

Rotary Club of Appleton Gusto

Expanded Edition

June 18, 2019

District 6220 Club 2656



June 25th Meeting Teaser

Be sure to join us at next week's Business Meeting. There will be a review of 2018-2019 and a look ahead to 2019-2020. It will be informational and interactive, and you don't want to miss it!

Rotary Moment by Wayne Defferding

Attendance Not Required

How many of you have heard of this membership category?

How many of you are in this membership category?

Where did it come from?

Why did Paul Harris and his business friends form the first Rotary club?

To get to know other businessmen in their community – develop “acquaintance” so that they knew who to call when they needed something.

How do you develop an “acquaintance” with somebody? You show up! Attendance at club meeting was considered very important. The Sargent at Arm's primary function in the club was to follow up on those whose attendance began to fall, to see why and help with any concerns the member had about the club.

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**Next Meeting June 25th
Club Business Meeting**

Thought of the Day/Greeters:

June 25 - Ron Altenburg

July 9 - Rick Stark

July 16 - Steve Rieth

July 23 - Roy Valitchka

July 30 - Jennifer Stephany

Club Meeting Information

Weekly: Every Tuesday at
12:15 noon (except the first
Tuesday of the month)

Place: Riverview Gardens
1101 S Oneida St
Appleton, WI 54915



Rotary

Officers 2018-2019

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Membership – 115

TAKE ACTION: www.appletonrotary.org



Rotary Apparel

Rotary Clubs of the Fox Cities (six area Clubs) is offering the opportunity to purchase Rotary Apparel.

- 1/4 Zip Pull Over
- Full Zip Fleece
- Rotary At Work Tee
- Navy Cap

The items and order form are attached to this edition of Gusto. Print and complete the order form. Give to Nancy Leipzig or Amy Flanders, with payment, for processing.

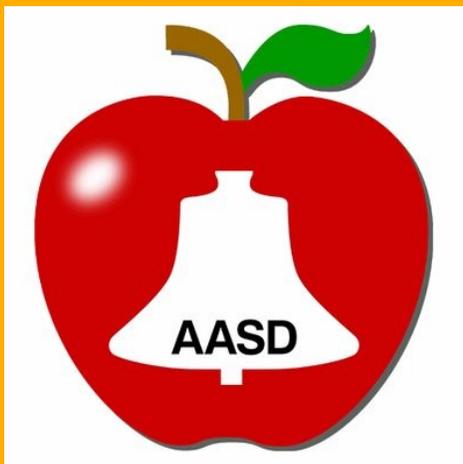


Tuesday, August 6th
Community Table
Event Click [HERE](#) to
purchase your tickets
\$75 / person

Rhythms of the World
Sat, Sept 14th
9:00am - 12:00pm
Houdini Plaza

Coffee Wednesday
Copper Rock on College
9:00am
No Meeting July 3rd

Correction from last week's Gusto: Pillars is the result of the Fox Valley Warming Shelter, Homeless Connection and the Housing Partnership merging into one organization to better serve the needs of our community.



Dr. Judy Baseman and Rita O'Brien presented Portrait of a Graduate Community Input Session. This was the first session that Appleton Area School District (AASD) hosted seeking community input.

The AASD vision: Working together, students, family, staff and community will ensure that each graduate is academically, socially and emotionally prepared for success in life. Every Student, Every Day.

Rotary Moment by Wayne Defferding
Attendance Not Required, continued

In addition from the very beginning clubs limited membership to two members per classification, to make sure that the club has a good variety of classifications for members to learn about. After all, that was the primary purpose of forming the club.

Also, limiting the number of members in one classification helped prevent the club from being dominated by one classification, such as bankers, lawyers, accountants, etc.

So how does this category of membership called “attendance not required” work?

- To qualify, you need to have been a member of the club for at least 15 years AND you must be fully retired.
- If you qualify:

Your annual dues are the same for the amount that goes to RI and the District, and for club activities. But you only pay for your meals as you attend meetings.

It recognizes that you have done your part in the club and as a retiree you are free to come to meetings, or not, and should pay only for those meals when you come.

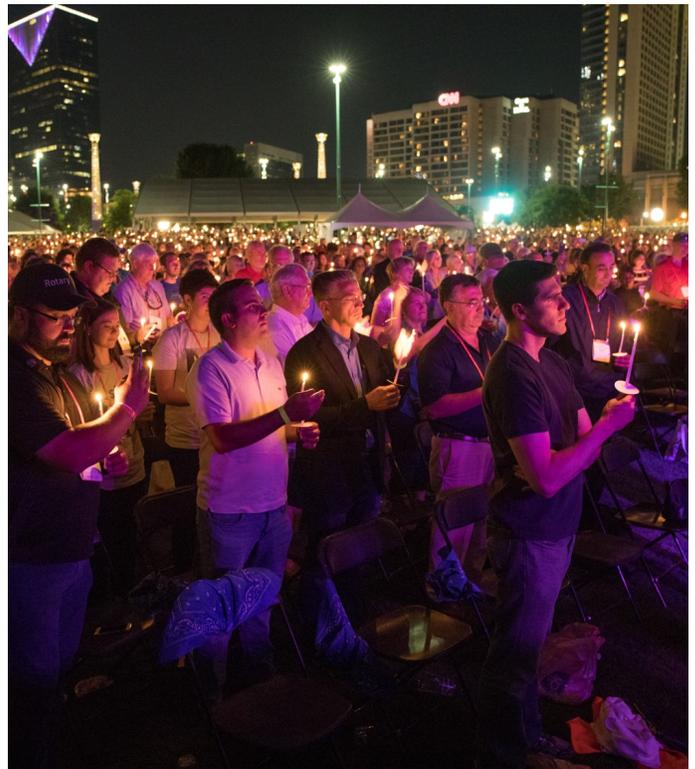
You can pay cash when you sign in, or you can buy a “meal card” from the club that pays for 12 meals.

So what does this category do for the club? It frees up the classification that you held, so that the club can recruit a new member for that classification.

Did you know...Rotary has partnered with the [Institute for Economics and Peace](#), an independent think tank and leader in the study of peace and conflict, to help address the root causes of conflict and create conditions that foster peace.

The institute has identified eight factors that lead to Positive Peace:

1. **Low levels of corruption.**
2. **Acceptance of rights of others.**
3. **Free flow of information.**
4. **Strong business environment.**
5. **High levels of human capital.**
6. **Equitable distribution of resources.**
7. **Good relations with neighbors.**
8. **Well-functioning government.**



Peace is more than just the absence of violence. Peace is ensuring there is justice for all.