MORE ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Sonny Sawansuk presented **Prez Galloway** with the banner of a Bangkok Thailand Rotary Club he recently visited. Nice job getting into the Rotary spirit **Sonny.**

- Had Solberg and Jill Schroeder introduced our new inbound youth exchange student Birte Kamille Oen from Norway. She is fresh off the plane, 17 years old and living with the Murphy family. Be sure to introduce yourself.
- By now the 2016 White Bear Lake Rotary Pontoon Floatilla is just a pleasant memory but it seems apparent that a good time was had by all. Special thanks go out to **Gene and Marcia Altstatt** for again hosting the event at their home and to Mother Nature for adding so much water to the lake.

THE ROTARY CLUB OF WHITE BEAR LAKE PROUDLY PRESENTS 5TH ANNUAL TASTE OF WHITE BEAR LAKE SEPTEMBER 10, 2016 2:00—5:00 P.M. PINE TREE APPLE ORCHARD

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THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK:

"It is not what a lawyer tells me I may do; but what humanity, reason, and justice tell me I ought to do."

- Edmund Burke

Lynda Halbert, Rotarian guest from Stillwater Sunrise Club invited us to visit her at the Minnesota State Fair, at the Minnesota Newspaper Museum, on August 30th.

PROGRAM:

Bill Rust introduced Al Zdrazil to present a program on domestic violence and how victims can be assisted in the workplace. Al is a St. Paul Rotarian and spent 34 years working as a prosecutor for St. Paul and Ramsey County. He described domestic violence as a community health problem which spans the full socio-economic spectrum. It harms people and families in areas of poverty and affluence and it is a chronic condition. It does not occur once and go away. The average victim attempts to leave the abusive environment seven times before escaping and while its frequency remains high there are ways to reduce its impacts and assistance in the workplace is one.

Domestic violence usually follows a pattern that includes verbal abuse, emotional abuse, isolation, intimidation and threats, stalking and surveillance, sexual abuse, physical abuse and financial intimidation. Victims experience physical injury, depression and anxiety, low self-esteem and the affects on behavior appear in the workplace in the form of tardiness, absence, frequent requests for leave and drop in work quality. Victims are usually hesitant to discuss their problems for fear of reprisal, embarrassment or loss of their job. They want to be at work because they feel safer, and they need the income to seek independence from the abusive relationship.

Employers may provide assistance by recognizing the symptoms of domestic abuse and having polices in place which will allow victims time away from work for counseling, support, court, relocation, etc. Also by cooperating with orders for protection and training other employees to understand the problem and to be sympathetic. Al explained that a sample workplace policy to combat domestic violence is available on the Rotary district website.

Thanks Bill and Al for bring this informative program to our club.

Writer of the week: Mark Sather

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UPCOMING MEETINGS:

August 31: Lt Colonel Anthony Nardecchia USAF ret; Career Fighter Pilot Chairperson: Pat McFarlane Classification: Brady Ramsay Greeters: Jessica Bernier & Rosie Murphy Invocation: Bryce Johnson Writer: Dick Galena

September 7: Joanie Grundal, Capernaum program at WBL Young Life Chairperson: Jeff Otto Classification: Rich Ramsay Greeters: Peg Black & Scott Neilson Invocation: Katie Strom Writer: Cathy Wyland

September 14: Jessica Berg, Brenda Chandler & Charlie Groetsch, Minncor Industries Chairperson: Mark Burch Classification: Jim Rathburn Greeters: Ryan Boog & Scott Nelson Invocation: Steve LaLiberte Writer: Greg Young

UPCOMING MEETINGS:

September 21: Jeff Otto presents: Mike Korman, Drones Save Lives September 28: Gene Altstatt presents: Ashley Filipp, YMCA October 5: Greg Bartz presents Ann Frisch, Cherwon and the DMZ

At least three weeks in advance of your scheduled date, please contact Jeff Otto, jeff.otto@opmpallet.com.

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COMMITTEE MEETINGS CLUB SERVICE COMMITTEE: Meets 2nd Tuesday of each month, Eat @ Banning & 5th, 7 a.m.

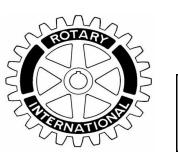
BOARD MEETINGS: Meets 4th Tuesday of each month, WBL City Hall, 7 a.m. **PUBLIC IMAGE COMMITTEE:** Meets 2nd Wednesday of each month after Rotary meeting **COMMUNITY SERVICE:** Meets last Wednesday of each month, 12 noon, Location TBD

VOCATIONAL COMMITTEE: Meets 1st Thursday of each month, Keys Restaurant, 7 a.m.

INTERNATIONAL SERVICE COMMIT-TEE: Meets 2nd Thursday of each month, Eat @ Banning & 5th, 7 a.m. FUNDRAISER COMMITTEE: Meets immediately following Wednesday meeting (seasonal)

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

President Ken gave an up-date on the 2016 5th Annual Taste of White Bear Lake. Its seems that ticket sales are lagging a little behind last year but we can still meet our goal if everyone helps. Ken reported that Bob "Bad Joke" Morse is "having a blast" recruiting restaurants but needs a couple more and would like your help. Please consider working with Bob to encourage your favorite restaurant, bistro, bakery, etc. to join in.

It also seems **Kathy Stone** is doing a great job on the silent auction but she too needs a little more help. Give serious consideration to donating an auction item.

Though not mentioned, this reporter is pretty sure **Rob Weber** is still seeking donations of decent (i.e. about \$20) bottles of wine for the cork pull. If your cellar is a little low, consider passing a \$20 to **Eric Hendrickson** and he will do the shopping for you. It's just that easy. Hey **Curt**, it looks like the Boones Farm is out this year. Rob said "no way." Greeters: <u>August 24, 2016</u> Joe Benson & Jim Muellner

Invocation: Bill Rust

Writer: Marlyce Paulson

-Induction of New Members: Mark Miller; Richard McNamara -Perfect Attendance for 2015-2016

Classification: Dan Potter

Program: Peg Black presents: Pastor Scott Cartwright, Serving Seniors

Song Leader: Ken Baltzer

COMIN' ROUND THE MOUNTAIN

She'll be comin' 'round the mountain when she comes, She'll be comin' 'round the mountain when she comes, She'll be comin' 'round the mountain, She'll be comin' 'round the mountain, She'll be comin' 'round the mountain when she comes, She'll be riding six white horses when she

comes.. She'll be goin' to a Rotary meeting when she comes...