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

TUESDAY, JULY 22 — DAVE NUCKOLLS, “AN INSIDE LOOK AT THE OLYMPICS”

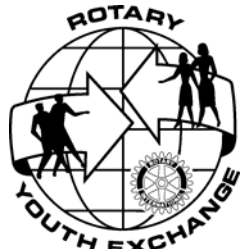
Join us on Tuesday, July 22, when Dave Nuckolls, who was recently nominated for four (4) Emmy Awards, and just completed his third Olympic project as Head of Production and Broadcasting for the 2014 Olympic Winter Games Ceremonies in Sochi, Russia, will be with us to provide “An Inside Look at the Olympics”.

Dave is a live show production executive, television producer and director with more than 25 years of experience. David spent 12 years at Disney producing live entertainment and special events before joining the ranks at CNN for 13 years as Senior Executive Producer where he was responsible for all special programming and created The Heroes Award Show. Nuckolls took a leave of absence from CNN in 2002 to serve as Video Director for the Olympic Winter Games in Salt Lake City. He video directed the medals ceremonies and headline concerts during 16 days of the Games. His work was seen on televisions around the world and on “The Tonight Show with Jay Leno”. He returned to that role for the Vancouver Games in 2010 where he video directed the Medals Ceremonies at the location in Whistler.



Dave Nuckolls

A native Nebraskan, Dave has been honored by the UNL Chancellor as a “Master”. His father was a longtime member of the Fairbury Rotary Club before he and Dave’s mother relocated to Lincoln. Dave was the beneficiary of being a Rotary Scholar and traveled to Germany for three weeks as a college freshman and brought back a student to live with his family for three weeks. Dave remains grateful to the Rotary Club for that opportunity!



PRESIDENT’S MESSAGE

Two of Rotary’s avenues of service are Youth and International. Rotary Youth Exchange fulfills both of these avenues of service. We have three Rotary Youth Exchange students coming in August: Yui Donoshiro from Japan, Luciana Vera Koch from Bolivia, and Peggy Chuang from Taiwan. We are always in need of host families. We try to have the students stay with three families throughout the year. We try to move them to the second and third host families at Thanksgiving and in February.

This is a great opportunity for you to form a lasting bond with the students you host. You can ask Mark McDonald, Matthew Scheef, Priscilla Henkelmann, Klaus Hartmann, Suzanne Sughroue, Erin Duggan Pemberton, Andy McDonald, Dan and Sharon Wherry, and Kathy Collingsworth about their experiences

hosting a youth exchange student and their ongoing relationship with the students they hosted. If you cannot host a student you may still meet Yui, Luciana, and Peggy at club meetings they attend; offer to take them to events in Lincoln; participate in the district interview process for outbound students in November; or serve as a tour guide during the same time for inbound students we are hosting while the outbound candidates are being interviewed. You can also volunteer to escort Yui, Luciana, and Peggy to overnights they have scheduled throughout the year in Sioux City, Grand Island, and Tulsa. You can let Nancy Bidrowski, Bob Rauner, and Mark McDonald know if you would like to help in any way.

— President Melanie

CLUB BUSINESS

First Reading: Tom Westfall
with The Nebraska Club
Classification: Hospitality/Club Management
Proposed by: **Jim Griesen**

Second Reading: Jessie “Jan” Brockley
Retired - Former Owner of Good Life Tour & Coach
Classification: Tourism/Tour Planning-Retired
Proposed by: **Kathy Stewart**

(Any objections to this proposal must be submitted in writing to the Board of Directors within seven (7) days.)

Club Service at our July 15 meeting:

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| Presiding: Melanie Whittamore-Mantzios | Program Host: Mark McDonald | Acting Secretary: Kiersten Hill | Song Leader: Tari Hendrickson | Pianist: Mike Lindberg |
| Registration & Cashier: John Gessert & Kris Rutford | Greeters: Nola Derby-Bennett, Mary Waring-Wiley, Molly Burns, Susan Dinsmore, Cathy Beecham | | Finemaster: Lowell Berg | Sgt.-at-Arms Set-up/Tear-down: John Fulwider & Colin McWilliams |
| Birthdays: Honoree Vice Admiral Thomas Copeman | Book Title <i>Kids’ Guide to Sign Language</i> | Author Kathryn Clay | School Lakeview | Donor Gary Harmon |
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CALENDAR

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

- July 22
- **David Nuckolls**, "An Inside Look at the Olympics", Allen Beermann Host
- July 23-24
- Serving at the Gathering Place, 4:45-6:00 pm, Contact Dean Settle, 402.202.7549, topcarf@aol.com
- July 25 (Friday)
- "Strike Out Polio" at the Lincoln Saltdogs Baseball Game, Ticket \$16, Contact Mike Wortman, 402.525.5483, mwortman@lps.org
- July 28
- Membership Recruitment Committee Meeting, 5:30 PM, Barrymore's, 134 N. 13th St., Sandi Fabry Chair
- July 29
- **Nick Bock**, Five Nines Technology Group, "Networking Lincoln", Matthew Scheef Host
- August 1
- Community Grant Application Deadline
- August 5
- **Regular Meeting**, speaker to be determined
- August 12
- **Buck Kiechel**, Kiechel Fine Art, Janet Danielson Host
- August 14
- NEOS Meeting, Noon, Nebraska Club, Community Service, Fundraising Event
- August 19
- **Ella Wirtz & Courtney Rodgers**, Boutique Window, Randy Bretz Host
- September 7 (Sunday)
- International Student Picnic – Antelope Park – 1:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. Contact Clay Naff, 402.310.0572, claynaff@gmail.com

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 7/23 Dan & George Blankenau, "Water & Health in Zambia"
- Lincoln South Rotary** meets on Fridays at Noon at The Knolls, 22nd & Old Cheney.
- 7/25 Jane Griffin, Executive Director, The Groundwater Foundation, "Why Do We Care About Groundwater?"

Visiting Rotarians and Guests:

- Tawnya Starr and Randy Fulwider**, guests of **John Fulwider**.
- Nate Lenz**, guest of **Roger Ludemann**.
- Aaron Hunter**, guest of **Kevin Thomas**.
- Dr. Dan Hohensee**, guest of **Wendy Van**.
- Angela Burns**, guest of **Rob Burns**.
- Stephanie Graves**, guest of **Melanie Whittamore-Mantzios**.
- Elizabeth Hoffman**, High School Scholarship recipient, and her mother, **Lisa Hoffman**, guests of **Eric Drumheller**.
- Nick Dean** from Boys and Girls Club, and **Nicole Juranek** from Heartland Big Brothers Big Sisters, Community Grant recipients and guests of **Randy Bretz**.
- LCDR Ferguson, PO Elliot, Alex Manikonian, Rick Chernitzer** and **Dusty Goode**, from the US Navy, guests of **Mark McDonald**.

NOTES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Boys and Girls Club Grant Recipient — Nick Dean, Executive Director of Boys and Girls Club, accepted our \$5,000 grant for 32 Project Learn Summer Program Scholarships. Through this program, youth continue learning throughout the summer months and improve their academic achievement, rather than experiencing learning losses. Many of the recipients of these scholarships are from families that have low household incomes, with very little disposable income. These scholarships relieve a tremendous financial burden.



Heartland Big Brothers Big Sisters Grant Recipient — Nicole Juranek, Director of Corporate Relations for Heartland Big Brothers Big Sisters accepted our grant for \$1,360 to cover the costs of four Project DISCOVER activities and opportunities to explore the arts. Through this project, the agency will provide individual and group mentoring activities that focus on helping youth to improve academically and socially, and to encourage their academic success especially in the areas of science, mathematics, engineering, arts and technology (STEM).

Personal Concern — Please keep **Becky Van de Bogart** in your thoughts as she undergoes surgery and chemotherapy over the next six months.

Rotary Reflections — Last week, **Dean Settle**, at the request of President Melanie, shared his story about volunteering at The Gathering Place, and how he got to this service project. You can read his complete remarks at: <http://www.rotary14.org/members-login/overview.html> Here are a few abbreviated excerpts:



Dean Settle

My journey involves two Midwest cities, two calls for action and two established viable programs addressing poverty.

I lived in Wichita, KS prior to moving to Lincoln. In Wichita my family attended a downtown parish in a neighborhood similar to the area south of the Capitol. The Episcopal Bishop of Kansas in 1975 challenged each parish to establish a sustainable project that provided a solution to poverty in our church's neighborhood... Three programs were opened and continue to this day, a soup kitchen, a day program for persons with mental illness that included a job development and placement service and third a representative payee service... My involvement was in helping plan, as a volunteer and a board member.

I moved to Lincoln in early 1989 and affiliated with St. Mark's Episcopal Church on Campus, 13 and R Streets and soon found myself volunteering the second Tuesday evening each month at The Gathering Place...

I joined Rotary #14 in 1994 at Rod Anderson's invitation and by 1996 two events framed the volunteer opportunity for Rotarians at The Gathering Place. The Gathering Place at this time was needing more and consistent volunteers to serve the homeless and hungry. And at the same time the Rotary International President asked each Rotary Club to address poverty in our community. A proposal was sent to the Rotary #14 Board to select The Gathering Place to be our club poverty project response... The third request presentation to the Rotary Board was very concise, no funds, only volunteers two or three evenings each month and it was approved.

Thank you Rotarians for your freely given volunteer hours to feed the guests at The Gathering Place...

We as Rotarians share common values - service above self - community service and in our volunteer effort with The Gathering Place we share a tenet with every major world religion - Feed the Hungry. Thank you.

— Dean Settle, Chair, Gathering Place Committee