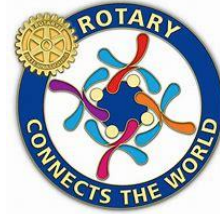




THE COG



A Monthly Publication of the Brookings Rotary Club

OCTOBER 2019

October Programs

Larry and Marcia Janssen -- Program Coordinators for October

Oct 1...Michael Gonda.....South Africa Culture/Ag trip by SDSU students
 Oct 8...Greg Wymer.....SDSU International Friendship Family Program
 Oct 15...Julie Walker.....New Zealand Culture/Ag trip by SDSU students
 Oct 22.. Don Norton.....SD Agriculture and Rural Leadership Program
 Oct 29 Jennifer Soma.....Club Assembly

OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS

3 Jesse Ronning
 4 Darrell DeBoer
 5 Dan Carlson
 13 Darla Biel
 19 James Johnson
 21 Nicole Rawden
 22 Della Tschetter
 23 Jennifer Soma
 27 Jennifer Olson
 30 Don Evenson

October Sergeant at Arms is the incredible Dr. Don Crowe!!

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE FOR OCTOBER

October!! My favorite month of the year! Why you ask? Well, it is my birthday month and even though it is towards the end of the month, I try to celebrate all month because, why not! I love everything about the month, volleyball season is half over, I love the change of colors and cooler nights. However, this last week has been a roller coaster of emotions for me. I went to my first funeral of a high school classmate. I wasn't ready for this and after seeing her family, especially her parents, I know they weren't either.

Remember, **Life** is too short. We must live each day as it could be our last. Enjoy each day is what I tell my family, friends, clients.....if not, we better change it because why are we doing something we don't enjoy. Forgive and love those around you, for today might be your last.

We have another great month of wonderful speakers lined up for you plus we have a Club Assembly scheduled for the 30th of October. We will be going over all the details of the upcoming 2020 Anniversary Celebrations for February and May with committees being formed to make each event successful. Please plan to attend those "extra" meetings and I hope many of you will be willing to help.

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- .. A thief who stole a calendar got twelve months.
- .. A dentist and a manicurist married. They fought tooth and nail.
- .. A bicycle can't stand alone; it's just two tired.
- .. He had a photographic memory which was never developed.
- .. When she saw her first strands of grey hair, she thought she'd dye.



October Anniversaries

07 Steve & Chris Sewell 15 Greg & Lora Fargen

OBVIOUSLY NOT A POPULAR MONTH FOR WEDDINGS!!

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October Service Anniversaries

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| 10-30-79 | Del Johnson | 40 yrs | 10-17-00 | Della Tschetter | 19 yrs |
| 10-01-87 | Larry Janssen | 32 yrs | 10-30-01 | Mildred Juel | 18 yrs |
| 10-27-98 | Craig Johnson | 21 yrs | 10-24-14 | Kaleb Hight | 5 yrs |
| 10-27-98 | Peggy Miller | 21 yrs | 10-04-16 | Jennifer Soma | 3 yrs |
| | | | 10-30-18 | Steve Sewell | 1 yr |



(President's message continued)

I am blessed that I do enjoy what I do every day. I say "Yes" to those things in my life, because they bring me joy. Always remember you are braver than you believe, stronger than you seem, smarter than you think and loved more than you know!

Blessings,
Jennifer

**Charter Members of the Brookings Rotary Club
1920**

- Arthur Stoll**, President, Physician and Surgeon
- Harry G. Riley**, Vice-President, Manager of Riley Lumber Yard
- Clyde G. Hinkley**, Secretary, Manager Nissen-Hinkley Company, Automotive Business
- Ivan L. Cobel**, Treasurer, Cashier at First National Bank
- Ed H. Beatty**, Director, Proprietor Beatty Jewelry
- Philo Hall**, Director, Hall and Purdy, Lawyers
- Ted C. Akin**, District Agent for Northwestern Life Insurance Company
- Earl Bartling**, Sellers and Bartling Furniture
- Ed Carlisle**, Manager, the Fraternity Company (Theatre)
- Fred Cole**, Cole Mercantile Company
- Paul Dutcher**, Register Publishing Company
- Bert Eastman**, Proprietor of the Leon Hotel
- Van Fishback**, Horace Fishback and Son, Investment Bankers
- Fred Heintz**, Brookings Hardware Company
- Willis E. Johnson**, President of South Dakota State College
- Clint D. Kendall**, Kendall Drug Company
- Tony Lentz**, Dentist
- Lew Martyn**, Williams Piano Company
- Reuben Mark**, A.M. Wold – Mark Construction Company
- Frank G. Neill**, Neill's Harness Store
- Ralph Rogers**, Gillespie and Rogers Shoe Store

The following Rotarians had perfect attendance in September

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| Darla Biel | Mylo Hellickson | Alan Rogers |
| Brad Blaha | Jim Johnson | Rod Schaefer |
| Steve Carnes | Gregg Jongeling | Jennifer Soma |
| Lewayne Erickson | Millie Juel | Toby Uecker |
| Jim Gilkerson | Dean Kattelmann | Cathy Voelzke |
| Alan Gregg | Doug Malo | Vern Voelzke |
| Lisa Hagar | Erich Olson | Rick Wahlstrom |
| Nadim Hassoun | Carol Peterson | Rich Widman |
| Ben Hauck | Nicole Rawden | |

October Meal Schedule (HyVee)

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| Oct 1..... | Baked Potato Bar |
| Oct 8..... | Turkey |
| Oct 15..... | 2 piece Chicken Dinner |
| Oct 22..... | Chinese |
| Oct 29..... | Lasagna |

