

# **HARTFORD ROTARY BULLETIN**

**August 22, 2013**

**“Engage Rotary, Change Lives”**

**“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?”**

**August Sgt. at Arms – Lisa Olson  
August Greeter – Brenda Johnston**

**HUHS Pickup – None – Summer Vacation**

**August Birthdays - 8/2 – Tom Doubleday, 8/6 – Gene Wittenberger,  
8/8 – Jeff Millikin, 8/26 – Lisa Olson, 8/29 – Mark Smits.**

## **HIGHLIGHTS OF THE ROTARY MEETING**

**August 15, 2013**

**OPENING:** President Matt Schwechel called the meeting to order. Paul Johnsen led the club in prayer. Matt then led the club in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

**GREETERS REPORT:** Brenda Johnston introduced Margaret Smith and former member Tom Robbins as guests at today’s meeting. Tom started his new job in Iowa one year from today. He was in town to attend the Milwaukee Brewers baseball game Thursday evening. Doc Severinson and his band will be the opening act at the new Performing Arts Center at the University of Iowa – Dubuque.

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

**EXCHANGE STUDENT REPORT:** No report.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

**Matt thanked Ron Schlitt for running last week's club meeting.**

**Colleen Baus is still looking for a second host family for the second semester – January thru July 2014. Our new exchange student, David from France, will be arriving on Monday, August 26<sup>th</sup>. Colleen would like to have David attend the club meeting on August 29<sup>th</sup>.**

**Matt reported that 10 people attended the “Margarita Chat” at Casa Tequila on Wednesday, August 14<sup>th</sup>.**

**Members, who have ideas for groups and organizations that could benefit from some of the profits from this year's wine tasting fundraiser, should contact Janean Handel or Loni Jaeger.**

**The District website has the following Rotary events listed for August.**

- ❖ Golfer's Dream Raffle – Mitchell Field Rotary Club.**
- ❖ September 28, 2013 – West Bend Sunrise Rotary Club – The Amazing Sunrise Rotary Race.**

**The next Executive Board meeting will be held on Wednesday, August 21<sup>st</sup> at 7:00 AM at the Hartford Golf Club. All members are welcome to attend.**

**Matt gave a polio update of the reported cases for 2013. Pakistan - 18 cases, Afghanistan - 3 cases, Somalia – 45 cases, Nigeria – 35 cases, and Kenya – 7 cases.**

**PROGRAM: No Program.**

**Irene Parker was the lucky winner of this week's birthday raffle.**

**In the Ace of Hearts raffle, Tom Robbins had a chance to win \$370.00 but he drew the Two of Spades instead.**

**Attendance: Ron Schlitt reported 70% attendance for our active members and 60% attendance for our Rule of 85 members.**

**Sgt. At Arms Report: Laurie Barz collected \$26.00 in fines from the membership today.**