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THIS FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 10, ROTARY AT HAMILTON'S

Program: Our youth exchange student Esther Henning Germany, My Home

Workers this Friday:

Greeters: Helen Kuhn John Calise Mike Schneider
Sgt. at Arms: Tom Luber Kristen Heaton
Invocation: Tony Williams

Recognitions: Todd Evans
Song Leader: Tom Atkins
Program Chair: Jean Jumper

Membership Contest: 1. Truth Tellers 2. Beneficial Buddies 3. Goodwill Ambassadors 4. Fair Minded The deadline has been extended to Through November, or something along those lines. Please sit with your teams and come up with names for prospective new members. **THANKS!**

The Nominating Committee has been formed. Please consider if asked to serve on the board. Yes, we know you are busy. Everyone on the current board has absolutely nothing else going on, that is why they agreed to help. That is sarcasm for those that are slow on the uptake.

Club Social on November 17, 2006 at the Elks from 5 to 7. See more details below. **We need to know (by this Friday) if you plan to attend.** If you are willing to host a club social in 2007 please contact Kurt Gwillim or Anne Jackson.

Hats, gloves and mittens are needed for the students at Franklin Elementary. If you wish to give money that is also acceptable. Give supplies or money to Phyllis Lape.

Mike Ludvigsen reports that Fellow Rotarian Keith Toby was to undergo emergency surgery yesterday afternoon to remove his spleen. Please keep Keith and his wife Mary in your prayers.

From Kurt Gwillim

RE: November Club Social Arrangements

Date Friday November 17

Time 5:00 - 7:00

Location Elks Lodge - lower level

Food cold and hot snacks

Drink Cash Bar

Cost \$3/person or \$5/couple

That is about all that I can think of in terms of details. I will confirm with the lodge this week. IF we have a BIG number RSVP, I can talk more about food needs.

RSVP Please let either Kurt or myself know if you plan to attend or not (and how many).

ROTARY LAST FRIDAY

President Kevin Heitz rang the bell to begin the meeting on November 3, 2006. Libby Gaige and Helen Downey provided the greetings. Wally Jamison invoked. Tom Atkins led us in singing with John Kay providing the backup on piano.

Kevin congratulated the Cardinals on their World Series win. Fred Osburn and Helen Downey presented the club with flags from the Las Parejas and Rosario South clubs in Argentina. The Las Parejas club also presented us with a plaque to thank us for supporting the home for the disabled in their area.

There is a club social on Friday, November 17 at the Elks Lodge from five to seven. If you are willing to host a club social in 2007, please contact Kurt Gwillim or Anne Jackson. You can give hats, gloves, mittens or cash to Phyllis Lape for the kids at Franklin Elementary. Former member Aaron Legars has moved back to Jacksonville and rejoined the club. Visiting Rotarians were Brian Dickerson, Gaylon Martin and Dick Livingston from Springfield Sunrise. Jolene Dixon was the guest of Jan Williams. Craig Boyd was the guest of Kevin Heitz.

Todd Evans led Recognitions. Lori Hall and Kurt Gwillim as Sergeant-at-Arms assisted him. Kurt congratulated Kevin on finishing 8,023rd in the Chicago Marathon. That was out of 40,000 people. Jean Jumper told us Esther is trying out for the winter flag team. Craig Albers informed us the season has begun for the swim team at the YMCA.

Keith Lape gave the program on the Rotary Foundation. Keith gave us a quiz. He was willing to pay for lunch for anyone who aced the quiz. Later, he had to grade on a curve but still no one qualified for a free lunch.

Kelly Staake drew unsuccessfully for the 50/50.

See you at Rotary This Friday - Bring a Guest
