

HARTFORD ROTARY BULLETIN

May 28, 2015

“Light Up Rotary”

“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?”

**May Sgt. at Arms – Lisa Olson
May Greeter – Dane Schepp**

HUHS Pickup – 5/7 – Mike Mally, 5/14 – Jeff Millikin, 5/21 – Dawn Mueller, 5/28 – Tim Purman.

May Birthdays - 5/6 – Paul Johnsen, 5/12 – Brenda Johnston, 5/13 – Matt Schwechel, 5/27 – Doug Smith.

Ace of Hearts Raffle Volunteer Schedule – May – Ron Schlitt, June – Dane Schepp.

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE ROTARY MEETING

May 21, 2015

OPENING: President-Elect Lisa Olson called the meeting to order. Paul Johnsen led the club in prayer. Lisa then led the club in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag. In Dave’s absence, Lisa announced that it was “National Red Nose Day and One Day Without Shoes Day”.

GREETERS REPORT: Dane Schepp announced that there were no special guests in attendance at today’s meeting.

STUDENTS OF THE MONTH: Dave recognized Erin, Curtis, and Dayle our May Rotary Students of the Month. Elizabeth was not able to attend today’s meeting. Curtis, Dayle, and Erin gave a brief speech about their accomplishments and future plans.

Erin has been active in gymnastics, track and field, H-Club, FBLA and DECA at HUHS. She also volunteers her time teaching orchestra at Central Middle School. She plans to attend Savannah College of Art and Design in the fall to pursue a degree in Fashion Design.

Curtis is taking a very rigorous academic schedule with 5 AP classes. He has been active in track and field, the Model United Nations Club, the Math Team, and Band program at HUHS. Curtis has joined the U.S. Army Reserves and will be going through the basic training program in the fall. He would eventually like to attend West Point and pursue a military career. However, he plans to attend UW – Whitewater 2nd semester next year after finishing basic training.

Dayle has been active in the music program at HUHS. She is a member of the Color Guard, sings in the choir program, and plays clarinet in the band. She volunteers her time as a lector and directs the Children's Christmas Pageant at St. Lawrence Catholic Church. Dayle plans to attend St. Norbert's College in the fall to pursue a Business Degree. She hopes to one day open her own bakery.

EXCHANGE STUDENT REPORT: Maria was not able to attend today's meeting.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Lisa highlighted the upcoming programs and events for the club.

On May 28th, Laura Kregel will speak about the Girl Scout Gold Project.

The Hartford Rotary Club Foundation annual meeting will take place on June 18th immediately following the club meeting. The minutes from last year's meeting and the annual meeting agenda will be sent out via e-mail prior to the annual meeting on the 18th.

Our annual golf outing fundraiser will be held on June 23rd.

The Changing of the Guard luncheon will take place on June 25th.

Fred handed out Packer Raffle Tickets to sell. Start selling early!!! The drawing will take place on August 6th at our noon meeting.

PROGRAM: Lisa highlighted the key items discussed at Wednesday morning's board meeting.

- ❖ **The minutes and financials were approved as presented.**
- ❖ **The board discussed hiring a videographer to prepare a video about the Hartford Rotary club. No final decision was made at this time.**
- ❖ **The board tabled, until next month's meeting, the September 11th memorial request.**
- ❖ **The board approved an additional \$2 to cover the cost for the Changing of the Guard luncheon. Schwai's will cater a steak dinner that day for the luncheon on the 25th.**
- ❖ **Brad Traver said we still need golfers, donation items, hole sponsors and bottles of booze for the booze raffle at this year's golf outing fundraiser.**

Birthday Raffle – Colleen Baus was the lucky winner of this week's birthday raffle.

Ace of Hearts Raffle – Peter Wilk was the lucky winner of this week's drawing and had a chance to win \$100.50 but drew the Seven of Clubs instead.

Attendance: Janean Handel reported 3 members absent without prior makeup at today's meeting.

Sgt. At Arms Report: Mike Mally collected \$22.00 in fines at today's meeting.