



A Rotary Moment

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?

21 July, 2010

Meeting Time: 7:15 – 8:15 Location: Holiday Inn Express in Baxter

Welcome Guests: Hoot Gibson - Wadena

Craig gave an Arb update. Everything went well, thanks to those Rotarians who helped. Approximately 800 people attended. Craig makes the recommendation to continue to support the Arb. Reminder to Dave and Peter and mark they have a soup kitchen coming up.

Rotary Moment: None. Club Assembly.

Announcements:

- Check out the new web address and go in to update your profile.
- Peter discussed the Report of Action from RI, he will be asking for our input on some of the issues to see if it is appropriate for Rotary. Mostly regarding politics. They also want to add a 5th level of service and that is new generation just to help kids.

Program: Club Assembly

Kurt wants input from this club as to what we want to do, who is our club and what do we want. He stated that discussion was held at the board meeting that people joined our club to do service work, not to fundraise. We are a good club 27 members strong, but we are about 15-20 members strong when we fundraise. We have not grown as a club in membership. Kurt wants to set his focus on what we want to do as a club. Discussion regarding the budget was held. We need to figure out revenue vs. expenses what expenses can be eliminated if revenue falls short. Discussion was held regarding some members are considering leaving because they feel we are becoming more of a fundraising club vs. service. Shall we consider merging with another club? Can we be both a fundraising and a service organizations? Discussions were held and tables broke into small groups to discuss and recommend. We ran short of time and this will be brought back in an August meeting. Kurt may send out email for response that way. Respectfully submitted, Linda Dockter

Commitment Schedule

Program

July 28 – No idea

Greeter & Rotary Moment

July 28– no idea

Soup Kitchen – July 27

Dave Johnson

Peter Johnson

Mark Gray



Loch Lomond
Welcome new song
leader – Mark Gray



Club Members

Anne Archibald
P-Jim Beckmann *+
Tim Bergin +
Mike Cranny
P-Jody Crowe
P-Jim Dehen +
Linda Dockter B
P-Jeff Fox *+
P-Rory Fredstrom *+
P-Mark Gray *+
P-David Johnson +B
Peter Johnson +B
Paul Kath +B
P-Maureen Knight B
Craig Kochsiek +
Dennis Lang B
P-Greg Lange *+
P-Gary Lippo +
Cathy Meyer +B
Kurt Muesing
Jeff Olson +
P-Kevin Ruen +
Dan Ryan +
P-Steve Schaitberger *+
P-Brooke Silvernail *+B
Pat Smith +
P-Bob Verkennes +

* Charter Members
+ Paul Harris Fellows
P Past President
B Board Members

The Arboretum Country Picnic
Thank you Craig
for your work on this project.

Happy Fines

Sergeant at Arms Kevin R. Bob V and Peter J – Rabbit Lake. Rory Thanks Craig for a great job on the Arb. Cathy happy that her parents home may sell this week. Peter sad dollar as Bob V was drawn as his partner for fishing. Kurt will be gone next week, sons BB team plays in championship. Dan R for Peter and Bob if they win the tournament. Kevin gave Iowa a plug, benefit b ride, rode 33 miles He survived and was asked to do a play by play in his old stompin ground. Thank you Kevin R.

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