**Wednesday, July 17, 2024 7:00 a.m.**

*4th Creek Rotary of Statesville Meeting*

*Unity Center, 1145 Salisbury Road, Statesville, NC 28625, Pharr Room*

1. **Welcome/ Care/ Concerns/ Celebrations/ Moment of Silence/ Pledge of Allegiance (Donnie Haynes informed the club of the passing of George Caudle, former educator with the school system)**
2. **Prior Meeting Minutes (I need to get the prior meeting minutes from past president Marlene Scott)**
3. **Club Updates/Reminders:**
4. Results from the Fourth Creek Rotary Blood Drive that was held on July 10, 2024 @ Unity Center (Donnie Haynes reported that we collected 22 productive units. We serviced with 24.5 hours to our community)
5. Early recruiting for LLMGT (9/19/24): entry fee is $900 ($225 per person) for a team of four; to play with a Celebrity Golfer the fee is $1200; tournament is capped at 30 (120 players) teams; all entry fees must be paid before a team is officially entered into the tournament. (Chris Bates & Ken Davis provided an update to the club. We have gotten off to a great start, but we still have a great deal to do to meet our goal of $70,000.00) / Rick Morrison also provided an update on our donation to SEED of $4,000.00).
6. Fourth Creek Board of Directors meeting date and time: **7/23/24 @ 7:00 am or 7/24/24 @ 8:00 am,** at the Unity Center
7. **Club Presentation: Introduction by Richard Armstrong-** On July 17, 2024, we are honored to have Ms. Michele Knapp, Executive Director of Fifth Street Ministries. Ms. Knapp is a graduate of West Iredell High School and Mitchell Community College. She has worked with Fifth Street Ministries for over 25 years. She will be discussing “Tiny Homes” which is part of their veterans’ program. (Our club listened to a presentation given by Ms. Michele Knapp, Executive Director of Fifth Street Ministries. Club members also had the opportunity to ask questions following the presentation). Following the presentation Chris Bates made a request to have adult beverages donated by our members for the cooler at the Laura Laws Memorial Golf Tournament) I don’t sound good to you
8. **July 17, 2024, Meeting:** Our guest speaker will be Christopher Morini, a student at CCTL Early College. He will be discussing his high school capstone project. Thank you, Marlene Scott for securing our speaker!
9. **Closing 4-Way Test: Of the things we think, say, or do:**
* Is it the Truth?
* Is it FAIR to all concerned?
* Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
* Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

We dismissed at 7:53 am.