

# **HARTFORD ROTARY BULLETIN**

**November 21, 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?”**

**November Sgt. at Arms – Paul Johnsen  
November Greeter – Deb Reinbold**

**HUHS Pickup – 11/7 – Nate Schlotthauer, 11/14 – Mark Smits, 11/21 – John Spielmann, 11/28 – No School – Happy Thanksgiving.**

**November Birthdays - 11/3 – Irene Parker, 11/6 – John Spielmann, 11/11 – Betsy Wittenberger, 11/20 – Dane Schepp.**

## **HIGHLIGHTS OF THE ROTARY MEETING November 14, 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. The club sang “Happy Birthday” to Betsy Wittenberger. Congratulations Betsy!

**GREETERS REPORT:** Lisa Olson introduced our guest speakers, Jim Rice and Bill Meyer.

**STUDENTS OF THE MONTH:** Matt introduced Matt, Allison, and Hannah as Rotary Students of the Month for November. The students will give a brief speech about themselves at our November 21<sup>st</sup> club meeting.

**EXCHANGE STUDENT REPORT:** David saw his first snowfall in nine years on Monday. He is not use to the cold weather. His friends warned him that the worst is yet to come.

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

**Your help is needed on Saturday November 23<sup>rd</sup> and Sunday November 24<sup>th</sup> to finish set up for Enchantment in the Park. The work is not difficult. Work starts both days at 8:00 AM. Our club has made a commitment to help with this project. Any time you can spare on either day to help out would be greatly appreciated. Not too many of our club members have helped out thus far with the set up for this year's event.**

**A nomination meeting for next year's board will be held on November 21<sup>st</sup>. The election for next year's board will take place at the December 19<sup>th</sup> club meeting.**

**Loni and Janean announced that December 5<sup>th</sup> is the deadline for making donations to the Wine Tasting Baskets. Please turn in your donations to Loni or Janean as soon as possible. They sent e-mail to all members detailing the items needed for the baskets.**

**November 21<sup>st</sup> is the last day you can sign up for the club Christmas Party at the Ledesmas on December 7<sup>th</sup>.**

**Our club has committed to work at Enchantment in the Park on December 13<sup>th</sup> and December 27<sup>th</sup>. Please check your calendars to see if you can help out on those dates. Twelve to Fifteen people are needed to work at the event each evening.**

**PROGRAM: Jim Rice, former superintendent at Neosho School, and Bill Meyer spoke about the book Jim has written about the connection that exists between the New York Giants and the Green Bay Packers. Jim shared with the club the names of several famous Packers that came to Green Bay from the Giants. Vince Lombardi, Ray Nitschke, Frank Winters, Willie Wood, Bill Austin, Lionel Aldridge, Don Chandler, and Carl Hubbard are some of the people highlighted in his book. You can find out more information on the two books Jim has written on the subject on his website [Giantcheeseheads.com](http://Giantcheeseheads.com).**

**Dawn Mueller was the lucky winner of this week's birthday raffle.**

**In the Ace of Hearts Raffle, our exchange student David had a chance to win \$689.00 but he drew the Four of Clubs.**

**Attendance: Ed reported 13 members absent at today's meeting.**

**Sgt. At Arms Report: Paul Johnsen collected \$31.00 in fines from the membership at today's meeting.**