

HARTFORD ROTARY BULLETIN

April 11, 2013

“Peace Through Service”

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

April Sgt. at Arms – Matt Schwechel

April Greeter – Paul Johnsen

HUHS Pickup – 4/4 – No School, 4/11 – Dale Anderson, 4/18 – Laurie Barz, 4/25 – Colleen Baus.

April Birthdays - 4/4 – Loretta Klassen, 4/10 – Tom Purman, 4/19 – Mike Mally.

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE ROTARY MEETING

April 4, 2013

OPENING: President Penny Jo called the meeting to order. Paul Johnsen led the club in prayer. Penny Jo then led the club in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag. Sgt. At Arms, Matt Schwechel, selected “Jingle Bells” as the song of the day. The club then sang “Happy Birthday” to Loretta Klassen. Congratulations Loretta!

GREETERS REPORT: June Ertenberg Iris Hulbert, Andrew Sarnow, Deb Reinbold, Tom Robbins, and John Lonergan as guests at today’s meeting.

STUDENTS OF THE MONTH: The April Students of the Month were not in attendance at today’s meeting due to spring break. They will attend their first meeting on April 11th.

EXCHANGE STUDENT REPORT: Marek is on vacation in Gulf Shores, Alabama so he was not in attendance at today’s meeting.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Plan to attend the 6270 District Conference at the Abbey Resort in Lake Geneva April 19 – 21.

Penny Jo thanked Dave Groves for running last week's meeting.

Penny Jo did the second reading for Brad Traver, from the Camera Case, as a new member to our club.

This year's golf outing fundraiser is scheduled for June 25th. Matt has received two suggestions for charities that would benefit from this fundraiser. The board will vote on the charity at the April 10th board meeting.

The April 11th club meeting will be held at the Schauer Arts and Activities Center as guests to see "Moscow Nights".

Angie Bingen and Colleen Baus are looking for host families for next year's exchange student. If interested in being a host family, please contact them.

If you know of any 17 to 19 year old students that might be interested in participating in boot camp in Bavaria July 13-27, please contact Angie Bingen.

PROGRAM: Peter Wilk presented a power point program on this year's medical mission to Guatemala. The Hartford Rotary Club is one of the founding clubs for this project. The majority of the people treated are from the Olivares region of Guatemala. The roads are very poor and there is a great deal of poverty in the region. Approximately 40 people make up the dental team. During the week, the dentists treat several thousand people. Pete said the clean water project sponsored by the Hartford club is having an effect on the health of the people in the community down there.

Tom Hostad was the lucky winner of this week's Birthday Raffle.

In the Ace of Hearts Raffle, Dale Anderson had a chance to win \$1,834.00 but he drew the Eight of Clubs instead. There is 1 cards left for next week's drawing.

Ron Schlitt reported 65% attendance of our active members and 73% attendance of our Rule of 85 members.

Sgt. At Arms, Matt Schwechel, collected \$20.00 in fines from the membership at today's meeting.