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ROTARY VOTARY

The Rotary Club of West Chester

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This Week's Program: January 15, 2004
Fruit Kick Off
Speaker: The Fruit Czar

Next Week's Program: January 22, 2004
Induction of New Members
Classification Talks
Arranged by: John Kehner

MINUTES by Fran Luft

The invocation was given by Bob Connolly. Deb Ellenberg had fellow Rotarians sing happy birthday to the following individuals: Steve Karp, Gary Hess, Lee McFadden, Annalie Lorgus, John Schwab, Linda Antonowich, and John Olszewski. Happy Birthday to each of you!

There were no visiting Rotarians. Our visitors included Ashley Hicks, Elizabeth Guman and Phoebe Kitson-Davis. Terry McGrath gave happy dollars for the eagles game. He is taking his daughter who is an avid Packers fan. Craig Kalemjian gave happy dollars in honor of his wife. Sue Casso gave happy dollars to congratulate Andrew Stump who is the new president of the Chamber of Commerce. Annalie Lorgus and Joe Polito each gave happy dollars to congratulate our new judge, John Hall and Cliff DeBaptiste gave happy dollars honoring Charlie Swope.

Announcements: John Schwab announced that the Rotarian of the month is Shannon Cassidy- congratulations. Bob Frame auctioned off four tickets for Sue Casso to a breakfast at her home this Saturday, former commissioner Colin Hanna is cooking. Carol Hanson and Scott Scrivner will enjoy a heaping stack of pancakes.

Carol Metzger has raised over \$1,400 for the project she is chairing.

The 50/50 was won by Irvie Hoffman. The new beneficiary for the 50/50 is Neighborhood Visiting Nurses Association.

SPEAKERS REVIEW by Craig Kalemjian

President Charles opened our Club Assembly which is designed as an educational meeting. We received a progress report (YTD) from the following Avenue Chairpersons:

- Club Service - Steve Quigley
- Rotarian Development - Carol Hanson
- International Service - Gary Hewitt
- Vocational Service - John Schwab
- Community Service - Joanne Tadeo

Each chairperson highlighted his or her respective Avenue responsibilities and year-to-date achievements as well as plans and objectives for the remainder of our Rotary year including a breakdown of each Avenue's committees, their chairmen and members.

For an in-depth review of these reports please see the Club Reports Summary found on pages 19-33 of the Annual Report.

IMPORTANT – The 2003-2004 Annual Report is outstanding in both organization and content. It also features an updated directory of members in the back. Thanks to everyone involved and keep up the good work.

ROTARY MAKE-UP FORM

After some tricky tweaking, the Rotary Make-up form has been connected to the Rotary Webpage.

Previously in that spot was a simple e-mail link. Thanks to the hard work and effort of new club member John Kurywchak, and some outside server relaying assistance from our friends at Triton Web Studio (www.tritionweb.com), the link opens up a form which e-mails directly to Asst. Secretary (Victoria). The form will not let the person submit it without all the fields completed.

There is a link to e-mail Victoria from within the form and to call up a printable copy for submitting in person.

DATES TO REMEMBER

January 22 Program Committee Meeting

ROTARY YOUTH LEADERSHIP AWARDS (RYLA)

Our club will sponsor 2 youths to attend the 2003 RYLA Conference to be held February 20, 21, 22, 2004. Registration forms and checks are due January 15. This can be a nomination from High Schools, Churches, BSA, etc.

The Leadership Development Committee from the Vocational Service Avenue is trying to select 2 youths to attend the RYLA Conference.

We would like to make our selection immediately following the 1st meeting back in 2004 January the 8th. Please give this nomination some thought and submit your choices either through email or mail.

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Mark Sammarone, Vice-Chair and Web site maintenance Committee Members: Jim Gasho, Craig Kalemjian, Steve Karp, Fran Luft, Eric Metzker, Cathy Palmquist, Joe Polito

NEW MEMBERS

The following persons have been proposed for membership and have indicated their desire to become members:

Charles Lyddane of Legg Mason Wood Walker - sponsored by Paul Woodruff; classification: Business Service/Investment.

Clinton Wiggins of Wiggins Payroll - sponsored by Irvie Hoffman; classification: Business Service/Payroll.

Elizabeth Guman of Learning & Vision Partners - sponsored by Michelle Venema; classification: Business Service/Learning & Vision.

Matthew Schwab of the Chester County Hospital Development Office - sponsored by Irvie Hoffman; classification: Organization/Development. Written objections must be received by the Club Secretary within three (3) days of this notice. Otherwise, a date will be set for their inductions.

ROTARY INFORMATION

From The Rotarian:

If we had stopped to apply the four way test, there would have been no Watergate.

-John Dean

EXCHANGE STUDENT

Sachie Koizumi, from Japan

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Robert Poole, III, M.D., P.D.G. 1980-1981