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LAST MEETING: 3-16-11

By: *John Chamberlin*

This is the St. Patrick's Day version of the Live Steam so hang with me a bit. Caveat: By the time you are done reading this, you will be TIRED of the Irish nuances used ad nauseum in this piece and glad they are gone for another 364 days.

Because the Rotary President was from Killarney, They say Linda Fischer was full of blarney. But the rest of the club Who went to the pub Said Linda was a fantastic PRESIDENT!

As you can tell, I am only HALF Irish since I couldn't finish the limerick. Here's the meeting recap.

Jim McHall and Richard McDixon led us in singing, "When Irish Eyes are Smiling" after Ralph Manning-Murphy performed the invocation. President Linda McFischer started the meeting noting a few upcoming dates and welcoming everyone as proud Rotarians with a global reach. She reminded us to be cognizant of what is taking place in Japan.

Sally McMizerak then talked about the Pittsburgh Pirates having their first 5K Run, April 9th. It would be great to have a Rotary group go given the support the Pirates lend toward our Tanner event.

Jack O'Miller then presented options for a Rotary Night at the Pirates. A fundraiser night, including going on the field for the National Anthem will be scheduled for a game in August. Details to follow.

Ben "Pot o' Gold" Luffey reminded everyone of upcoming Ethics Symposium. Signup sheets are available. Please find time to volunteer.

Secretary Jim "Shamrock" Ludwig took to the podium and then sent 3 honorary "Irish Joke Tellers" to the front do his dirty work. Each of these members presented Irish Jokes Ben Luffey-Quinn, Al McIvor (no adaptations needed) and Ray O'Ameli (you'll notice I CLEVERLY transposed the last letter of Ray's name to change his heritage from Italian to Irish).

A quick auction was done for an Irish flower basket sponsored by Ludwig's Blumengarten. Bob O'Fragass (same CLEVER name adaptation as Ray O'Ameli) purchased the basket and provided it to our guest speaker.

Ethan O'Nicholas presented today's 3-minutes of fame. He talked about how to build a \$250,000 business in 60 days via Facebook. The Pittsburgh Social Exchange increased membership from 60 to 500 members in the last 60 days. Ethan recom-

mended learning/adopting Facebook as business tool.

Richard McDixon then introduced our guest, Lourdes Sanchez Ridge, Senior Counsel with Thorp, Reed & Armstrong.

Ms Sanchez provides defense expertise in white collar crime cases. She first talked about her perspective on being a white-collar defense lawyer. Her perspective is unique. When she is asked, "How do you represent criminals?" she responds, "I don't. I represent the Constitution which protects individuals from the government." She compares the rights we have in the United States to the rights that DO NOT exist in her home country, Cuba, and believes these rights are special and should be strongly adhered to and defended.

She overviewed, "What to do when the Feds come knocking on your door?"

- White-collar crime is less the question of WHO committed the crime. It's more of WAS there a crime committed?
- She warned that, despite all of your personal and corporate best practices, all it takes is one phone call to a federal agency by a disgruntled current or former employee to start an investigation process that can be very disruptive to work and personal lives.
- How do you find out about an investigation?
 - Subpoena
 - Surprise visit at workplace
 - Surprise visit to an employee residence
 - Raid – surprise visit with firearms and multiple personnel
- Recommendation: Have a plan in place for how to react to these situations, just like your other emergency policies/procedures as opposed to a knee jerk reaction
- Call a lawyer first and be sure it's a lawyer who understands criminal law vs. civil law
- Do not destroy evidence or remove it. That is obstruction of justice which causes more problems
- You are not required to speak to federal agents. You can simply state that you would feel more comfortable talking to your legal advisor first
- If interviewed by federal agents, BE courteous!

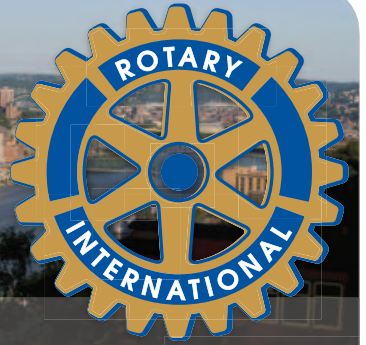
There were a number of question for Ms. Sanchez. We then ended the meeting to go forth in GREEN!

An Irish toast to close:
*Here's a wish for a day
that's lucky all through
from the likes o' me
to the likes o' you*

NEXT MEETING

Date: March 23, 2011
Speaker: Kurt Rankin
Title: Senior Economist
Organization: PNC Bank





It's a Great Day for Rotary!

UPCOMING EVENTS & MEETINGS

Event: Membership Committee Meeting
 Date: March 22nd
 Time: 4:30 – 5:30 pm
 Location: To Be Determined

Event: Board of Directors Meeting
 Date: March 23rd
 Time: 1:30 – 1:30 pm
 Location: Third Floor Conference Room

FUTURE PROGRAMS

WEDNESDAY MARCH 30TH

John Miller
 Project Coordinator
 Chronic Disease Self-Management Program
 Allegheny County Department of Human Services

WEDNESDAY APRIL 6TH

Chuck Tanner Event
 Kick-Off Meeting

WEDNESDAY APRIL 13TH

Myron Rickens
 Director; Prehospital Care Program
 UPMC

SAVE THE DATE
August 21, 2011

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ROTARY CLUB OF PITTSBURGH DAY AT PNC PARK

More details to follow

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June 3, 2011

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THE ROTARY CLUB OF PITTSBURGH'S CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION AT THE HEINZ HISTORY CENTER

More details to follow

CLUB BIRTHDAYS

Carole Horowitz . . . March 24th
 Robin Zoufalik . . . March 28th

CLUB ANNIVERSARIES

Butch Dillen 24 years
 Phyllis Comer 2 years

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