



PARKWAY WEST WEEKLY

Parkway West Rotary Club

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Welcome Benjamin Sluder

We would like to welcome Ben Sluder from Amcom who has been approved by the board to join our club. Ben's induction will be at next Wednesday's meeting. We look forward to Ben's participation in the many projects our club has throughout the year. Please make Ben feel welcome. Also a special thanks to Ken Corey who introduced Ben to our club.



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August Birthdays

- None

Our Next Event—Bowling Outing

Our fall bowling outing is scheduled for Sunday, October 12, 2008 at Crafton Ingram Lanes (the Steelers do not play). We will again be in need of auction

items, bowlers, and volunteers. There will be more information and fliers shortly. Please contact Brent or Denise with any questions.



Operation Troop Appreciation



Please join us on September 13 and September 20 at Sams Club in Robinson to help collect items for our soldiers overseas. OTA shelves are bare and they are in need of everything from hygiene items to clothing to food. We need volunteers to man the bus and collect these items throughout the day (8am-5pm). We will also need people to drive down with the bus and help unload the items in Shadyside. More details to follow.



Partners For Quality Picnic

We will have our meeting on August 20th, and then attend the Partners For Quality Hawaiian Night that evening.

Special thanks to Tom and Mary Lou, Norma, Brent, and Pam Stilwell for their help with this event. The consumers enjoyed great weather, food (thanks to Daryl), and dancing. DJ Donna did a great job with the music and we look forward to putting this on again next year.



SERVICE Above Self



Celebration of Service

The Pittsburgh Rotary Club put together an after hours mixer for all clubs in District 7300 at the Lemont Restaurant on Mt. Washington.. The event will be held Thursday September 11, 2008 starting at 5:30 through 8:30pm. There will be a cash bar, half hour program and networking and hors d'oeuvres. Tickets are \$30.00 and you need to RSVP by September 8. Contact Terry Dugan for more details 412-471-6210.



Upcoming Speakers

- Aug 27—No speaker
- Sept 3—Arlene Sparks, Mentoring Partnership of Western PA
- Sept 10—Club Assembly
- Sept 17—Speaker Needed
- Sept 24—Tony Moody, Interact Club to Ambassadorial Scholar

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?

Rotary International Project

Our clubs International Project this year will be helping the St Trinity High School of the Episcopal Church in Port-au-Prince Haiti. The high school has a Philharmonic Orchestra which is very involved in the community. They are in desperate need of musical instruments and the local community and parents are not capable to update the equipment.. We will be raising money

and collecting new and used instruments to preserve this orchestra. More information to follow.





Parkway West Rotary Club

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Club's Calendar of Events

- Board Meeting at the Four Points 5:30—
Sept 9, 2008
- Celebration of Service - Lemont Restaurant—
Sept 11
- Operation Troop Appreciation—Sept 13th and
20th at Sams Club
- 10/12/2008—Parkway West Rotary Fall Bowling
Outing at Crafton Ingram Lanes
- Ronald McDonald House—TBA
- Christmas/Thanksgiving Deliveries—TBA

Joe's Jokes by Joe Kulik

This woman rushed to see her doctor, looking very much worried and all strung out. She rattles off: *"Doctor, take a look at me. When I woke up this morning, I looked at myself in the mirror and saw my hair all wiry and frazzled up, my skin was all wrinkled and pasty, my eyes were bloodshot and bugging out, and I had this corpse-like look on my face! What's WRONG with me, Doctor!?"*

The doctor looks her over for a couple of minutes, then calmly says: *"Well, I can tell you that there ain't nothing wrong with your eyesight..."*

* If your Dairy Queen is closed from September through May, you live in Pittsburgh.
 > * If someone in a Home Depot

store offers you assistance and they don't work there, you live in Pittsburgh
 > * If you've worn shorts and a parka at the same time, you live in Pittsburgh
 > * If you've had a lengthy telephone conversation with someone who dialed a wrong number, you live in Pittsburgh
 > * If an old chair left in a cleared parking spot on a snowy street looks to you like a declaration of the sovereignty over that spot, you live in Pittsburgh
 > * If 'Jumbo' doesn't refer to a fictional elephant but means a kind of luncheon meat, you live in Pittsburgh
 > * If Versailles is pronounced as if it is spelled 'versales', you live in Pittsburgh
 > * If 'Vacation' means going

anywhere south of the Mason Dixonline for the weekend, you live in Pittsburgh
 > * If you measure distance in hours, you live in Pittsburgh
 > * If you have switched from 'heat' to 'A/C' in the same day and back again, you live in Pittsburgh
 > * If someone offers you an 'ahrn' and you know to drink it, you live in Pittsburgh
 > * If you can drive 75 mph through 2 feet of snow during a raging blizzard without flinching, you live in Pittsburgh
 > * If you carry jumper cables in your car and your wife knows how to use them, you live in Pittsburgh
 > * If you design your kid's Halloween costume to fit over a snowsuit, you live in Pittsburgh

