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Lincoln Rotary #14 meets every Tuesday at Noon, US Bank Building, Nebraska Club, 233 S. 13th St. 20th Floor.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 23 — CRAIG PEARCE, "ETHICS"

Craig L. Pearce, Ph.D., is the Clifton Chair in Leadership and the Director of the Leadership Institute at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln. He has pioneered the development of shared leadership scholarship and practice. His work has appeared in top journals, is widely cited, has spawned countless doctoral dissertations across the globe, and has received widespread acclaim in the practitioner community — including a feature article in the *Wall Street Journal*. He has received many awards for his work including the Ascendant Scholar Award, the Asia Pacific HR Leadership Award and an award from the Center for Creative Leadership for his work on shared leadership. His book, *Shared Leadership: Reframing the Hows and Whys of Leadership*, is published by Sage Publications. His most recent book, *The Drucker Difference*, is published by McGraw-Hill. His forthcoming book, *Share the Lead*, will be published by Stanford University Press. He is an active keynote speaker and consultant to organizations — his clients have included such organizations as American Express, British Bakeries, the Central Intelligence Agency of the USA, Fujitsu, the Metropolitan Water District of Southern California, Nielsen, Panda Express, Rayovac, Rover Group, and Serono, among many others.



Craig Pearce

Join us on Tuesday, as he speaks on the second of Rotary's four *Objects*, "Ethics". If you aren't familiar with The Object of Rotary, it is printed on the outside back cover of your Directory.

Editor's Note: I will be out of the office until Thursday, February 25. Your President-Elect, Susan Stibal, and I will be attending the Rotary Large Club Conference in Birmingham, AL. I will not be checking email while I'm gone. If necessary, you can get a message to me by calling the office phone for instructions.

LAST WEEK

If you believe in that old saying that a picture is worth a thousand words, then you'll agree that it is difficult to adequately describe the presentation by David Dale, fellow Club #14 Rotarian. David shared how his love for photography began in his late teens, and how it's developed over the years since he opened his first studio at age 21. This reporter noted a couple of things during David's presentation. First, always have a camera with you. David shared some outstanding photos taken while on a bus in Denver, walking the streets of New York, and while lying in a hammock. Second, one way to build a successful business is by watching your finances and avoiding debt or at least keeping it at a minimum. Finally, a great way to grow a business is through connections . . . connections like we have in Rotary. Now, enough words...take a couple of minutes and drink in the delights at www.daviddalephoto.com

CLUB BUSINESS

Second Reading: Richard "Rich" Sincovec
with UNL Computer Science & Engineering Dept.
Education/Teacher - Post-secondary
Proposed by: **Chris Zygielbaum**

HISTORY COMMITTEE

All members who have worked on the History Committee during the past eight (8) years will meet on the lower level of the bank on Tuesday, March 2nd, immediately following our Rotary meeting. Questions, contact:

— Ginny Hand, 402 484 5334, dghand2@aol.com

Presiding: Dan Wherry	Song Leader: Mike Lindberg	Cashier: Keith Larsen	Reporter: Randy Bretz	Sgt.-at-Arms Finemaster: Doris Cook	
Secretary: Kiersten Hill	Program Host: Cathy Lang	Pianist: Mike Zeleny	Greeters: Chris Gorman, Walker Kennedy & Susan Stibal	Sgt.-at-Arms Set-up: Suzanne Sughroue, Cindy Miserez, Melanie Whittamore-Mantzios	
Birthday Books: Honoree	Book Title	Author	School	Donor	Birthday
David Dale	<i>Creature ABC</i>	Andrew Zuckerman	Brownell	Philip Heckman	2-Feb
David Dale	<i>Cheers, Chants, and Signs: Getting the Crowd Going</i>	Jen Jones	Calvert	Donald Kucera	9-Feb
Jody Emery	<i>Where the Red Fern Grows</i>	Wilson Rawls	Norwood Park	Doug Emery	18-Jan

CALENDAR

A complete calendar is available on our website –
www.rotary14.org

- February 21-24
- Rotary Large Club Conference, Birmingham Alabama, Stibal and Buckley attend
- February 23
- **Craig Pearce**, Director of the Leadership Institute at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, "Ethics"
 - High School Visitation, Mikaela Belfany, Lincoln Southwest, Host Mike Laughlin
 - World Understanding and Peace Day
 - Rotary International's 105th Birthday!
- February 24 & 25
- Serving at the Gathering Place
- February 25
- NEOS Meeting, Noon, Terrace Grille in the Cornhusker Marriott, Club Service, International Convention, Dan Wherry; Long Range Planning, Greg Gunderson; Interest Indicators, Susan Stibal
- March 2
- **Shane Lopez**, Gallup, "Hope For Our Future", Program Host Barbara Bartle
 - Celebrate March Birthdays
- March 9
- **Dan Marvin**, City of Lincoln, Haymarket Arena, Program Host Andy McDonald
 - TeamMates Minute, Cathy Hietbrink
 - Last Day to return Interest Indicators
- March 13 (Saturday)
- End Polio Now Day
- March 16
- **Ken Dick**, Polio, Program Host Jim Dyck
 - Red Badge to Blue Badge Ceremony
 - Lincoln South Rotary, Daffodil Days Delivery
- March 23
- **Larry Sternberg**, Talent +, Program Host David Dale
- March 30
- **Salute to Madonna Rehabilitation Hospital**, at The Cornhusker, 11:30 a.m. Cost \$25
- April 23-24
- **Rotary District Conference**, Embassy Suites, Old Market, Omaha

Other Lincoln Club Meetings:

Lincoln Sunrise Rotary meets on Tuesdays at 7:00 a.m. at IHOP Restaurant at 4501 N. 27th St.

Lincoln East Rotary meets on Wednesdays at 11:45 a.m. at Valentino's, 70th & Van Dorn

2/24 Jason Smith, *Effect of Nature on Kids*

Lincoln South Rotary meets on Fridays at Noon at The Knolls, 22nd & Old Cheney.

2/26 Dave Dietz, *NMPP Energy*

Visiting Rotarians and Guests:

Nicki Klein from Lincoln South.

Rich Sincovec, guest of Art Zyguelbaum.

Shawn Traudt, guest of Frosty Critchfield.

Tim Hess, guest of Alan Hersch.

Larry Puntoney, guest of Bill Waddell.

Morrie Enders, guest of Randy Hawthorne.

Herb Friedman, guest of Dan Friedman.

David Brown, guest of Mailani Veney.

PRESIDENT'S INTERNATIONAL TOAST

In keeping with one of our Rotary 14 goals this year, each week, we raise our glasses to toast another Rotary club somewhere in the world.

On February 16, we devoted our toast to the Rotary Club of Stonetown, Zanzibar for their work with the Migombani School attended by over 1000 Muslim children. This small club has had projects that have provided water, sanitation and desks to the school. Sharon and I visited the school two weeks ago and viewed the school where students had to sit on the floor for lack of desks. It's a story that we will tell later but our group was part of helping the Club raise funds to purchase the 175 desks so badly needed by the school. This small club is making a big impact on their community through *Service Above Self* from Rotary.

I would welcome your suggestions of clubs around the world that we could salute, giving us a way to reach out to other Rotarians and encourage them. Send your suggestions and reasons to me for consideration of a future toast.

— President Dan

NOTES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Congressman Jeff Fortenberry took advantage of Washington's snow storms to spend a few extra days in his district, and while he was in Lincoln, he caught up with Rotary 14 members. In his brief comments to the club, he shared three issues that are receiving most of his attention these days. First, he's working hard to help the government work its way out of the current significant deficit. Put another way, some tough appropriation decisions are on the table. Next Mr. Fortenberry expressed concern about the direction he sees the leadership taking in Iran. Finally, the Congressman challenged Rotary 14 members, and all people in his district to do their part to solve the healthcare issue by becoming more aware of our physical and mental wellness. The Congressman is especially interested in getting wellness programs out to small business and industry.

What's your **MII (Membership Interest Indicator)**? Is it having fun with kids during Boo at the Zoo? How about hosting young men and women from other countries? Maybe it's waving your arms around trying to lead the club members in a song. Or, if you've always wanted to be a stand-up comic, you might be a finemaster. Whether you want to be like Frosty and make sure everyone sees you or if you're like Pat Leach and looking for a quiet corner to read, we need you to contribute to Rotary 14 on two or three committees. The **MII** is attached to this newsletter and posted at www.rotary14.org. More information about each committee can be found in your directory. Check it out and then send your selections to:

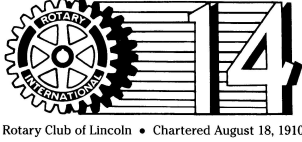
— Mary Buckley, PH/Fax: 402 796 2505, direx@inenbraska.com

Whether or not you speak Portuguese, we're looking for some folks to host a group of young men and women from Brazil. The Lincoln **Group Study Exchange (GSE)** Host Committee needs host families for the GSE Brazil team. Hosting a team member will include providing lodging for 3 nights, April 25-27, some meals and perhaps some transportation. We are especially reaching out to Rotarians who have not yet hosted a GSE team member for the opportunity to learn first-hand about one of The Rotary Foundation's premiere programs. The team consists of: Fabiane, GSE Team Leader, female - Medical worker in the dermatology field; Evelyn, female - Teacher; Eva, female - Teacher; Rodrigo, male - Government Worker; Rafael, male - Financial Analyst; Lidia, female - Embryologist. To show some Nebraska hospitality to a team member, contact, by February 26:

— Mailani Veney, 402 770 5120, mailani.veney@gmail.com

On Saturday March 13 from 10am - 4pm the **End Polio Now** effort of Rotary International and the Lincoln Area Polio Committee needs 45 volunteers for one hour shifts at 3 locations to represent Rotary, explain the final push, and to receive donations. Next week, Feb 23, there will be a signup sheet and master scheduling board, so please bring your calendars. You will be reminded that the Wall Street Journal has opined that Rotary should get the Nobel Peace Prize for leading the World's polio eradication effort. Besides donations and administering the immunizations, you too can be part of this grand Service Above Self by participating in this one hour effort. To volunteer, contact:

— Bruce Rippeteau, 402 580 0065, bruce.rippeteau@yahoo.com



Membership Interest Indicator



As a member of Club 14, your involvement in committees is CRITICAL. Your committee membership will:

- Make an impact on your community and world
- Expand your business network and friendships
- Enrich your Rotary experience
- Allow your large club to work efficiently and be fun.

We encourage EVERY ROTARIAN to sign up for 2-3 committees. Sign up for a new committee or stick with one you love. With more than 40 committees, there is something for everyone. Thank you for your time and commitment to our club. More information about each committee can be found in the directory.

Club Service

- Cashier
- Centennial Celebration (Jun 2010)
- Club #14 Information Services
to include subcommittees of:
- History
- Propeller
- Public Relations
- Website
- Club Recognition
to include subcommittees of:
- Awards Event (Jun 2011)
- Club #14 Rotarian of Year
- Miller Math Award
- Greeters
- "In the News" Finemaster
- Long Range Planning
- Membership Services
to include subcommittees of:
- Classification & Review
- Fellowship
- NEOS
- Orientation & Activation
- Participation & Retention
- Recruitment
- Music
- Programs
- Sgt. At Arms - Meeting Set-up

Community Service

- Auction (Oct 2010)
- Boo at the Zoo (Oct 2010)
- Centennial/Special Projects
- Gathering Place
- High School Services
to include subcommittees of:
- High School Schlsp (Mar 2011)
- High School Visitation/RYLEA
- Literacy/Birthday Books
- Literacy/Dictionary Prjt (Oct 2010)
- Project & Grant Evaluation
- Salvation Army BellRg (Dec 2010)
- TeamMates Mentoring

Vocational Service

- Business Networking (Oct 2010)
- Nebraskan of the Year (Jan 2011)
- Salute to Business (Mar 2011)

International Service

- Group Study Exchange (Apr 2011)
- International Student Services
to include subcommittees of:
- Ambassadorial Scholars
- In Bound Scholars
- Int'l Student Picnic (Aug 2010)
- Rotaract
- Rotary (Int'l) Foundation
- World Fellowship & Community Service
- Youth Exchange

Please contact me to help me select a committee.

Our goal is to have a 100% return rate. Return it today!

Name (please print)

Return by March 9, 2010 to Mary Buckley

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or give to Mary at the Tuesday meeting.