

# **ROTARY BULLETIN**

**July 21, 2011**

**“Reach Within To Embrace Humanity”**

**“Four Way Test – Is It The Truth? Is It Fair To All Concerned? Will It Bring Good Will And Better Friendships? Will It Be Beneficial To All Concerned?”**

**The VISION 2011 home is completed, and the Rotary Foundation Board asking price is still \$239,900. Trades people contributing to the house’s completion continue to suggest a value in excess of \$260,000. Please continue to promote the sale of the home in the community.**

**Sgt. at Arms – Gretchen Vickney  
Greeter – Dave Groves**

**HUHS Pickup – No high school pickup – Summer Vacation.**

**July Birthdays - 7/10 – Tom Black, 7/15 – Ed Heck, 7/16 – Laurie Barz.**

## **HIGHLIGHTS OF THE ROTARY MEETING**

**July 14, 2011**

**OPENING:** President Tom Doubleday called the meeting to order. Tom led the club in prayer followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag. Sgt. at Arms, Gretchen Vickney selected “My Darling Clementine” as the song of the day. Greeter, Dave Groves, welcomed John Spielmann’s grandchildren Ely and Zane from the state of Washington to our noon luncheon. The club also sang “Happy Birthday” to Ed Heck and Laurie Barz.

**STUDENTS OF THE MONTH:** None – Summer Vacation.

**EXCHANGE STUDENT REPORT:** Theresa will be heading back to Austria next week. She said that this year has been the best year of her life. She has learned a great deal about our American culture. She

really enjoyed her trips to Chicago, Michigan, Nevada, and Florida with her host families. However, the highlight of her year was attending an American high school and making great friends this past year. She also enjoyed the World Affairs Seminar held at Carroll College this summer. She thanked our club for providing her with this great experience. Tom presented Theresa with a gift from the club and thanked her for being our inbound exchange student this past year.

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

Please continue to sell your Packer Raffle tickets. If you need more tickets, contact Fred. The Packer Raffle drawing will take place at the August 4<sup>th</sup> meeting. Fred requested that each Rotarian put their name on the back of each ticket you sell.

Loni passed around a signup sheet for a Milwaukee Restaurant walking tour. The date is set for July 30<sup>th</sup>. She has also sent the information to you via e-mail. You must sign up by next week's meeting if you plan to attend.

Matt said the club made a profit of \$4,750 this year on the golf outing.

Dave Wolbrink reminded the membership that our club sponsors 6 scholarships to students in Guatemala. For \$130.00 per student, our club is really making a difference in their lives. Dave passed around copies of their report cards and printed data on the water project in Olivares, Guatemala.

Tom Doubleday read a thank you note from Dave Holzer for the Hartford Rotary Club's sponsorship for him to attend this year's World Affairs Seminar.

Laura, our new inbound exchange student from Denmark, will be arriving on August 18<sup>th</sup>.

Tom also reminded the membership that the Executive Board meeting would be held on Wednesday, July 20<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 am at the Hartford Savings Bank. All members are welcome to attend the meeting and receive a makeup.

**PROGRAM: No Program Today.**

**The winners of this week's birthday drawings were Peter Wilk and Dave Groves.**

**In the Ace of Hearts Raffle, Tom Doubleday had a chance to win \$74.00 but he drew the Eight of Diamonds instead.**

**Ed Heck reported that there were 14 Rotarians absent without prior makeup.**

**The Sgt. at Arms Gretchen Vickney collected \$32.00 in Happy/Sad fines from the membership today.**