



Club of Lafayette, Indiana



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NO MEETING JULY 4th

PROGRAM FOR JULY 11:

Officer Transition and Rotarian of the Year
KIM MOTULIAK Girl Scouts: More than Cookies

MEETING FUNCTIONS FOR JULY 11:

Greeters: TIM LUZADER - 11:00
MIKE FRAMPTON - 11:30
Money Takers: TBA - 11:00
JULIE PAOLILLO - 11:30
Invocation: PHIL KLINGER

UPCOMING PROGRAMS:

July 18- Aces Power – Joe Motuliak
July 25 – Habitat Women Build -C’Koh Andrew
Ladies, please wear pink!
Aug 1 – LRC Foundation – BRIAN BITTNER and
WES MCDIVITT
Aug 8 – Feast of the Hunter’s Moon – Leslie Conwell

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- Pub Club will meet at Red Seven during June

-For a new project planned to help LTHC Homeless Services, please save your clean plastic grocery



bags. Bring them to Rotary meetings in JULY. We hope to collect lots of them! This photo shows a mat made of plarn (plastic yarn) to give you an idea of the purpose of collecting the bags.

- *Volunteer & Beer* event coming in July. Stay tuned for details.

-In August we will be helping Wabash River Cycle Club put on their annual bicycle ride. Our job is to serve lunch to the participants. This is an opportunity for service as well as publicity. We can get our club and mission and people in front of a different audience. This event typically has 300 riders.

PROGRAM:

BARB JOHNS, a member of the Monticello Rotary Club, shared about her experiences involving her son as an organ donor. Barb’s son Chad was 40 years old when he died in a motorcycle accident in 2012.



His injury was to his head, which meant that his organs could be used. Only 2% of people die of head trauma, allowing the possibility of organ donation. The family agreed to have this done and his corneas, kidneys, liver and pancreas were all given

to transplant recipients. The Indiana Organ Procurement Organization (IOPO) helped in the process after Chad was declared brain dead. The time frame for successful transplant operations is quite limited so multiple recipients were sent to hospitals to prepare for their surgeries before his procedure began. BARB knows about the progress of some of the recipients, thanks to IOPO. One patient was cured of his diabetes and another was able to go off of kidney dialysis treatments after a number of years. Courtney Tillotta is a social worker with Indiana Donor Network, the new name for IOPO, and she works to help donor families after the donation has occurred. There is a thirteen month bereavement program for the families that helps them deal with their grief. In addition to organ donation, it is possible to be a tissue donor at almost any age. To be sure that your wishes in this regard are carried out, the best thing to do is to talk openly with your family members who will be the ones making the decisions. Thanks to all those who already have identified themselves as organ donors.

VISITING ROTARIANS:

BERNIE GRASER from Monticello Rotary Club.

GUESTS:

Sean Branham, guest of GAIL BRICKLER.

JULY BIRTHDAYS:

DIMITROFF	JAMES	2-Jul
GALBRAITH	ROB	22-Jul
HINZE	WILLIAM	26-Jul
HUSTON	JON	25-Jul
HYCHKA	SUSAN	25-Jul
JOHANNSEN	CHRIS	24-Jul
KECK	CHRISTA	19-Jul
LEE	YOUNG	17-Jul
MCDIVITT	WESLEY	8-Jul
MILLER	WILLIAM	25-Jul
SCHWARZ	RICHARD	22-Jul
TROTT	JOHN O.	8-Jul
TURNER	JANE A.	20-Jul
WEAVER	LLOYD	20-Jul

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY:

From Theodore Roosevelt: "In any moment of decision, the best thing you can do is the right thing, the next best thing is the wrong thing, and the worst thing you can do is nothing."

WOMEN BUILD:

Here is a photo showing the progress on the Women Build House as of Thursday of last week. The house is located at 2303 Powderhouse Lane. Feel free to



drive by sometime to see the latest developments. The plan is that the house will be ready for interior painting by July 12th when our team will be doing the work.

THANKS TO THOSE WHO HELP WITH MEETING FUNCTIONS:

Greeters: GEORGE RAMSEY and GENE HILLS

Money Takers: CHIP RUTLEDGE and JOHN WILLIAMS

Music: HARRIET COPPOC and ARVID OLSON

Help with attendance and facilitating a smooth meeting: JO WADE, Webmaster: LARRY HUGGINS.