

HARTFORD ROTARY BULLETIN

November 18, 2021

“Serve To Change Lives”

“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:

**11/18/21 Board Meeting @ 11:00 AM. Club Meeting @ Noon.
Student of the Month Speech**

12/2/21 Club Meeting @ Noon. Student of the Month speech.

**12/16/21 Board Meeting @ 11:00 AM. Club Meeting @ Noon.
Student of the Month Speech.**

Sgt at Arms Schedule - 2021-2022

November 2021 - Nate Schlotthauer

December 2021 - Jay Triick

January 2022 - Erin Wilk

February 2022 - Mark Wolbrink

March 2022 - Jeff Walters

April 2022 - Greg Ledesma

May 2022 - Mark Smits

June 2022 - Dave Wolbrink

Greeter Schedule-2021-2022

November 2021 - Dane Schepp

December 2021 - Greg Ledesma

January 2022 - Matt Schwechel

February 2022 - Tim Purman

March 2022 - Loni Jaeger

April 2022 - Penny Jo Zagel

May 2022 - Betsy Wittenberger

June 2022 - Tom Hostad

Program Speaker Responsibilities

11/18/21 - Tim Purman

12/2/21 - Ane Ohm

12/16/21 - Jim Bohn

1/6/22 - Dane Schepp

1/20/22 - Dana Osmanski

2/3/22 - Matt Schwechel

2/17/22 - Mary Brodzeller

3/3/22 - Nate Schlotthauer

3/17/22 - Tom Hostad

4/7/22 - Loni Jaeger

4/21/22 - Betsy Wittenberger

5/5/22 - Ron Schlitt (Teacher of the Year Luncheon)

5/19/22 - Dave Wolbrink

6/2/22 - Brian Fleming

6/16/22 - Dawn Bondhus

Chase the Ace Duties

November-December/2021 - Peter Wilk

January-February/2022 - Jim Bohn

March-April/2022 - Fred Wittenberger

May-June/2022 - Irene Parker

HUHS Pickup – Scott Helms

November Birthdays - Mark Lindborg, Irene Parker, Dane Schepp, Matt Shimon, John Spielmann, Steve Volkert, Betsy Wittenberger, Mark Wolbink

Please remember that during your birthday month you are expected to donate \$10 to the birthday raffle or provide a unique gift to be used for the raffle.

**HIGHLIGHTS OF THE ROTARY MEETING
November 4, 2021**

OPENING: President Mark Lindborg called the meeting to order. Mark then led the club in prayer followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag. Mark asked each Rotarian to place \$2 in the center of the table.

GREETERS REPORT: Dane Schepp introduced our program speaker James Schlieff and Students of the Month, Margaret and Kira.

STUDENTS OF THE MONTH: Margaret gave a brief talk about her accomplishments and future plans at today's meeting. Kira will give her speech at the November 18th club meeting.

Margaret is involved in the Fall Musical, Aviation Club, National Honors Society, SMART team (Students Modeling a Research Topic), 4-H, H-Club, Track and Field, and Archery. She received special recognition by being selected as a Global Youth Delegate for the World Food Prize and Borlaug Scholar. Margaret is a three year varsity cross country runner and also qualified for FBLA State in Broadcast Journalism.

Margaret has given back to her community by participating in community service activities through her church and Hartford Union High School's National Honor Society and H-Club. She also volunteers for the Special Olympics as a lifeguard.

Margaret has an acute interest in the science world and loves exploring proteins. She plans to study Human Factors Psychology, with a minor in aeronautical and aerospace engineering. Margaret is not sure which university she will attend, however, her dream school is Embry Riddle Aeronautical University.

EXCHANGE STUDENT REPORT:

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Mark highlighted the upcoming programs and events for the club.

Mark Lindborg announced that members should pick up their work t-shirts if they have not done so already.

Lori Ditter made a special presentation to Steve Volkert. Steve received the Hometown Heroes award in recognition for being a strong advocate for the City of Hartford. Steve's wife and children were also in attendance for the presentation. Congratulations Steve!!!

The Pints for Polio fundraiser held on October 24th was a success. The Pour House and Rustic Inn tied for first in pints sold. \$1,000 was raised by the pints sold at local pubs and the polio magnets sold by Fred Wittenberger. With the matching funds from the Gates Foundation, our total donation will be \$3,000.

Steve Volkert announced that today is the last day to turn in your soup orders. The goal is to make \$1,000 from the fundraiser. He also needs four people to help distribute the soup on November 11th. If you can help that day, please contact Steve.

The next Rotary board meeting is scheduled for November 18th at 11:00 AM. All interested members are welcome to attend.

PROGRAM: Erin Wilk introduced our program speaker James Schlieff. James is the former minister for the United Church of Christ in Slinger/Hartford. Before going into ministry, he served 8 years in the Navy and 28 years in Nuclear power. He spoke about programs to raise awareness about veterans suicide risks. James works with the Warriors Journey Home organization whose mission is to provide spiritual healing and soul repair from the invisible wounds for veterans, families and community. It takes a community to heal the invisible, moral injuries and wounds of war.

BIRTHDAY RAFFLE: Brian Fleming and Dane Schepp were the lucky winners of today's birthday raffle.

ATTENDANCE REPORT: There were 24 Rotarians, 2 students and 1 guests in attendance at today's meeting.

SERGEANT AT ARMS REPORT:

CHASE THE ACE OF SPADES RAFFLE: Steve Volkert won a lottery ticket and had a chance to win \$101.75 but he drew the King of Clubs.