

HARTFORD ROTARY BULLETIN

October 19, 2017

“Rotary: Making A Difference”

“Four Way Test – Is It The Truth? Is It Fair To All Concerned? Will It Build Goodwill And Better Friendships? Will It Be Beneficial To All Concerned?”

UPCOMING MEETING DATES:

New Meeting Location – Chandelier Ballroom

10/17 Hartford Rotary Board Meeting @11:00/Club Meeting at Noon. Student of the Month Speeches.

11/2 District Governor Jeff Reed will be visiting our club.

October Sgt. at Arms – Dawn Mueller

October Greeter – Loni Jaeger

October Long Putt Contest - Greg Ledesma

HUHS Pickup – Scott Helms

October Birthdays - NONE.

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE ROTARY MEETING

October 5, 2017

OPENING: President Peter Wilk called the meeting to order. Peter asked for a moment of silence to honor the shooting victims in Las Vegas. Peter then led the club in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

GREETERS REPORT: Loni Jaeger introduced our October Students of the Month, Bethany and Caden, and our exchange student Faza.

STUDENTS OF THE MONTH: Bethany and Caden will give a brief speech about their accomplishments and future plans at the October 17th club meeting.

EXCHANGE STUDENT REPORT: Faza did very well at the trap shooting outing held recently making 19 out of 25 shots. Dave Wolbrink presented a short safety talk before the event. Faza is making many new friends at HUHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Peter highlighted the upcoming programs and events for the club.

The next Board Meeting will be held on October 19th at 11:00 AM at the Chandelier Ballroom.

The nominating committee consisting of Mark Wolbrink, Ron Schlitt, Peter Wilk, and Greg Ledesma will be contacting the membership soon to organize the slate of officers for the 2018-19 Rotary board. President Elect Mark Wolbrink strongly urged the club to step up - and work together to fill the vice-president's positions for the next two years.

Loni informed the club that the China Lights photos can now be viewed on Facebook.

District Governor, Jeff Reed, will attending the November 2nd club meeting.

Erin Wilk informed the club that the "Pink Pumpkin Run" will take place on October 7th.

PROGRAM: Dave Groves and Erin Wilk gave classification speeches at today's club meeting.

Dave was born in Evansville, Kentucky. Dave's father was a minister. Dave and his wife Denise have two sons and a daughter and three grandchildren. Dave attended Liberty College and was on the football team. He started his police officer career by spending 2 years with the MPD District 6 office. He then worked in Oconomowoc before moving

to Hartford in 2006. He feels very lucky to work in the wonderful community of Hartford.

Erin Wilk was born in Brown Deer, WI. She is a graduate of Hartford Union High School and a former Rotary Student of the Month. After graduating from Bradley University, she pursued an acting career in New Jersey and formed a theatre group in New York City. Erin and her husband Eric moved back to the Hartford area in 2011. They have 2 daughters ages 7 and 3. After working for her father at Grand Avenue Dental for a few years, she transitioned into the marketing field. She now has her own marketing business “2 Right Hands”.

BIRTHDAY RAFFLE: Irene Parker was the lucky winner of today’s birthday raffle. Wine raffle winners included Penny Jo Zagel, Gretchen Vickney, and Colleen Baus. Beer raffle winners included Tom Doubleday, Dane Schepp, Matt Schwechel, and Dale Anderson.

ATTENDANCE REPORT: 22 members were present at today’s meeting.

SERGEANT AT ARMS REPORT: Dawn Mueller collected \$31.00 at today’s meeting.

GOLF PUTTING GAME OF SKILL: Dave Wolbrink had a chance to win money in the golf putting game of skill contest but he did not sink the putt.