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ROTARY CLUB of west WICHITA

Tuesday, February 6, 2018

Meets Tuesdays, 12:00 noon at
Rolling Hills Country Club
223 S. Westlink

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Rotary Club of West Wichita:
www.rotarywestwichita.org

Rotary District 5690:
www.rotary5690.org

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TODAY'S SPEAKERS

DANIELLE STEPHEN, OWNER
ERIN KONECNY, DECORATIVE PAINTER
Danielle Studios, Inc.

Danielle Studios, Inc. has been creating inspired decorative finishes and murals for over 15 years. They offer upscale faux finishes that are anything but typical. Their finishes can be viewed in many Wichita Parade of Homes models as well as in residential and commercial establishments throughout the region.

In 2017, Danielle Studios started the process of the downtown mural project for the city, which will be the largest mural that Danielle Studios has done to date. It is planned to be finished later this year. The murals at the First and Second street underpasses are designed to contrast the built environment of humankind with the natural environment of Kansas, said Todd Whipple, the designer and primary arts contractor on the project.

Each underpass will feature two murals facing each other across the street. One side will be a cubist-inspired cityscape, dominated by squared corners and rectangles – the other a more impressionistic take with waving prairie grass and ethereal figures.

As the fearless leader and owner of Danielle Studios, Inc, Danielle Stephen saw art as a business opportunity from an early age. As a child, she would paint Christmas artwork on antiques to sell in the gift shop of her parent's Christmas tree farm. She earned her Bachelor of Art degree from Wichita State University with a certificate in Decorative Art and Ornamental Design, followed by her Masters of Communication from Pittsburg State University.

Erin Konecny earned her degree in Fine Arts from Wichita State University; with a concentration in Decorative and Ornamental Design Danielle Studios creates murals, decorative finishes and faux effects in Wichita and in surrounding areas like Derby, Andover, Colwich, Hutchinson, Kansas City, and surrounding states.

CALENDAR OF PROGRAMS & EVENT

- February 13 Speaker: Bryan Frye, Wichita City Council – District 5
"Update on Pracht Wetlands Park & Cadillac Lake Development"
David Weber Extra Effort Awards – Lawrence Elementary
- February 16 Winter Social at Roxy's – make reservations!
- February 19 Board of Directors meeting, 5:30 P.m. 7515 W. 37th
- February 20 Speaker: Katey Dorrah, Executive Director, MarkArts
11:30 – STAR Class, Topic: "International Service"
- February 27 Speaker: Dr. Justin Henry, Superintendent, Goddard
School District

Don't miss this year's Winter Social!



Roxy's



412 1/2 E Douglas

Friday, February 16, 2018

Show: The Golden Girls ~ Rated PG-13

Show time: 8:00 - 10:00 pm

Plan to arrive around 7:00 to socialize before the show
(show only - no meal)

MEMBERS: No charge / SPOUSE or GUEST: \$15

→Any reservations made and not kept will be charged \$30 each
RESERVATIONS DUE TODAY!

SERVICE ABOVE SELF AWARD

It's time to nominate a fellow Rotarian for our club's 2017-18 Service Above Self Award. The purpose of the award is to recognize a fellow Rotarian for the outstanding contributions they make to the community, our club, social, religious, educational, business ethics, and/or other worthwhile activities which make Wichita a better community.

These current members who are past recipients are **not eligible**:
Bob Goebel, Roger Bowles, Mike Ludlow Michael Phipps, Shelli Kadel, DeAnn Sullivan, Paul Blissett, Mark Hansen, Mike Suellentrop, Phil Michel, Jack Flesher, Sharon West, Brian Goudie and Jamie Wise.

If you would like to nominate a fellow Rotarian, send an e-mail to Diane with the following information:

- The **NAME** of the Rotarian you would like to nominate
- The **REASON** you feel they deserve this award

Our Selection Committee, consisting of past recipients, will review all nominations to select this year's winner.

The deadline to submit is: February 13th

INTERACT PANAMA TRIP: Supplies Needed

Submitted by Mike Suellentrop

We will depart for Panama on March 17 and we will be taking school supplies as we have in the past. Anything you can donate will be greatly appreciated. We plan to take four or five containers not exceeding 50 lbs. each. No reams of paper as they are heavy or three ring binders as they take up space. **Items of need are basic elementary school supplies such as:** pens, pencils, folders, notebooks, back packs, stickers, small items for teachers to give as rewards, soccer balls, jump ropes. Please bring supplies to our club meeting.

CLUB INFORMATION

No Birthdays this week

Visiting Rotarian

Dave Abbott WSC-Sunrise Rotary

Guests

Amy Lash Esau guest of Monty Allen

Bill Underkofler guest of Brian Goudie

David Weber Extra Effort Award recipients and their teachers

Attendance & Membership Report

Last meeting: 56% Membership: 64

Last year: n/a Membership: 61

Rotary Awareness Drawing Winner: Jodi Besthorn

Holiday Raffle: Brian Goudie won \$7.00. The pot will be worth over \$80 if an Ace is drawn. The money raised provides groceries for needy families during the holiday.

Save the date!

WSU SHOCKERS BASEBALL FAMILY OUTING



SATURDAY, MAY 12

Picnic & Game

Wichita State University - Eck Stadium - Pavilion

Last week...



David Weber Extra Effort Awards

← 3rd grade students with their teacher from Lawrence Elementary



**ROTARY:
MAKING A
DIFFERENCE**



MONTHLY GROCERY PROJECT

Here's how it works: Two pairs of shoppers are needed for each month during the school year. Our volunteer shoppers coordinate a convenient time during their month to purchase and deliver groceries to pre-selected families from Lawrence & Benton Elementary Schools. A gift card will be provided by our club from funds raised through our Holiday Raffle each week. Sign up at our meeting or e-mail Diane with the month(s) of your preference. You can pair up with a fellow Rotarian or make it a family service project. It's a very rewarding experience!

Below are our volunteers so far:

FEBRUARY: John Mosely, Gregg Greenwood
Brian Goudie & Stan Krehbiel

MARCH: We will need a different group of shoppers this month to help Mark Hansen with the Easter groceries.

APRIL: Pam Chambers (need 3 more volunteers)

MAY: Need 4 volunteers

MEMBER/BUSINESS LIST

Monty Allen – Kirkpatrick, Sprecker & Company, LLP

Sean Babjak – Intrust Bank, Inc.

Bob Benson – The Beta Group

Jodi Besthorn – Sedgwick County Extension

Paul Blissett – Auto Craft Collision Repair

Randy Bowles – JP Weigand Commercial Division

Roger Bowles – Thermal Trade Inc. *(retired)*

Dr. Bob Broeckelman – Dale Carnegie Training

Robert Bundy – Robert Bundy Commercial Real Estate

Greg Carr – Carr Wealth Management, LLC

Nancy Chadick – Right Recruiting

Mark Chamberlin – Armstrong/Chamberlin

Pam Chambers – Wichita Friends School

Dr. June Costin – Butler Community College

Terry Finger – Bank of the West

Marvin Fisher – Kansas Retirement Consultants

Jack Flesher – Bever, Dye, LC *(retired)*

Diana Fredelake – The Media Source, Inc.

Ed Frey – Credit Review Group

Terry Gardner – Airparts Company, Inc.

Bob Goebel – Star Lumber & Supply Co. *(retired)*

Brian Goudie – Downing & Lahey Mortuary

Gregg Greenwood – PEC, P.A. *(retired)*

Jim Grocholski – Welsey Rehabilitation Hospital

Brent Groves – Kanza Bank

Cindy Hand – Catholic Family Federal Credit Union

Mark Hansen – Resthaven Mortuary & Cemetery

Ken Hays – XPEDX *(retired)*

Dr. Chad Higgins, Maize USD 266

Maryann Hurst – Busey Home Mortgage

Augustine Iacopelli – W.S.U. (west campus) / Augustino Brewing Co.

Shelli Kadel – Builders, Inc.

Vern Klassen – Interior Trends, Inc. *(retired)*

Stan Krehbiel – Salon Partners, LLC

Dan Kreis – Circle Consulting

Maurice Linnens – KS Truck Equipment Co., Inc.

Brock Lofgreen – Veterinary Emergency and Specialty Hospital of Wichita

Dr. Mike Ludlow – West Wichita Family Physicians

Jon Madsen – Edward Jones

Sam Martinez – Martinez Resource Group

Colin McKenney – Starkey, Inc.

Phil Michel – Cessna Aircraft Company *(retired)*

Tony Morrow – USPS *(retired)*

John Mosley – Sheplers, Inc. *(retired)*

Dr. Bob Nelson – Wichita Family Vision Clinic

Zella Newberry – Therapeutic Massage by Zella

John Oswald – Wichita Airport Authority

Eric Parkhurst – Bever Dye, LC

Bruce Pearson – ERI Solutions, Inc.

Michael Phipps – DoubleTree by Hilton Wichita Airport *(retired)*

Colby Reynolds – Sunflower Real Estate

Allan Sands – The Print Source

Mike Suellentrop – Frontier Wealth Management

DeAnn Sullivan – Sullivan & Associates

Lori Taylor – Koch, Siedhoff, Hand & Dunn, LLP

Joey Timmer – Commerce Bank

Brian Turney – Bever Dye, LC

Mindy Wagner – Coldwell Banker Plaza Real Estate

Tom Wagner – Emprise Bank

Pat Walden – Garden Plain State Bank

Ann Welborn – Rolph Literacy Academy

Sharon West – Coldwell Banker Plaza Real Estate

Jamie Wise – TkFast, Inc.