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Today's Program

Nancy Mishnick – Amy Wizza, “Wisconsin-Nicaragua Partners Update”

April 26	Tom Paul – Tom Lochner, “Wisconsin Cranberry Industry Update”
May 3	Jim Riebe – Bret Salscheider, Kent Anderson, Kurt Heuer, and Phil Brown on an update on the new YMCA/Boys & Girls Club
May 10	Larry Schmick
May 17	Avenues of Service
May 24	Tom Schneider
May 31	“Fifth-Thursday”

Rotary News

- We welcomed our student Rotars, Jadelyn Hunn and Chasten Vruwink and our exchange student Valentina Vargas.
- We welcomed John Alexander, guest of Kyle Cronan.
- Second vote was approved to contribute \$1,500 to the YMCA/B&GC Capital Campaign. This positions Sunrise as a “Friends” donor recognition.
- Second vote was approved to donate \$150 from the Happy Pig to support student outreach through the Arts Council when the Kids from Wisconsin comes to town in this summer.
- Second vote was approved to donate \$75 to the Tri-City Curling club for use of their facility.
- First vote approved to donate \$500 to the “Little by Little” micronutrient matching grant program for children 6 months to 5 years old in Nicaragua. \$150 Will come from the Happy Pig and the remaining \$350 from the International Committee budget.
- Sunrise Rotary Rafters night will be Thursday, July 12th at the Roscoe Cheesehead Bobblehead night. We need to determine which charity will receive the proceeds.
- Still looking for contributions to the Every Rotarian Every Year project.
- Working on a mini-golf event at Papa Bears new facility in Rome in August.



New Student Rotars: Jadelyn Hunn (left) and Chasten Vruwink (right)



Attendance: 26
Happy Pig: About \$9 was donated to the pig.

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TBD



Pat Keir, UWSP “Learning is ForEver (LIFE)”

Pat is an east coast transplant and has spent the last seventeen years becoming a renaissance person with a broad knowledge of many different areas through the University of Wisconsin – Stevens Point Learning is ForEver (LIFE) program.

Geared for adults, the LIFE program is offering nearly 80 workshops, lectures and tours in 2018. New this year, members can join for the winter/spring session for \$37.50. Year-long membership is \$75 annually. Participants may attend as many courses as they choose.

This spring's programs include topics on Japanese culture and cuisine, sustainability, the great war in film, Wisconsin English, journey into dementia, Iceland, South Africa, Cuba and other travel, genealogy, Sharia Law, history, sports, theatre, natural resources, current events and more. Four spring daytrips have additional fees. They are trips to Milwaukee Brewers, Wisconsin Wineries, the Point Brewery Tour, and the Milwaukee Art Museum/Museum of Wisconsin Art.

LIFE was founded at UW-Stevens Point in 2001 and has more than 400 members. A volunteer committee which includes Pat, plans the curriculum presented by former and current UW-Stevens Point faculty and staff, local experts and other speakers. Past field trips have included travel to the Guthrie Theatre in Minneapolis, the Overture Center in Madison and various destinations in Milwaukee, the Fox Valley, Treehaven and the International Crane Foundation.

For more information, contact Continuing Education and Outreach at 715-346-3838. A complete list of classes and registration information is available at www.uwsp.edu/conted/artculture/Pages/life/default.aspx.



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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 good will and better friendships?*
4. *Will it be beneficial to all concerned?*