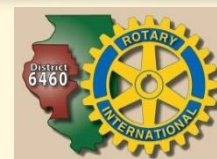




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Rotary District 6460 – Be a Gift to the World

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Important Dates

January 30, 2016

Presidents-Elect Training Seminar (PETS) Orientation (Previously Pre-PETS) Scheels Springfield, IL

February 20, 2016

District Team Training Seminar Scheels Springfield, IL

February 27, 2016

Rotary Leadership Institute (RLI) Peoria, IL

March 4-6, 2016

Presidents-Elect Training Seminar (PETS) Chicago Northwest Westin Hotel Itasca, IL

April 16, 2016

District Assembly Illinois College Jacksonville, IL

A Note From District Governor Steve Hopper



I hope that each of you has enjoyed a healthy and happy holiday season. Seeing photographs of the many service projects conducted by our District Rotary Clubs in December has been inspiring. Whether you rang a bell for the Salvation Army, distributed food to needy residents of your area, or sold citrus products in order to fund your Club's projects, District 6460 Rotarians continue to improve the quality of life in their communities and the world.

In a spirit of giving, I am pleased to report that we have submitted a Global Grant proposal for the purchase of a new bus for the transportation of children with physical and mental disabilities to and from school in Skopje, Macedonia. Unless there is a significant change in our monetary exchange rates, this dream, requested by our Macedonian GSE Team will become a reality. Thanks to each of the Clubs and District Rotarians who contributed to this wonderful project. Please take time to look over the Global Grant Update provided by DRFC Mark Roberts for more details and also noting a contribution to a life-saving kidney transplant in Mexico in conjunction with the Heart 2 Heart program.

We have now completed the first half of the Rotary year. This would be an appropriate time to reflect on the achievements that your Club has made toward "becoming a gift to the world," and setting your course of action for the next six months. RI President Ravi Ravindran has established criteria for your Club to receive the Presidential Citation. You can select various items to complete, and then monitor your progress on www.rotary.org in the Rotary Central section.

Effective July 1, 2015, the RI Board of Directors has designated monthly themes which will highlight our Areas of Focus. January is designated as Vocational Service month. Hopefully, you will plan some special activities that will focus attention on this important area.

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Rotary International is now placing a stronger emphasis on our Rotary “Alumni.” Please join me in congratulating Jane Breen of the Jacksonville Rotary Club who has agreed to serve as our District 6460 Alumni Chair. Her key role will be to “manage relationships with program alumni and assist clubs with alumni relations.”

Over time, some additional functions of the Alumni Chair will include:

- Working with other district committees to identify alumni and their skills and connect these individuals to clubs and district activities.
- Creating awareness of how to work with alumni to maintain their relationship with Rotary.
- Encouraging alumni to report their data to RI and work with fellow district chairs to ensure program participants are properly reported to RI.
- Supporting and coordinating alumni events and associations.

Finally, January starts a process of training the District leadership and Club leadership to be prepared to assume their new roles July 1st. One of our responsibilities as existing leaders is to do all we can to provide for a smooth transition of leadership in July. If you’re an incoming officer or District leader, I encourage you to take every opportunity to attend training sessions that are offered to you. In the meantime, I continue to be grateful to serve as your District Governor for the remaining six months of my term.

Happy New Year and let’s continue to strive to “be a gift to the world!”

JOIN LEADERS ● **EXCHANGE**  **IDEAS** ● **TAKE ACTION**

Presidents Elect Training Seminar (PETS) Orientation and Presidents Mid-Year Summit Scheduled for January 30th in Springfield

Another training season is upon us. PETS Orientation, hosted by District Governor Elect Tony Williams and the Presidents' Summit, hosted by District Governor Steve Hopper will be held concurrently at Scheel's in Springfield on Saturday, January 30, 2016 from 8:30AM to 2:30PM. Please refer to the District Website (<http://www.rotarydistrict6460.org>) for a link to register (Presidents Elect, Presidents, Assistant Governors, and Past District Governors). Registration is **NOW OPEN!**



**Membership and Foundation Reports
November/December 2015 (Rotary Year 2015-16)
District 6460**

Rotary International Report Data as of January 2, 2016

| Rotary Club of: | Attendance | | | Membership | | | Foundation | | | |
|------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|------|---------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|---------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|
| | November Meetings 33/50 Reporting (DacDb Data – 12/29/2015) | | | Report through December 2015 (YTD) (RI Data – 1/1/2016) | | | Report through December 2015 (YTD) (TRF Data – 1/4/2016) | | | |
| | # | % | Rank | 7/1/2015 | 12/31/2015 | Gain/ Loss | Giving Goal | Annual Fund Sent | Other Giving Sent | Endowment Sent |
| Abingdon | 2 | 80.76 | 3 | 15 | 13 | -2 | \$0 | \$1,100 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Aledo | 4 | 100 | 1 | 4 | 4 | 0 | \$0 | \$100 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Alton-Godfrey | 5 | 63.36 | 18 | 95 | 91 | -4 | \$3,020 | \$3,025 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Bethalto | 0 | 0 | 34 | 24 | 23 | -1 | \$0 | \$0 | \$90 | \$0 |
| Bushnell | 5 | 63.06 | 19 | 22 | 22 | 0 | \$0 | \$5,700 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Cambridge | 0 | 0 | 35 | 23 | 24 | 1 | \$0 | \$0 | \$1,000 | \$0 |
| Canton | 4 | 65 | 17 | 27 | 26 | -1 | \$2,700 | \$100 | \$1,000 | \$0 |
| Carlinville | 3 | 66.14 | 14 | 44 | 42 | -2 | \$6,275 | \$450 | \$50 | \$0 |
| Chillicothe | 0 | 0 | 36 | 7 | 7 | 0 | \$0 | \$1,221 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Collinsville, Maryville, Caseyville | 0 | 0 | 37 | 21 | 21 | 0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$100 | \$0 |
| East Alton | 3 | 76.39 | 5 | 28 | 28 | 0 | \$0 | \$200 | \$60 | \$0 |
| East Peoria | 4 | 48.33 | 30 | 27 | 28 | 1 | \$1,300 | \$700 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Edwardsville | 3 | 72.84 | 7 | 122 | 123 | 1 | \$0 | \$4,400 | \$300 | \$0 |
| Farmington | 4 | 55.71 | 24 | 36 | 35 | -1 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Galesburg | 3 | 67.76 | 12 | 83 | 85 | 2 | \$10,315 | \$3,500 | \$260 | \$100,000 |
| Galesburg Sunrise | 4 | 76.22 | 6 | 41 | 43 | 2 | \$0 | \$2,578 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Galva | 5 | 49.28 | 29 | 28 | 28 | 0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Granite City | 0 | 0 | 38 | 37 | 31 | -6 | \$1,400 | \$468 | \$500 | \$0 |
| Havana | 5 | 72 | 8 | 26 | 24 | -2 | \$0 | \$1,000 | \$25 | \$0 |
| Highland | 4 | 50.81 | 26 | 73 | 71 | -2 | \$0 | \$6,150 | \$100 | \$0 |
| Jacksonville | 4 | 69.79 | 11 | 109 | 116 | 7 | \$13,000 | \$10,981 | \$1,204 | \$2,500 |
| Jacksonville Sunrise | 0 | 0 | 46 | 10 | 10 | 0 | \$0 | \$1,900 | \$135 | \$0 |
| Jerseyville | 0 | 0 | 39 | 36 | 36 | 0 | \$1,595 | \$2,986 | \$41 | \$14 |
| Kewanee | 4 | 78.5 | 4 | 44 | 43 | -1 | \$0 | \$0 | \$600 | \$0 |
| Land of Goshen | 4 | 65.05 | 16 | 44 | 48 | 4 | \$0 | \$3,259 | \$902 | \$0 |
| Macomb | 0 | 0 | 40 | 65 | 66 | 1 | \$0 | \$5,355 | \$260 | \$0 |
| Macomb Centennial Morning | 0 | 0 | 48 | 45 | 54 | 9 | \$0 | \$2,000 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Manito-Forest City | 4 | 60.71 | 21 | 21 | 21 | 0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Mason City | 4 | 44.64 | 32 | 16 | 15 | -1 | \$0 | \$510 | \$141 | \$25 |
| Menard County | 0 | 0 | 43 | 19 | 18 | -1 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Metro East Community | 0 | 0 | 50 | 18 | 15 | -3 | \$0 | \$1,000 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Midtown Springfield | 0 | 0 | 47 | 23 | 27 | 4 | \$2,200 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Monmouth | 0 | 0 | 41 | 64 | 64 | 0 | \$0 | \$875 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Morton | 3 | 57.58 | 23 | 116 | 110 | -6 | \$0 | \$5,626 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Pekin | 0 | 0 | 42 | 47 | 46 | -1 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Peoria | 3 | 50.72 | 27 | 170 | 176 | 6 | \$8,750 | \$10,780 | \$255 | \$9,141 |
| Peoria North | 3 | 65.82 | 15 | 163 | 167 | 4 | \$45,000 | \$22,743 | \$2,150 | \$0 |
| Peoria Sunrise | 2 | 87.5 | 2 | 15 | 16 | 1 | \$0 | \$750 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Pittsfield | 3 | 66.35 | 13 | 57 | 55 | -2 | \$3,800 | \$3,304 | \$132 | \$0 |
| Quincy | 4 | 53 | 25 | 103 | 96 | -7 | \$1,000 | \$850 | \$130 | \$0 |
| Quincy East | 3 | 70.4 | 10 | 15 | 18 | 3 | \$150 | \$500 | \$500 | \$0 |
| Rushville | 3 | 62.8 | 20 | 29 | 26 | -3 | \$0 | \$1,000 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Silver Creek | 3 | 37 | 33 | 19 | 17 | -2 | \$0 | \$1,000 | \$400 | \$0 |
| Springfield | 0 | 0 | 44 | 68 | 68 | 0 | \$20,875 | \$7,830 | \$2,000 | \$3,853 |
| Springfield South | 0 | 0 | 45 | 32 | 33 | 1 | \$500 | \$7,163 | \$250 | \$0 |
| Springfield Sunrise | 4 | 59.84 | 22 | 34 | 33 | -1 | \$6,450 | \$2,795 | \$643 | \$1,000 |
| Springfield Westside | 0 | 0 | 49 | 22 | 22 | 0 | \$0 | \$1,000 | \$300 | \$0 |
| The Riverbend | 3 | 46.67 | 31 | 31 | 31 | 0 | \$0 | \$1,000 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Washington | 4 | 50 | 28 | 51 | 50 | -1 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Wood River | 4 | 72 | 9 | 38 | 36 | -2 | \$0 | \$1,400 | \$30 | \$0 |
| District 6460 Contributions to the Rotary Foundation | | | | | | | | \$300 | \$0 | \$0 |
| District Totals | | | | 2307 | 2302 | -5 | \$128,330 | \$127,598 | \$13,557 | \$116,533 |