

The Spoke

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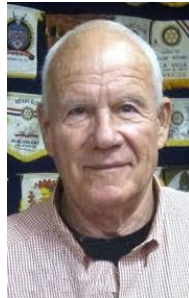
From the Editor's Desk:

It was a week to forget. We got slammed by the winds of Hurricane Isaias, and it appears that most of our members entered radio silence. Still 3 of us showed up to our virtual meeting, and we had a nice little chat—mostly about birds and animals. We all hope more of our member can come on line next week, but we can only hope. Be well, and stay safe.

Ralph

Tary's Rotary Minute:

In last week's Spoke I talked about recruiting new member and suggested that we look at some of the companies we deal with and determine if some of the owners would make good Rotarians. Try running through an inventory of your friends. Often friends may be contemplating joining a civic club, and we wouldn't know it if we didn't ask.



We need to emphasize that when you join any Rotary club, you can go to other clubs as a visitor and there are 1,200,000 Rotary members which makes a lot of potential friends, and customers worldwide. We should also check with past Rotary members and urge them to return to membership.

Sadly, Allison Fulton is being forced to resign from our Rotary club due to business commitments, and Frank and I feel that she is a perfect candidate to be an Honorary Member. Good idea? We think so. Stay safe and be well.

Tary

The Four Way Test
Rotary



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?

The Meeting was Virtual, but Most of our Members Appear to have lost their Power:

The meeting was brief. Only Bob Vetter, Marvin Paige and Ralph Welsh were able to check into the virtual luncheon. We hope next week is better. Happy "clean up," folks.

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No Spoke issues missed since 1/4/06

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Goodsell Hill Road, our road, in Redding. This suggests why so many missed the virtual luncheon. We are still on a generator, and can only leave our home via a one way street—the wrong way as it were. A large tree also took down all of the wires to our house. This Spoke was sent via I-Phone.

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More Caption Contest Entries: This is it, Folks--

-This is some great water I tell you *Frank Scahill* -A meeting of the minds. *Barry Rickert*
-I got pricked by my Rotary pin! *Wayne Curtis* -Don't be such a sissy. It's only your thumb. *Chris Curtis*- Andy, don't laugh so hard at Wayne's jokes. *Bonnie Kish*

-I can't believe Jim is telling that story again. *Frank Scahill*
-This is CT not FL!- *Fred Kayal*
-A meeting of the minds. *Barry Rickert*
-The fish was this big! *Wayne Curtis*
-*Jackie, I told you that fish was bigger than this. Bonnie Kish*
-Who are you kidding. *Chris Curtis* -You say what? *Delia Espinal*

-One half cup of hummus a day. *Frank Scahill*
-Did they really say that? *Wayne Curtis*
-I can't say anything funny; this is such a great pic. *Bonnie Kish*
-We met on the "Bachelor." *Chris Curtis* -Love. *Delia Espinal*

-Where is your pin? *Frank Scahill* -What? You don't have any cash? *Wayne Curtis*
-Best Sgt at Arms, ever. *Allison Fulton*
-Fred. You stole my seat. I never get to talk to Anita! *Bonnie Kish*
-That was not funny! You need to pay more. *Wayne Curtis*
-OK Fred. That's \$20 for no pin. *Unsigned* -You say what? *Delia Espinal*

-Are you thinking what I'm thinking? *Frank Scahill* -Did someone say ice cream sundae? *Wayne Curtis* -Tary. Help me stay awake. *Bonnie Kish*
-Don't look now. *Chris Curtis* -Who's that? *Delia Espinal*

-He always eats like that. *Frank Scahill*
-For all who skipped desert, eat your hearts out! *Wayne Curtis*
-Frank is dieting again. *Allison Fulton* Surprise! *Delia Espinal*
-Frank won the desert eating contest. *Bonnie Kish*
-Yahoo! i'll eat it all by myself. *Chris Curtis*

-Tim and Tary trying to catch up to Frank. *Frank Scahill*
-We'd better eat this quickly before our wives find out. *Wayne Curtis*.
-Board Meeting Sundae Challenge. *Allison Fulton*.
-Can you talk with your mouth full? *Bonnie Kish*
-First to barf wins. *Chris Curtis*

-Don't I look like Jack Nicholson? *Frank Scahill*
-Ah Hah! *Barry Rickert*
-Hey! Do I have tax deduction for you. *Wayne Curtis*
-I got a job for dentures. What do you think? *Bonnie Kish*
-I told you so! *Chris Curtis*

