

HARTFORD ROTARY BULLETIN

June 2, 2016

“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?”

**June Sgt. at Arms – Irene Parker
June Greeter – Dave Groves**

HUHS Pickup –

**June Birthdays - 6/10 – Tom Hostad, 6/18 – June Ertenberg, 6/21–
Greg Ledesma, 6/24 – Bob Stumpner, 6/28 – Penny Jo Zagel, 6/30 – Dale
Anderson.**

**JUNE PROGRAM ASSIGNMENTS – 6/2 – Mark Wolbrink, 6/9 –
Penny Jo Zagel, 6/16 – Club Meeting, 6/23 – Ron Schlitt – Hartford
Rotary Foundation Annual Meeting, 6/30 – Changing of the Guard.**

Ace of Hearts Raffle Volunteer Schedule – May – TBA.

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE ROTARY MEETING

May 26, 2016

OPENING: President Lisa Olson called the meeting to order. Lisa led the club in prayer followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

GREETERS REPORT: Scott Moore introduced our Students of the Month, Leah, Meredith, Spencer, and Jacob and our Rotary Exchange Student, Tomas. He also introduced our program speaker Joshua Schoemann.

STUDENTS OF THE MONTH: Leah, Meredith, Spencer, and Jacob were in attendance at today's meeting.

EXCHANGE STUDENT REPORT: Tomas attended a bon fire on Saturday and ate six smores. He built a boat out of cardboard for his physics' class. The students will be floating their boats in the HUHS swimming pool later today. Tomas hopes his boat floats.

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.

John Barker will speak on entrepreneurship at our June 2nd club meeting.

Dale Stockhausen, from the Humane Society will be our guest speaker at our June 9th club meeting.

This year's Golf Outing fundraiser will be held on June 28th. To date, 28 foursomes are signed up for the event. They would like to have 32 foursomes. Please get your rosters turned in. A few hole sponsors are still needed. Each club member is also asked to contribute a bottle of good booze for the booze basket raffle.

The Hartford Rotary Foundation annual meeting will take place on June 23rd right after the general membership meeting. The agenda and the minutes from last year's annual meeting will be e-mailed to the membership the next few weeks.

The Changing of the Guard program will be held on June 30th.

The Love/Hate Project golf outing will be held at the Mayville Golf Course on June 4th.

The Boys and Girls Club of Washington County will be sponsoring a 5K Walk/Run on June 5th.

The Packer Raffle drawing tickets are being printed. The drawing will take place at our July 28th club meeting. So far only 28 Rotarians have picked up their tickets.

Lisa circulated a thank you note from HUHS Teacher of the Year, Katie Herrmann.

PROGRAM: Washington County Administrator, Joshua Schoemann gave a State of the County Address to the membership. The state tax freeze that has been in existence for many years has put a financial strain on local and county budgets. He highlighted several projects that the county is currently working on.

- ❖ **Broan manufacturing would like to expand their facility in Hartford. This may bring another 100 new jobs to the Hartford area. In order for this to happen, Broan would like to see a traffic reliever route to by pass downtown Hartford. Hopefully, this new route will be finalized in early fall.**
- ❖ **A new stage and new seating is being built at Fair Park. West Bend Mutual donated the money for this project. The project should be completed by the start of the County Fair.**
- ❖ **At the county level, priority based budgeting is being looked at.**

BIRTHDAY RAFFLE: May Student of the Month, Jacob, was the lucky winner of this week's raffle.

ATTENDANCE REPORT: There was a very low turnout at today's meeting.

SERGEANT AT ARMS REPORT: Gretchen Vickney collected \$5.00 at today's meeting.

BOOZE RAFFLE: Tom Hostad was the lucky winner of today's raffle.