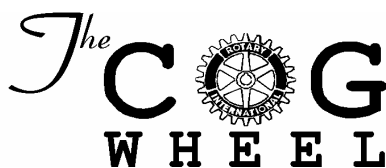


ROTARY 4-WAY TEST

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it build GOOD WILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?



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February 7, 2013

Mark Your Calendar

- Feb. 28 - Board Meeting at GW Hotel, 6 PM
- March 2 - Hands Against Hunger
- March 15-17 - District Conference at The Homestead
- March 23 - Kaleidoscope
- March 28 - Board Meeting at GW Hotel, 6 PM
- May 2 - Apple Blossom Queen's Dinner (no meeting)
- May 9 - Little Theater Night

Today's Program

Shenandoah University Baseball Preview by Coach Kevin Anderson. SU's baseball season starts on February 16th. Coach Anderson will give us a preview of the season. The excitement is high at SU as the Hornets look to build on their recent success in baseball. Coach Anderson will share his approach and reasons for that success.



Get in the Kick-line for Ole New York

Once again we are planning a NY bus trip to see a play, enjoy great company, experience fine cuisine, and shop/sightsee. Conrad is heading up the trip for November 15-17th. Please let him know if you would like to be placed on the reservation list.



Cost will be \$1300 for couples, and \$1000 for singles. This includes two nights at the newly renovated Park Central hotel, 2 tickets to the theater, travel and refreshments on the bus, and excellent camaraderie. If you are interested, contact Conrad for more details.



Shenandoah Valley DISCOVERY MUSEUM

Last Week's Program

We welcomed Mary Braun, Executive Director of the Shenandoah Valley Discovery Museum (SVDM), who shared with us the many exciting things that are going on at this community treasure. Mary joined the museum in the spring of 2012 and has been running 100 mph ever since. She came to our community with significant museum experience and degrees from the University of Pennsylvania, Brown and St. Thomas University. She started by saying that the Discovery Museum has three things in common with Winchester Rotary and our members. First, we were all children once and we learned through play. Second, our 4-Way Test is based on the same ethical principles as the Museum. And third, we share members – with many of our Rotarians serving on their Board.



Did you know that there are only 7 children's museums in Virginia and only 341 worldwide? Another surprising statistic is the largest group of visitors comes from Loudoun County, not Winchester. And, 26% of the visitors are from out of state. In 2012 the museum had 34,000 visitors, with students from 105 schools and 13 school districts. Another 14,600 students had museum experiences brought to them at their schools.

The SVDM, like most non-profits, is always in fundraising mode. Primarily this is because it costs approximately \$12 per person to visit the museum, but admission is only \$6. This difference has to be made up through fundraisers and grants. The SVDM plans to begin construction on its new space on West Cork Street in late March to early April with an early 2014 completion date. We are excited about the difference this organization makes in our community!!

Welcome New Member



President Darla inducted Karey Starnes who transferred from Bailey's Crossroads Rotary Club where she had served as club President. Please take a minute to introduce yourself to Karey and welcome her to our club.



Interact Club Members

District Conference.....The District Conference will be held March 15-17 at The Homestead. *All eight of our First-Timer spots have been filled!* There are currently 22 club members signed up (in addition to our Interact club members) to have some fun and learn more about Rotary International. Darla is compiling a list of those attending...*so please get on her list.* See Don Louque III, Dan Martin, Tootie Rinker, or Dave Smith if you need more information.

Need to make-up an absence? Check out these area club meetings:

- Clarke County - Wednesday Lunch - Episcopal Parish Hall - Noon
- Charles Town - Tuesday Lunch - Jefferson Hospital - 12:15 pm
- Frederick County - Tuesday Breakfast - Shenandoah Univ. Cafeteria - 7:30 am
- Front Royal - Friday Lunch - Houlihan's - Noon
- Hagerstown - Wednesday Lunch - Venice Inn - 12:15 pm
- Leesburg - Thursday Evening - Rivercreek Country Club - 6:30 pm
- Linden - Wednesday Breakfast, Apple House - 7:00 am

- New Market - Wednesday Lunch - The Shenvalle - 12:10 pm
- Purcellville - Thursday - Bethany United Methodist Church - 7:00 am
- Strasburg - Tuesday Noon - Strasburg Hotel - Noon
- Warrenton - Thursday Lunch - Fauquier Springs - 12:15 pm
- Winchester Latest - Tuesday Evening - Piccadilly Brew Pub - 6 pm
- Woodstock - Wednesday Lunch - Woodstock Moose Lodge - 12:05 pm

Absentees: 1/31/2012

Scott Arthur
Jackie Bates
Doug Bement
Jenny Brockwell
Bill Buettin
Tom Byrd
David Chandler
Marie DiLorenzo
Jeff Dodd

Rob Frogale
Dick Helm
Brooke Herndon
Jaime Karalis
Tom Maccubbin
Dennis McLoughlin
John Midolo
Kurt Nyberg
Court Pifer
Wilborn Roberson

Gene Schultz
Tas Schultz
Roy Schwarz
Irv Shendow
Jeannie Shiley
Don Stewart
Trish Stiles
Martin Tabaka
Ed White

Visitors and Guests Last Week

Karey Starnes (New Member) guest of Dan Martin
Neil Martin guest of Julia Connell
Lucile Myers guest of Michelle Harris
Mary Braun guest speaker

Kaleidoscope

This year's event will be held on Saturday, March 23 at the Shenandoah Valley Golf Club. The Handley Regional Library will benefit from the event's proceeds. Tickets are on sale now so save the date!

Rotary Hands Against Hunger

This year our Rotary Club and its Interact Clubs are teaming up in a different way to support the annual Hands Against Hunger project. The all day event will be held on Saturday, March 2nd at Handley High School. The Area I Rotarians will be working the event from 8:30 a.m. to 12 noon and the Interactors will be working from 12 noon to 3:30 p.m. Sign-up sheets will be passed around today.



Got "Junk?"

The trailer has been placed for the annual Rummage Sale. (It is at the same location as last year at Frogale Lumber.)



Let's help fill it NOW! The big event will be on June 8.

Last Week's Drawing

Congratulations to Don Jones for being the winner of the weekly raffle. He won \$14 but failed to draw the Ace of Spades for the jackpot. Today's winner has a chance at an \$86+ jackpot.



February 8th is Boy Scout Day

EVENT MAKE-UP SLIP

The Rotary Club of Winchester

Print Your Name: _____

Event Attended: _____

Date of Event: _____
Committee, Board, Community Event

Date of Missed Meeting: _____

(Turn in at Sergeant at Arms Desk)

Make-ups* (Date & Function Attended)

Cal Allen - 1/12 - Classification Mtg.
Erik Beatley - 1/24 - Board Mtg.
Phil Griffin - 1/24 - Board Mtg.
Sharen Gromling - 1/24 - Reporter
Sharen Gromling - 1/29 - eClub One
Bob Hall - 1/30 - eClub One
John Lamanna - 1/29 - Frederick County
Teri Lloyd - 1/24 - Board Mtg.
Alan McKay - 1/29 - Frederick County
Bob Mitchell - 1/23 - Clarke County
Irv Shendow - 1/29 - Frederick County
Patty Taylor - 1/22 - Frederick County
John Tyson - 1/20 - Orientation Mtg.
Dick Wiltshire - 1/23 - Kaleidoscope Mtg.

Turning in a Make-up?

Please make sure to complete all information, including your name, the event or club attended, date attended and date making-up on all make-cards and slips submitted. Make-ups can also be submitted online at winchesterr Rotary.com under Member Login.

Next Board Meeting

March 28

George Washington Hotel
6 PM

All are invited,

and it counts as a make-up!

Libba's Health Report

Libba updated us on a number of members/family that we need to keep in our thoughts and prayers. Jean Barch is finally off bed rest following her recent hip surgery and is hopeful to be back at Rotary today. Jeanne Shiley who is recovering from a nasty fall is also hoping to return today. Doug Bement's wife had surgery last Thursday. We will hopefully get a positive update from Libba today on her condition. Unfortunately, Tom Louthan has had to resign our club due to continuing health problems. Please continue to keep him and his family in your thoughts and prayers.

And now for another edition of **Lessons from Libba**: no matter what you call it - the flu, a virus, or use the specific name for the strain - the flu is nasty stuff. But according to Libba and her scientific research, the single most important defense



against the flu is hand washing. And how much hand washing should you do?? Well, continue to scrub those hands through two verses of *Happy Birthday to You*. Yes, that's right - sing it not once, but two times while you wash. Water bill may go up, but you might not get sick.....

And speaking of singing, our club had the honor of toasting long-time member, Hunter Gaunt with our own Happy Birthday rendition. We would have toasted you too Dick Helm if you had been there.



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