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**THIS FRIDAY, JANUARY 19, ROTARY AT HAMILTON'S**  
**Program: Iris Dicks "The Amish"**

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**Workers this Friday:**

Greeters & Desk: Chris Lyons, Terry Dennison, Mike Schneider, Dick Rawlings  
Sgt. at Arms: Keith Lape Glenn Olinger Song Leader: ?? Recognitions: Carol Carl  
Invocation: Tony Williams Program Phyllis Lape

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**CLUB SOCIAL** (and birthday party for our youth exchange student) **THIS Friday evening**  
**January 19 at the Jumper's, 240 E. Vandalia, 5 TO 7pm**  
**PS – the committee is looking for others to host social's during the year, see Anne Jackson.**

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**NEEDED - Sponsors for the Jacksonville Rotary Bass Tournament** – If you are not yet on the list the committee needs to hear from you ASAP as sponsors will be listed on various promotional information for the event and the committee needs to get that material prepared. This being a major club fundraiser we certainly look for every Rotarians (and their business) support!

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**VALENTINES DINNER DANCE – GET YOUR RESERVATIONS - Friday evening**  
**February 9 at Hamiltons, Social starting at 6PM, Dinner at 6:30, and Dance to follow with**  
**Kevin Turner Trio (Ballroom dance) (you can come just for the social and dinner if you are**  
**not into dancing) Cost is \$25. per person. This is one of our major fundraising events so**  
**we very much need the support of EVERY MEMBER – either attending and hopefully**  
**getting your friends, family, etc to come or making a \$25 contribution. The way this is**  
**working this year, there are no tickets as such, so the committee needs payment to confirm**  
**reservations. Also this year their will not be assigned seating as in the past (that was**  
**always a hassle) instead it will be first come first seated, however a tables of eight can be**  
**reserved in advance.**

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## **LAST FRIDAY JANUARY 12**

President Kevin Heitz rang the bell to start the meeting. We were greeted by Kristen Heaton, Dave Fisher and Kurt Gwillim. Sharon Zuiderveld invoked. Fred Osburn led the singing and was accompanied by Sharon on piano.

There is a Ferris wheel committee/board meeting on January 24 at the Chamber at 4:30 to discuss Ferris wheel safety and maintenance with Patty Sullivan. Amanda Deady reminded us the Valentine's Dance is coming up quick, February 9. Please get your reservations in quickly to attend. If you are interested in hosting a club social please contact Anne Jackson to discuss it.

We had guests by the bushel basket. Jay Jamison visited from the Sunrise club. JB Meier was Alban's guest. Larry Ragel came with Chet Wynn. Helen Kuhn brought her dad Alex Cole and son Stephen. Glenn and Diana Olinger had the grandkids on Friday. Phil Whalen came with Lori Hall. David Albers was there with his dad, Craig. Axel Steuer brought Liz Tobin with him. Allen Stare brought daughter Jennie and exchange daughter from Taiwan, Annie Wu. The talented Esther Henning made it to the meeting. JHS Interact members Crystal Sherack, Lauren Van Hyning and Ian Van Hyning joined us.

Recognitions were led by Carol Carl. Dave Fisher and Rick Mogler collected the funds as Sergeant At Arms. Shawn McCombs' daughter placed second in a spelling bee at Eisenhower. Craig Albers' daughter did well at a recent swim meet. Fred Clinton announced there is a chili cook-off to support the Western Illinois Youth Camp. Judy Tighe announced there is a bridal expo coming up.

The program was a star-studded affair. We got to enjoy Bill Meier and Brad Zeller inform us of the good things going on in the county. Ron Tendick and Gordon Jumper were allowed to trumpet the positive in their respective burghs. Terry Dennison filled us in on the details of the economic development front.

Fred Clinton drew unsuccessfully for the 50/50.

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***See you at Rotary This Friday - Bring a Guest***

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