug Myers
- May Noon: Jeff Krupp
- June Noon: Rosemary Sajovic



Flag Exchange from Park Ridge to Manila across Lake Michigan to the Western Pacific

March 27, 2008



Rotary Clubs of Park Ridge, IL, USA (D6440) and Manila, Philippines (D3810).

Pictured: I.D. Maramba and Manila Rotary Club President Bienvenido "Benny" Laguesma exchanging clubs respective flags.

Rotary Youth Leadership Awards (RYLA)

Anna Rybak

We proudly announce the students chosen to participate in this year RYLA event. They are:

Ms. Kristen Kruk
10th Grade Maine South
April 10-13 Session

Ms. Rachel Oberneide
10th Grade Maine South
March 13-16 Session

Ms. Kristen Zillner
10th Grade Maine South
March 13-13 Session

District Conference April 24-27*

Charlotte Ogorek, President 2007-2008

I want to remind everyone of our District Conference scheduled for 4/24 - 4/27/08 at the Westin Hotel in Itasca.

Please remember that we have adjourned the noon meeting, April 25th, at the Summit and reconvened that same meeting at the Paul Harris medallions. Registration available on line through the District 6440 website.

It would be wonderful to have a large representation from our Club at this year's luncheon. The Westin is a relatively easy drive from here, about 30 minutes, either taking 90 to 53 South and exiting on Thorndale going East, or Touhy Avenue to Elmhurst Road to Thorndale and then West on Thorndale.

I look forward to being with all of you at the Paul Harris Luncheon.

* Cost \$45

Membership

Don Brewer
District 6440 Membership Chair

When talking to a prospective new member do they ask the question: Why did you join Rotary? And you may have answered back with: To give back to my community.

That answer can be the lead off point in getting new members. When talking to them, ask them what their interests are and I bet your club has done a service project that will fit their interest. This is vital in gaining and keeping members. By finding value in a project, they will feel valued as a member. Find out more in the attached Zone Membership Newsletter.

Bonus Information: People, who give, live longer. Find out why.

World Capitals Quiz

1. More than 90 percent of _____, the capital of Poland was destroyed in World War II but the city's historic Old Town section was painstakingly restored.
 - a. Warsaw
 - b. Todz
 - c. Krakow
 - d. Gdansk
2. A former logging center, _____ was chosen as the capital of Canada partly because it was considered safe from an American attack.
 - a. Montreal
 - b. Toronto
 - c. Ottawa
 - d. Vancouver
3. Brazil's capital, _____, began as a planned city, located in a formerly uninhabited area of the country.
 - a. Rio de Janeiro
 - b. Salvador
 - c. Sao Paulo
 - d. Brasilia
4. An American architect designed the urban plan for _____, the capital of Australia.
 - a. Melbourne
 - b. Canberra
 - c. Sydney
 - d. Adelaide
5. Among the many notable sights of _____, the capital of Switzerland, are the bear pits, which house live bears for public viewing.
 - a. Zurich
 - b. Geneva
 - c. Basel
 - d. Bern
6. With its rapid economic expansion and increased job opportunities, the population of India's bustling capital, _____, has increased by 50 percent in the past decade.
 - a. Mumbai (formerly Bombay)
 - b. Hyderabad
 - c. Kolkata (formerly Calcutta)
 - d. New Delhi
7. Pakistan's capital city, _____, boasts a rich assortment of classical Islamic and contemporary architectural styles.
 - a. Islamabad
 - b. Karachi
 - c. 'Peshawar
 - d. Lahore
8. Colombia's cultural center as well as its political capital, _____ is sometimes called the Athens of South America.
 - a. Medellin
 - b. Cali
 - c. Bogota
 - d. Barranquilla
9. The Capital Indonesia, _____, is a sprawling mix of modern high-rise office buildings and temporary single-story structures.
 - a. Surabaya
 - b. Jakarta
 - c. Palembang
 - d. Bandung
10. _____, the capital of Tanzania was founded in the 1860's as a summer beach retreat for the sultan of Zanzibar.
 - a. Dar es Salaam
 - b. Mwanza
 - c. Tanga
 - d. Arusha

1-0/2-c/3-d/4-b/5-d
6-d/7-a/8-c/9-b/10-a



Park Ridge Rotary Club 2007-2008

President: Charlotte Ogorek

Secretary: Claudia Vignola

Treasurer: Diane Forsythe

Noon Sergeant-at-Arms: Bob Mau, Don Ely

AM Sergeant-at-Arms: Dan Davidson

Club Service: I.D. Maramba (President-Elect)

Vocational Chair: JohnAlan Boryk

Community Service Chair: Anna Rybak

Board Members:

John Davis, Marta Hoover, Juliana Maller, John McNabola, Rick Pucci,

John Warnimont

World Community Service: Roger Crawford

International Chair: Vic Carter

By-Laws Expert: Ed Coyne

Citrus Chair: John Warnimont

Family Events: Sandy Artisuk-Lynch

Fellowship: Rick Pucci

Foundation Giving: Ed McCabe

Membership: Steve Schermerhorn

Publicity: John Nesbitt

Information for Press Releases: John McNabola

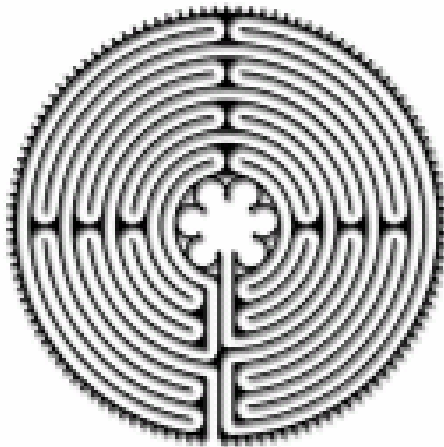
Youth Exchange: John Davis

Career Night & Job Shadowing: Nadya Zimmerman

Park Ridge Rotary Foundation Secretary:

Rick Libner

**Labyrinth Walk May 14th
see next page for details**



A Labyrinth Walk

A Purpose of Renewal

Seasons change and still they remain strong and vibrant showing up each year on time, sometimes with a little difference in their approach, duration or the exact date of arrival. The seasons remind us of the evolution of change and how in the end everything comes back very relevantly to the beginning becoming a circle of completion as each year encircles the ages of our life. As we are born into yet another

circle of the spring season, we are reminded of new growth and renewal of purpose. Asking questions is a wonderful way of waking up to our choices and asking the question of what will this year hold for us individually and collectively regarding the purpose of our renewal.

Change will happen, though growth is a choice. What will our purpose be in the choice that honors the renewal of spring and the renewal of our commitments to this life as an individual, a family member, a community member, a Rotarian and a member of the world?

Join in this walk of renewal in celebration of the Mother Earth and all that we are fortunate to experience as a result of renewed thought and renewable actions. Walk remembering the community we embrace together and walk with the honor of our contributions. Enjoy this gift of personal renewal together

Lynda Tourloukis, a Professional Coach and Labyrinth Facilitator has agreed to design a walk of renewal for Rotarians to benefit from. It begins with ritual and attention to the concept followed by a question or thought. A few guidance suggestions are offered and the Walk begins where each party will have opportunity to join in the circle and walk the paths of the labyrinth. What will occur on the labyrinth can be different for every individual and when everyone has had the opportunity a concluding ritual will bring this walk of leaders on the path that reflects the direction that will best serve them.

Wednesday May 14
7am

Rotary Park

Renewing ourselves to continue to share renewal with others

