

HARTFORD ROTARY BULLETIN

October 8, 2015

“Be A Gift To The World”

“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?”

**October Sgt. at Arms – Melissa Richards
October Greeter – Dale Anderson**

HUHS Pickup – 10/1 – Bob Stumpner, 10/8 – Mark Smits, 10/15 – Nate Schlotthauer, 10/22 – Deb Reinbold, 10/29 – Fred Wittenberger.

October Birthdays - None

OCTOBER PROGRAM ASSIGNMENTS – 10/1 - Tom Doubleday, 10/8 – Janean Handel, 10/15 – Club Meeting, 10/22 – Loni Jaeger, 10/29 – Paul Johnsen.

NOVEMBER PROGRAM ASSIGNMENTS – 11/5 – Jeff Millikin, 11/12 – Greg Ledesma, 11/19 – Club Meeting, 11/26 – Thanksgiving – No Meeting.

Ace of Hearts Raffle Volunteer Schedule –October – Ron Schlitt.

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE ROTARY MEETING

October 1, 2015

OPENING: President 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. The club sang “Happy Birthday” in honor of Peter Wilk. Congratulations Peter!

GREETERS REPORT: Dale Anderson introduced our October Students of the Month, Brad, Melissa, and Elisha. Dale also introduced our program speaker, Pam Tyrpstra from the Westphal Mansion.

STUDENTS OF THE MONTH: Brad, Melissa and Elisha were in attendance at today's meeting. They will give a brief speech about their interests and future plans at our October 15th club meeting.

EXCHANGE STUDENT REPORT:

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Lisa highlighted the upcoming programs and events for the club.

Lisa reminded club members to check the website for program assignments. You should also let Fred or Lisa know when you have finalized a program speaker so it can be put on the calendar of events.

Lisa recently spoke with David, a former exchange student from France. He is studying languages at the present time and everything is going well for him. He would like to come back to the United States in the next nine months and may stop by to visit us.

Lisa announced that this year's "Community U" would take place on October 5th at Hartford Union High School.

The October 8th program will be about the Life of Hope program.

Please plan to attend this year's Rotary District Fall Conference on October 10th. It will be held in West Bend at Moraine Park starting at 8:30 AM and will end at noon.

The October 22nd program will be about the Interfaith Care Givers program. Char Fate will be the speaker.

Our club will be hosting a dinner social and game night at the Chandelier Ballroom on October 31st. More details about the event will be coming out soon.

Fred Wittenberger is looking for volunteers to help him with the mega tree set up at Enchantment in the Park on October 24th. If interested in helping out, please contact Fred.

PROGRAM: Pam Tyrpstra presented a program on the Westphal Mansion located in downtown Hartford. The Westphal Mansion was built in 1913. Pam and her husband purchased the mansion 10 years ago. They lived on site for 8 months while the renovation took place. They now have 8 beautiful suites with private baths on site. They have tried to keep the décor of the home similar to the original mansion. People from all over the world have stayed there. In the evening, the people staying at the mansion can enjoy a wine a cheese tasting hour. A four-course breakfast is served in the morning. The room rates range from \$115 to \$245 for a night's stay. They have also hosted small weddings and business meetings at the mansion.

Birthday Raffle – Tom Doubleday was the lucky winner of this week's birthday raffle.

Ace of Hearts Raffle – Dave Wolbrink had a chance to win \$141.00 but drew the King of Hearts.

Attendance: Matt reported 6 members absent without prior make up at today's meeting.

Sgt. At Arms Report: Melissa Richards collected \$27.00 at today's meeting. Dale Anderson paid a Happy Fine and announced that he is a proud Great Grandpa. Congratulations Dale!