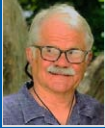


Rotary



Club of Williamston

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Speakers

November 05, 2024

[No Meeting - Election Day](#)

Be Sure to Vote!

November 12, 2024

[Murph Awards](#)
Students of Excellence Awards

10/29/24-Social Meeting at Zynda's

Williamston Rotary
Zynda's, 5:30pm
10-29-24

Attendance: George & Janet Eyster, Jim & Naomi Miller, Merlin Hopkins, Donna Crawford, Paul Tarr, Marv Zischke, Denise White, Sharon LaPointe, Narda Murphy, Jim Conroy, Raj Wiener, Wanda Bloomquist, Ray Lemmen, Earl & Deborah Wolf, & Todd Carlisle.

President Earl called the meeting to order at 5:37 PM

Pledge of Allegiance



Updates:

1. **Taste of Williamston**, Raj said that the net income was in the \$20,000 ballpark. Expenses might come in higher than profit.
1. **Nominations** -Their job is to put forth a slate of officers. Members are Merlin, Raj, Steve Terry, Keith Creagh, & Alexandria Fulton (Rodney Ray is replacing Steve Terry). Members were asked to indicate if they are interested in any office of the Rotary.
1. **Membership** – Members are Merlin, Paul, Monica, Sharon, Denise, Marv, and Carol Ray. They have assembled membership packets to be given to aspiring members. They are also printing out “Business Cards” to give to people to invite them to join Rotary. We write our name and phone number on the back. Also, the group is working on what mentoring new members will look like.
1. **Murphy Awards** – Nov. 12 at the WUMC Fellowship Hall. Get your reservation in ASAP for breakfast to Wanda so she can add the cost to your Rotary bill.
1. **Holiday Giving to Children** – Naomi presented details about how the program will work. We hope to help about 30 children with gifts. There will be a sign-up sheet at the Nov. 12 meeting. Gifts must be submitted by Dec 3. (Committee members are Naomi, Narda, Bob Stephenson (Jim & Wendy Carr help out)
1. **Rotary Board Recommendation** – To push the Rock ‘n Raffle date out until after the holidays. We have undertaken too much too fast this summer and fall.
1. **Wood Carving Preservation** - in McCormick Park Tomorrow at 10:00 AM. Volunteers will begin sealing the wood carvings. Help is needed!
1. **Fundraisers** - Monday, Nov. 4 –at Sunnyside and Culvers in Okemos. Attend if you can.
1. **Greens Sale** - The Red Cedar Garden Club is selling holiday greens. See Earl or Sharon for ordering.

**Happy Dollars all around.
4 – Way Test
Adjourned at 6:30 PM**

Thought for the Week

By Gene Klco on Monday, July 1, 2024

“The really happy person is the one who can enjoy the scenery even when he/she has to take a detour.”

Joke of the Week

By Gene Klco on Monday, July 1, 2024

I've been to a lot of places, but I've never been in Cahoots. Apparently you can't go alone, you have to be in Cahoots with someone. I've also never been in Cognito, either. I hear no one recognizes you there. I have, however been in Sane. They don't have an airport, you have to be driven there. I have made several trips.

October Birthdays

By Gene Klco on Friday, September 27, 2024

Wishes for a Happy Birthday in **October** go out to:

Norm Shinkle October 4

Monica Schafer October 27