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Rotary Roundup

December 19, 2016

Recap of December 12, 2016 Club Meeting

Robin Duthie called the meeting to order and lead us in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Invocation: Dave Keilitz

Guests: Guest today included Kyle Marsh-husband of Kate; Kayla Campbell-Krystal's daughter; and Diane Fleming-wife of Rich.

Greeters: Peggy Burke and Kathy Beebe

December Birthdays: Krystal Campbell-6th, Torrey Laffoon-7th, Kate Marsh-10th, Bruce Rohrer-11th, Bob Rulong-15th, and Danielle Petersen-21st.

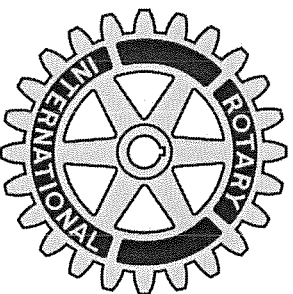
Announcements:

- Paul mentioned that Pure Isabella County Gift Boxes are \$35 and there is no limit as to how many we can sell. There are separate sheets for ordering and mailing. We have sold 230 so far. Available up to Dec. 20th.
- Bob Wheeler's retirement party will be held at Mercantile Bank on December 16th from 4-6. Everyone is invited to attend for cake and punch!
- Thank you note was read from Keith Feight, recipient of the Vocational Excellence Award.
- **THERE WILL BE NO ROTARY MEETINGS ON DECEMBER 26TH, 2016 AND JANUARY 2, 2017 DUE TO HOLIDAYS.**

Music: Kathy Beebe led us in "12 Days of Rotary" which seemed more like 24!



Rotary's Isabella County Gift Basket. Still available until 12/20/16



Election of new officers & directors took place with motion by Dave Kelitz and support by Ken Schaeffer to approve the following slate which passed unanimously.

President: Carol Santini
President Elect: Eric Noeker
Secretary: Amanda Schafer
Treasurer: Bob Wheeler
Club Service: Charley Kinzel
Vocational Service: Bethany Ervin
Community Service: David Nicholas
International Service: Paul Siers
Membership and PR: Jena Eisenberger
Foundation: Paula Arndt
Past President: Robin Duthie

Sergeant-at-Arms: Carol Santini

Naughty list: Sgt Carol presented her "Naughty" and "Nice" Lists

- Randy Dickenson was fined for talking too long at the Golden Apple presentation
 - Tom Olver was fined for his "huge" picture in the paper
 - Steven Pickens fined for his "wicked laugh"
 - Peggy Pickler for changing tables and therefore insulting fellow members
- Nice List:**
- Rich Fleming for putting up flags and banners & books at each club meeting
 - Amy Powell for her dedication to Art Reach and the community
 - Tom Miles for tirelessly setting up the programs each week
 - Don Hire for just being Don Hire

Brags:

- Connie Lynch bragged that her granddaughter is graduating from the University of Florida with honors.
- Ken Schaeffer attended the Golden Apple Award for Mrs. Biedenbender

- Don Hire reported on the \$300 grant the Woodworker club received from the Rotary Club. They used it to provide materials for 585 Cars and trucks (1033 total). Interact Club helped with painting them
- Peggy Burke told of little girl who got a doll bed made by the Woodworkers Club and was thrilled with it and was also hoping for a doll (but if not she was still happy with the bed). Over 800 people registered for Christmas Outreach this year.
- Amy Powell bragged about Art Reach programs during the holiday.
- Stephanie Hope told how Medlodge brought staff to Christmas Outreach and how it touched them.
- Forest & Linda Robinson attend the Chicago Company version of the new Alexander Hamilton production.

Program

The Newsletter editor got so caught up in playing games that he did not take notes, nor did anyone take pictures!

However, Eileen Jennings distributed cards for getting to know a fellow Rotarian by taking them to lunch.

Games were led by Kim Seidel with all participating and have a great time. Table centerpieces were won by Rotarians.