



The Cog
Rotary Club No. 3503
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Call to Order

Outgoing President Linda Vogel called the meeting to order for the last time. Kathy Sampson offered the invocation, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance. Kraig Noble led us in singing "Vive Le Rotary." We had one visitor today, Lisa Inskip, guest of Lorraine Fischio. There were no birthdays.

Happy Dollars

Robbie was happy to be our new president, Linda Vogel for a nice vacation out west and meeting fellow Rotarians at the St Louis Arch, and Marty Dodrill was excited for the Reds great west coast road trip. Linda Haines had three happy dollars,

thanking Linda for the past year, wishing Robbie well this coming year, and the upcoming event at K.C. Geiger Park. Ellen Hunter also had three happy dollars, one for receiving a birthday call from Kraig Noble, another for her recent trip to Kalahari, and one more for her son turning three this week. Mike Makley was happy for the St Marys Community Foundation annual meeting tonight and the grants and scholarships the foundation has been able to provide local students over the years, Lorraine Fischio for the "Run to the Moon" in Wapak, Jerry Skiver for St Marys Schools having all positions filled for the upcoming school year, Frank Platt for his two week trip to California, and Dan Burke for being able to follow his sis as our President Elect.

Fines

Jon Hall was our finer today. He fined Jim Heinrich and Marty Dodrill for not wearing their badges, and then fined Jim an extra 50 cents for arguing about it. Jon also fined Linda, Robbie, Kraig, Frank, Dan, and anyone wearing a suit and tie on such a nice day.

Announcements

We have two new proposed members: Shawn Brown and Phil Schumm.

There are still openings available on the Summerfest sign-up sheet.

Please pay your dues.....

Club Assembly

Jim Heinrich had the honor of introducing our President for 2012-2013, Robbie Burke. Our Directors for the coming year are Sergeant At Arms Pat Cogan, Vice President Gary Newton, President Elect Dan Burke, Dick Hudson, Beth Noneman, Kathy Sampson, Keith Fledderjohann, and three new Directors, Mark Ashman, Marty Dodrill, and Mick Teman.



Outgoing trustees Bob Leugers and Mike Makley were also recognized for their service over the last two years

Robbie announced "Peace through Service" is the Rotary International Theme for 2012. She was excited to share our club's theme "The More the Merrier." The "more" is referring to more attendance, more participation, and more membership. Robbie talked about what Rotary has meant to her over the years and the positive experience she has had being a member. Robbie would like to see our club have 10% growth in attendance and net one new member during her term as President.

Robbie presented Linda Vogel with a plaque honoring her service to the club as President last year.



Queen of Hearts

Kevin Harlan won the weekly drawing but found a joker and had to give \$5 of his winnings to Randy Elsass.

Upcoming Programs

- 7-18 Dr Chuck Ciampaglio
Selected Shark Fauna
- 7-25 Dan Uhlenhake- Ran
marathons in all 50 states
- 8-1 Mary Beth Torsell
American Cancer Society
- 8-8 Cheryl Bellamy &
Stephanie Hardin-Dog
Park Project

**Please note: All Rotarians scheduled to greet, please be in place by 11:30 a.m.*

The meeting was adjourned following the recitation of the Four Way Test of the Things We Think, Say or Do:

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?