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The Rotary Club of West Wichita meets Tuesdays, 12:00 noon at Rolling Hills Country Club, 223 S. Westlink
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TODAY'S SPEAKER

MARY JOHNSON
Director of Organizational Partnerships
Southwestern College Professional Studies

Mary has been with Southwestern College Professional Studies for 6 years and is currently the Director of Organizational Partnerships. Before joining Southwestern College she was Assistant Director of Admissions at Wichita State University for 9 years. Mary was a returning adult student herself and has dedicated the last 16 years in higher education helping adult learners attain their educational goals.

DON'T FORGET: STAR Class, 11:15 am before our club meeting at RHCC in the Par room. Topic: A Rotarian's responsibilities, 4-Way Test, Object of Rotary, Mottos, Rotarians in business, membership.

INTERNATIONAL SERVICE UPDATE

Shelli Kadel recently returned from a trip to Panama in which she was observing and coordinating efforts for continued success of the RITE program. During her two-week stay, Shelli met key Rotarians and education officials to better understand the mechanics of the program in Panama. While there, she received wonderful hospitality in the homes of the Rotarians which has been one of the hallmarks of this 14 year-old program. Our RITE teachers this year are Lucy Alfonso, in David and Stephany Coffey, in Panama City. These talented ladies are conducting seminars in language acquisition skills for teachers of English and also in the University setting. More information will be shared Aug. 3 and Aug. 5 at the respective west side Rotary meetings.

SEMI ANNUAL ATTENDANCE DRAWING

We will have our Semi-annual attendance drawing at our meeting today! Congratulations to the following members who are eligible for the drawing since they maintained 100% attendance during the January - June period by attending club meetings or earning make-up credits: **Jamie Anderson, Paul Blissett, Roger Bowles, Bob Bundy, Tim Devine, Bob Goebel, Mark Hansen, Shelli Kadel, Phil Michel, Nicolette Moreno, DeAnn Sullivan, Lori Taylor and Brian Turney.** The winner of the drawing will receive a $25 gift certificate to dine at the Airport Hilton. Must be present for the drawing to win!

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UPCOMING PROGRAMS & EVENTS

July 27 **Speaker:** Sean Clem, Wichita Polo
August 3 **Speaker:** RITE teachers
August 10 **Speaker:** John Allison, Superintendent, USD 259
AUGUST 13-15 ROTARY DISTRICT 5690 CONFERENCE
Golf Tournament at Sand Creek Station, Newton, KS
District Conference,Red Coach Inn in Newton, KS.
Register to attend!
August 16 **Board of Directors Meeting**, 5:15 p.m., Airport Hilton
August 17 **Speaker:** Bill Warren, IMAX
August 24 **Speaker:** Susan Norton, WSU Degree Completion Program
August 31 **NO MEETING:** 5th Tuesday of the month

CLUB INFORMATION

Happy Birthday!
Mike Suellentrop ..... July 21
Bob Bundy ..... July 22
Marv Fisher ..... July 26

Visiting Rotarians
District Governor David Nygaard..... Newtown
Asst. District Governor Sue Pearce ..... East Wichita

Roaming Rotarian
Paul Blissett ..... Andover

Attendance & Membership Report
Last meeting: 65% Membership: 68
Last year: 59% Membership: 76

Holiday Raffle: Mark Hansen won $15 in our raffle last week. This week's pot will be worth over $540 if an Ace is drawn
Make-up raffle: Tony Morrow's name was drawn but he wasn't wearing a Rotary pin..
Collections: Happy Basket: $3.00 Scooter Bowl: $0

If you are willing to lead in the Pledge, 4-Way Test and Invocation periodically at our meetings this new Rotary year, please let Diane know (if you haven't already).

The 4-Way Test of the things we think, say or do:
1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

2010-11 Rotary International Theme

BUILDING COMMUNITIES
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