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Today I am thinking about this weekend. First I spent the day at the Lied center helping my wife Jenny with ArtVenture (a fund raiser for Girl Scouts). Besides being a cool fund raiser what I liked about it was that a number of students (native and international) graciously agreed to work at the event as volunteers.

They could have easily said no but six college students gave up their Saturday to help raise money for a worthy cause. This in spite of having to wear formal clothes. Later this same day the students and I, and some others were graciously hosted by a family from Pakistan. The family had invited some friends to a BBQ in honor of a Japanese professor/psychologist visiting the United States at UNC and lecturing for a week at SCC. It was a great multicultural evening. It was fantastic actually. The conversation ranged from a discussion of Russia and its neighbors to one about Pakistan's close historic relations with China. At one point we were comparing mass transportation in the United States, Pakistan and China. At another point we were discussing spices in various food dishes. Later we discussed family therapy and the needs of adolescents. It was surprising how similar family issues are across cultures. It was a great day. I felt blessed to be a part of both events. They each involved generosity on the part of a lot of people. Not everyone is predisposed to helping others or to experiencing novel stimuli (trying new things and meeting people). Although these events weren't Rotary events per se they typify the types of things Rotary does and actually there were a number of Rotary people involved in these events. Now (as I write) I am looking forward to our Rotary District 5650 Conference next weekend. Life could be worse! A lot worse!

Tom Cardwell

Visiting Rotarians and Guests

Guests— Our speaker Talal Raza

CLUB SERVICE TEAM ON DUTY

Joe Roberts
Bernie Poppe
Craig Madson
Jessica Kolterman



Lincoln South Rotary Clubrunner Links:

Meeting & speaker information:

<http://www.clubrunner.ca/CPrg/Home/speakers.asp?cid=6040>

Calendar of Events:

<http://www.clubrunner.ca/CPrg/Home/events.asp?cid=6040>

Future LSR Programs

5/6/11 NO MEETING AT THE KNOLLS— District Conference

5/13/11 NO MEETING AT THE KNOLLS— Lincoln South Rotary Golf Outing— The Highlands 12:30 Shotgun Start

Events & Projects

5/21/11-5/25/11 Rotary International Convention— New

Notes & Announcements

District Conference—Mark your calendars for the District Conference to be held May 6th and 7th at the Coco Key Water Resort at 72nd & Grover in Omaha. The major awards are presented on Saturday night. Friday lunch and Saturday night Lincoln South rotary will present a Paul Harris Fellow to the speakers. Remember there is NO MEETING AT THE KNOLLS on Friday the 6th.

Lincoln South Rotary 11th Annual Golf Outing— The golf outing is scheduled for Friday May 13th at the Highlands Golf course with a 12:30 shotgun start. Please contact Carl Zeutzus if you have any items for pin prizes and door prizes. Volunteers are also needed for the day of the event. If you can't participate in the golf portion, come on out and have dinner at about 5:00 pm. See page 4 for the signup form.

HAPPY DOLLARS (For Emergency Relief)

Nicki Klein, Jenny Cardwell, Joyce Schmeckle, Mary Simmons, Dean Heermann, Ardel Harger, Lance Odem, Bernie Poppe, and Craig Madson.



PLACES TO MAKE UP

Tuesday morning—Sunrise Rotary at International House of Pancakes at 4501 North 27th (27th and Superior Ave.) at 7:00 AM

Tuesday Noon— Lincoln #14-Nebraska Club at 13th & M.

Wednesday 11:45 a.m.—Lincoln East at Valentinos at 70th & Van Dorn

May Birthdays

Craig Madson
Phil Maddern
Short Heinrichs
Cathy Schultz
Mary Simmons
Jim Pattavina



PROGRAM

2010-2011 Club Goals

1. *Club Strength— Leave the club better than when I took office.*
2. *Club Growth— Attain and maintain membership of 55.*
3. *Support Polio Eradication.*
4. *Support critical project in one of 3 areas; Health & Hunger, Water or Literacy.*
5. *Maintain 100% sustaining membership in the Rotary Foundation.*
6. *Achieve the Presidential Citation*
7. **HAVE FUN!**

The speaker was Talal Raza form Lahore Pakistan. He is here on an a US State Dept. sponsored IREX Pakistan undergraduate fellowship. It is a competitive prestigious fellowship that he was awarded to study in the united States for 1 semester. He arrived in Nebraska in January and will go home on June 10th. His major is mass communications.

Pakistan is a rural country. The population is about 180 million people. It started as a country in 1947, and was formerly a British Colony. It was under British rule as a part of India from 1857 to 1947. Muhammed Ali Jihhah is the Founder of Pakistan. The flag is green and white. The

green represents the muslim population and the white represents the other minorities. Together it represents them all being on country. The crescent and the star on the flag are Muslim symbols.

The country exports products to India and China frequently and this is because of the relatively low cost of transport. The country, being 64 years old, was under a dictatorship for 33 years and under democracy for 31 years. The

people of the country do not seem to care which it is, as long as they have facilities available to them and things run smoothly.

The Government is a parliamentary form of government with a President and a Prime Minister. There is a National Assembly has 342 members and the Senate has 100 members. These two bodies make up the parliament.

There is a diversity between the North and the South parts of the Country. There are 60 or so languages, but Urdu is the official language. The food in Pakistan is spicy and they use

lots of oil. They have a lot of rice and wheat used, but little meat - especially pork, because of the Muslim law. In order to own alcohol you have to have a license. The religion is approximately 95% Muslim and the rest Christian, Hindu, and Buddhist. Approximately 60% of the population is associated with ag production in some way or another



**QUESTIONS?
COMMENTS?
ARTICLES?**

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Rotary is on the Web!

Rotary International— www.rotary.org
District 5650— www.rotarydistrict5650.org
Lincoln South Rotary—

<http://www.clubrunner.ca/CPrg/Home/homeS.asp?cid=6040>



2011 11th Annual Lincoln South Rotary 4-Player Golf Scramble

Golf Scramble

Proceeds Support the Lincoln South Rotary Foundation College Scholarship Program and Other
Community Service Projects.

What: **4-Player Team Scramble**
Play the best shot on each and every shot

When: **Friday, May 13th 12:30 p.m. Shotgun Start**
Dinner to follow around 5:30 p.m.

Where: **The Highlands Golf Course**
5501 NW 12th Street Lincoln 441-6081

Cost: **\$400.00 For Corporate-Sponsored Team***
 \$ 80.00 For Individual Participant
*Corporate Teams will receive a large sign on one hole and recognition
at the Awards Dinner & in our newsletter, The Sower.

Entry Fee **Golf, 1/2 Cart, Awards Dinner**
Includes: **Prizes to top teams, pin prizes, door prizes**

Please Mail Your Entry Form and Entry Fee made payable to Lincoln South Rotary by May 6th to:

Carl Zeutzius
Lincoln South Rotary Golf Scramble
7720 O'Rourke Dr.
Lincoln, NE 68516

PLAYER 1

Name: _____
Address: _____
City: _____
State: _____ Zip: _____
Tel#: _____
E-mail: _____

PLAYER 2

Name: _____
Address: _____
City: _____
State: _____ Zip: _____
Tel#: _____
E-mail: _____

PLAYER 3

Name: _____
Address: _____
City: _____
State: _____ Zip: _____
Tel#: _____
E-mail: _____

PLAYER 4

Name: _____
Address: _____
City: _____
State: _____ Zip: _____
Tel#: _____
E-mail: _____

TEAM CORPORATE SPONSOR: _____

(If Applicable)

Don't Miss Out on the Fun. Call or Mail Your Entry Today!!
If you have any questions, please call Carl Zeutzius at 434-7275 (D) or 770-7150 (E). Thank you.mail-
czeutzius@unicogroup.com