



PARKWAY WEST WEEKLY

Parkway West Rotary Club

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St. James Sewickley Thanksgiving Dinner

Anyone from the area is invited to the school cafeteria on Thanksgiving Day for a full holiday meal. We usually have 55 to 85 persons attend. The crowd is mostly made up of people alone for the holidays, widows, widowers, persons with no families in the area, people new to the area that have just recently moved into their homes, etc. Families from the school and parish volunteer to cook the food, serve, and cleanup. It is quite a nice event. Time is usually 1PM - 4PM. If interested contact Rick Strong - 412-264-8010 or rick_strong2001@yahoo.com

Thanksgiving Deliveries / Angel Tree

We will be delivering to 37 total families. We have distributed to the schools and the YMCA a total of 75 "angels" representing the children of those families in need.

The Rotary's "angels" will be available at this week's meeting.

Thanksgiving Food Deliveries

Thanksgiving food deliveries are scheduled for Saturday, Nov. 21. We will meet at Kennedy Twp. Mun. Bldg. at 8:30am Friday evening we will meet at the Kennedy Mun. Bldg. at 6:00 to separate the food.

Montour school, Sams Club, Kulik Law Offices, and NorthWest Savings Bank have all collected food for our deliveries. The members of the Parkway West Rotary Board are asking our members to donate boxed stuffing and or canned Cranber-



Quote of the Week

Do you know the difference between education and experience? Education is when you read the fine print; experience is what you get when you don't.

[Pete Seeger](#)



ries. Please bring these items to the meeting or drop them off at one of our collection locations.

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B-days

- Roxanne Buckels - 1st
- Jim Glass—15th
- Bob Dornenburg—16th
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Its that time of year!!!—Salvation Army Bell Ringing



We will be ringing
Salvation Army
Bells on two days:

Thursday Decem-
ber 3 Macys 5:00
PM to 9:00 PM,
Rotary and Inter-
act (2 doors)

Thursday Decem-

ber 10 Sam's Club
5:00PM to 9:00pm
Rotary only.

There will be a
signup sheet at
the meeting or
you can call
Norma for a time
slot 412-264-
0691.



Cookie Mall

Lawrenceville's annual
community-wide bake
sale Lawrenceville
Rotary Cookie sale...

When: Saturday, Decem-
ber 5th, from 10 AM to
4 PM.

Where: St. Augustins
Hall at 37th and But-
ler.

Cost: \$15 per table,
payable in advance.

(entrance is free if
you just want to buy
your cookies)



Pancakes

Holiday Pancake Break-
fast Sunday December 6,
2009 at Kennedy Town-
ship Fire Hall 9am-1pm.
\$6 adults and \$3 for kids.
Please come and stop by
as all proceeds benefit
the Kennedy Twp Volun-
teer Fire Department.

Special Requests for Holiday Deliveries

As you are aware we are
in the process of receiv-
ing the information back
from the families for the
Holiday Deliveries.

I have two separate
families that are in need
of larger items and asked
if we could help.

We are looking for:

A Daybed or a Captains
bed due to limited space
for one family

A Twin Mattress and a
dresser for another.

Please let me know if
you can help.

Marcy

Congrats Marie!

**Marie Manzella cele-
brated her 25th anni-
versary of employ-
ment with Partners
For Quality on
Thursday, October
29. Congratulations,
Marie!"**



Speaker Schedule

11-18-09 Randy Cosgrove: Pittsburgh Steeler Announcer

11-25-09 meeting cancelled - Happy Thanksgiving

12-2-09 Fred Liechti: Classification

12-09-09 Club Assembly

12-16-09 Speaker Needed

12-23-09 meeting cancelled - Merry Xmas

12-30-09 noon meeting cancelled. PM fellowship-details to follow.



Presidents Message

Reminder that next weeks meeting is cancelled due to Thanksgiving. Everyone have a wonderful holiday and I look forward to seeing everyone at our first meeting in December.

Four Way Test

Is it the Truth?

Is it Fair to All Concerned?

Will it Build Goodwill and Friendship?

Will it be beneficial to All Concerned?

Remember, this newsletter is for all members of Parkway West. If you have a upcoming event or information that you would like to let us know about please email it to Brent at bgaudio@hhminsurance.com

2010-11 Nominated Board

Amy Shaffer -President

Mark Kennedy- Vice- President

Leslie Burns- Treasurer

Terri Peterson- Secetary

The election for the new officers will take place during our December 9th Club Assembly.





Parkway West Rotary Club

2009-10 Officers
 President—Roxanne Buckels
 Vice President—Amy Schafer
 Secretary—Tom Myl
 Treasurer—Jim Glass

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Club's Calendar of Events

- November 20th @ 6pm Thanksgiving Delivery – Friday to assemble the “baskets”
- November 21st @ 9am Saturday to deliver – drivers needed start @ 9am
- December 18th @ 6pm Christmas Delivery - Friday to assemble the “baskets” and toys
- December 19th @ 9am Saturday to deliver – drivers needed

Joe's Jokes by Joe Kulik

Lenny and some of his buddies are out in the woods hunting when one of them suddenly grabs his chest and falls to the ground. He doesn't seem to be breathing and his eyes are rolled back in his head. Lenny whips out his cell phone and calls 911. He gasps to the operator, "I think Bubba is dead! What should I do?"

The operator, in a calm soothing voice says, "Just take it easy and follow my instructions. First, let's make sure he's dead."

Lenny says okay, and puts the phone down.

There is a silence, and then a shot is heard.

Lenny comes back on the line, and says "okay, he's dead, now what?"

Bob drove his car into a ditch in a desolated area. Luckily, a local farmer came to help his with his big strong horse named Buddy. He hitched Buddy up to the car and yelled, "Pull, Nellie, Pull!", but Buddy didn't move.

Then the farmer hollered, "Pull, Buster, pull!", but Buddy didn't respond. Once more the farmer commanded, "Pull, Coco, pull!", still nothing. Then the farmer nonchalantly said, "Pull, Buddy, pull!" and the horse easily dragged the car out of the ditch.

Bob was most appreciative and very curious. He asked the farmer why he called his horse by the wrong name three times. The farmer said, "Oh, Buddy is blind and if he thought he was the only one pulling, he wouldn't even try!"

Sam and Tom head out for their usual 9 holes of golf. Sam offers Tom a \$50 bet. Sam agrees and they're off. They shoot a great game. After the 8th hole, Sam is ahead by one stroke, but cuts his ball into the rough on the 9th.

"Help me find my ball. Look over there," he says to Tom. After a few minutes, neither has any luck. Since a lost ball carries a four point penalty, Sam secretly pulls a ball from his pocket and tosses it to the ground. "I've found my ball!" he announces.

"After all of the years we've been in Rotary and friends and playing together," Tom says, "you'd cheat me out of a lousy 50 bucks?"

"What do you mean, cheat?" Sam says "I found my ball sitting right there!"

"And you're a liar, too!" Tom says. "I'll have you know I've been STANDING on your ball for the last five minutes!"

