

November 5, 2001

## ***THIS WEEK'S PROGRAM***

**Rotary Foundation – Bob Russell**

## ***NEXT WEEK'S PROGRAM***

**Veterans' Program**

### **Important Dates to Remember**

#### **Barcelona, Spain – Rotary International Conference**

- June 23-26, 2002

#### **International Goodwill Conference – Winnipeg, Manitoba**

- February 15-16-17, 2002

(Speaker: RI President Richard King)

### **November Birthdays**

Dick Dickinson	November 3
Pat Kelly	November 7
Karen Janov	November 9
Warren Larson	November 11
Curt Lundquist	November 17
Eric Hucke	November 30

### **District Conference Schedule**

District 5580 will hold its annual conference in Bismarck, ND on April 24, 25 and 26, 2002 at the Radison Inn. For further details, contact Duane Christiansen.

### **Jaycee Award**

Congratulations go to Rotarian Kristi Booth who was one of ten honorees to receive the Ten Outstanding Young Minnesotan Award for 2001 given by the Minnesota Jaycees at their recent state convention.

### **New Member Mini-Profile**

#### ***Rick Goeb***

Director of Athletics, Bemidji State University

*Originally from:* Anoka, MN

*Education:* Ph.D. University of North Dakota – 1995

*His Work:* Oversight and leadership for coaches, administration, staff and student athletes

*Family:* Wife – Carol (accountant) currently at home, Amber-3, Anna-2, and Jorden-6 months.

*Other:* Enjoys volunteering to work with charities.

### **GSE CANDIDATE**

Larry Young announced that we have submitted a candidate for the Group Study Exchange Team trip to South Korea in 2002. She is Jodi Nordlund, Food Service Director at Concordia Language Village. Those chosen to be members of the team will be announced in about a month.

The GSE Exchange has been one of the most successful ways to promote international understanding on a professional-to-professional basis. Former GSE team member to Sweden, Gary Johnson, says that the program “represents a fantastic opportunity to experience the culture, history, and life in another country.” Good luck goes to Jodi Nordlund in the competition.

### **On Leaving Early**

We know that at times your schedule may not permit you to stay for the program. However, we hope that you'll take the opportunity to exit at a time other than just before the speaker is introduced. It's a bit embarrassing to have a dozen or more people walk out just at that moment. Thanks for your attention to this little detail.

### **Worth Repeating**

“The volunteerism exemplified by Rotary is an engine for renewal and change in every society, and it is that same volunteer spirit, rooted in compassion and a profound sense of responsibility to our fellow human beings, that offers so much hope for our future.”

Carol Bellamy, Executive Director, UNICEF, in an address to the 2001 Rotary International Convention