

HARTFORD ROTARY BULLETIN

June 13, 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?”

**June Sgt. at Arms – Betsy Wittenberger
June Greeter – Fred Wittenberger**

HUHS Pickup – None – Summer Vacation

June Birthdays - 6/9 – Brian Priestaf, 6/10 - Tom Hostad, 6/16 – Harriet Doerfert, 6/18 – June Ertenberg, 6/21 – Greg Ledesma, 6/24 – Bob Stumpner, 6/28 – Penny Jo Zagel, 6/30 – Dale Anderson.

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE ROTARY MEETING

June 6, 2013

OPENING: President Penny Jo called the meeting to order. Penny Jo then led the club in prayer followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag. Sgt. At Arms, Betsy Wittenberger, selected “Home on the Range” as the song of the day.

GREETERS REPORT: Fred Wittenberger introduced Iris Hulpert from the Slinger-Allenton Rotary Club, Melissa Ritger, and Noelle Braun and Phyllis Schaefer from Casa Guadalupe.

STUDENTS OF THE MONTH: Summer Vacation – no students were in attendance.

EXCHANGE STUDENT REPORT: Summer Vacation – no students were in attendance.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

The Vision home has tentatively been sold, with no apparent contingencies preventing a closing on June 28.

The Hartford Rotary Club Golf Outing fundraiser is scheduled for June 25th. Twelve additional golfers have been recruited for the event giving us a total of fifty, but 120 golfers are needed to reach our target. Additional door prizes and silent auction items are still needed.

The Chamber of Commerce Golf Outing will be held June 18th.

The Changing of the Guard luncheon will take place on June 27th during our regular club meeting.

Penny Jo did the first reading for Melissa Ritger as a potential member. If anyone has concerns about her membership, please let Penny Jo know about them in writing.

PROGRAM:

Noelle Braun spoke about Casa Guadalupe and Hispanics in the US and locally. The headquarters are in West Bend but Hartford has the largest number of Latinos in Washington County, and the largest number enrolled in Casa Guadalupe English classes. Casa Guadalupe offers five different services, including a summer Spanish program for English-speaking students. Their first Latin Fundraiser was May 19th. There are 52 million Hispanics in the U.S., almost 4000 in Washington County. The average age of Hispanics is 27, and 5.6% of Hartford elementary students are Latinos.

I did not receive the name of the person who won this week's birthday raffle.

I did not receive any information concerning the Ace of Hearts raffle.

Attendance: Ed Heck reported 71% attendance of our active members and 63% attendance for our Rule of 85 members.

Sgt. At Arms Report: Betsy Wittenberger reported that Nate Schlotthauer paid a happy fine for an upcoming second child in December, and Greg Ledesma paid a happy fine for being a first-time grandparent.

The original Rotary motto was “He profits most who serves best.”