

# The Downtowner"



KIWANIS CLUB OF ROCHESTER, Rochester, MN

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## May 10, 2023 Coming Programs

May Programs May 30 Speaker for this Thursday is Brad Brech. He is a Township Supervisor. Title is 'Community Giveback in Government.'
NEXT Programs TBA

Circle of Service for May is Roger & Austin

Dan Moore Memorial Service at Ranfranz Funeral Home. May 12, 2023 10:30 AM



Dan was born March 21, 1926, in Bemidji, Minnesota, the son of Daniel Joseph Moore and Elsie (Wolfe) Moore. Dan enlisted in the Army Air Corps when he graduated from high school in 1944. He was a radio operator and gunner in WWII and

then stationed in Japan after the war ended. Dan married Nadene (Sunny) Booth on July 10, 1948, in Tenstrike, MN. He graduated from Bemidji State Teachers College in 1950. They moved their young family to Rochester and Dan began his career in the Rochester Public Schools that same year. While working as an English and social studies teacher at Central Junior High, Dan continued his education earning both a Master's degree and an Ed. Specialist degree in Counseling Psychology from the University of Minnesota. He was a guidance counselor at John Marshall High School for many years and was the first Director of Guidance at Mayo High School from 1967 until his retirement in 1986.

A Celebration of Dan's Life will be held Friday, May 12, 2023, at the Ranfranz and Vine Remembrance and Reception Center 5482 Royal Place NW, Rochester, MN. Visitation will begin at 10:00 am with a service at 11:00 am and lunch to follow. Inurnment will be at Oakwood East Cemetery, Rochester, MN.

In lieu of flowers, the Moore family requests memorial gifts be directed to The Kiwanis Club of Rochester, MN, c/o Austin Jorgensen, 1028 34th St. NW, Rochester, MN 55901.



This was taken as Colleen was working through the process of putting out the future editions of this Newsletter. She spent a few hours seeing how I do it. She is more

computer savvy than you might think. It appears that I have learned some tricks on construction and I hope I was some help to her at the same time. We will officially switch her to Editor within a month. She has many personal irons in her fire, to take on new projects.



Once again Austin Jorgenson has offered to head up this year's 'junk' sale. He swears that he has lots of room in his garage to store items

that members plan to send to the sale. Austin has rented a building at the Fairgrounds for our things, with the hope that he gets some other groups to join in the space and cost. If you have anything that you plan to take to the rummage sale, call Austin and he will receive the stuff anytime and see that it gets to the sale properly. Remember this is one of the biggest money-raisers for our Club. It goes toward student scholarships.



One of Colleen's projects is the support of newborn equipment. Just give her a ring and she will direct you on where and how to support this group.

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\*Senior Member \*\*Privileged Member \*\*\*Honorary Member

\*\*\*\*Senior & Long Term Perfect Attendance

\*\*\*\*\*Life Member

The preceding list reflects the official roster of active members according to Kiwanis International. If a name is missing or one is present that should not be, please let C.

Warren know. District & International web sites: www.kiwanis.org www.mndak.org

\*\*\*Jim Bouquet 651-560-4292 \*\*\*Bob Fiss 288-7480

The Kiwanis Club of Rochester meets every Thursday at the Meeting Room at the Eagles

### 917 15th St. SE

Meetings last about one hour. Lunch is served including an entree, fruit, salad, and drink for (\$14.00)

## Newsletter Changes

Remember to call Clare Warren at 254-2087 if you have anything you feel is newsworthy. We are trying to get the newsletter out every other week. It can be effective if you feed in the right information. Feel free to contribute something for publication!

Be sure to read the roster once in awhile and report any errors to C. Warren

Why not! If you have a computer, why not try to receive the Kiwanis Newsletter via e-mail. It is a quick and easy way for us to get the letter to you on time. We now have 17 ACTIVE members receiving it regularly. They enjoy the ability to get it in COLOR.

at www.kiwanisroch.org 2022-23

Colleen Maddox

Roger Krsnak Co- Presidents

> Immed. Past Presidents Austin Jorgenson

Bill Kalmes Treasurer Irv Nehring Secretary

## **Committees**

Club Rep to District Membership, Growth & Education **Public Relations** Community Services Youth Service & YCPO

**Programs** 

Circles of Service Human and Spiritual Values

Finance

Donations/Charities

Co-Presidents next yr. are

(Still no names for co-Presidents next year)

I know many of you are looking forward to the National Kiwanis Convention in MPLS this year.

Somebody can write up an article for the Newsletter, OK? Someone said you can watch it online.

\*\*\*Point of interest.....Dan Carlson reported that his wife went to see the production of 'Hamilton' in the Cities. Roger also had attended one of the shows. All thought it was absolutely great. Nice to hear reports like this.

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Colleen has gotten a club brochure from Kiwanis International. She then edited to make it personal for our club, made many copies for the club members for evaluation to use as a part of Club Membership Recruitment.

Thanks, Colleen. Nice Job......

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Bonnie made a report on the Club's Student Scholarship program. She will keep us up to date on that since the

school year is fast approaching. Well done, Bonnie.

It was a job dropped into her lap at the sudden death of Dick Weltzin. We are very grateful for Bonnie's guidance.



Former Club Member, Al Lun did a program on "Beam Me Up" Al is still a non-active member with status as Consultant to our group

on computer questions and assisting more directly by letting our Club use the same Server that he uses. Thanks to Al for that. We won't lose faith that someday he will return to full membership in Kiwanis of Rochester.

Al's talk was hard for this editor to describe. Al is a retired IBM employee. My

description is that he is very interested in Group Dynamics.

He really works on the nitty-gritty of the group, whether it be work related or his role in city and community planning. He makes groups work with his guidance. A very unique skill. We are grateful, Al.



