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WELCOME ALL!!

A group of 12 gathered at our regular meeting location, East Side Mario's. Our only guest was speaker Debra Beaupre.

President Doug asked Tom to lead us in toasts to the Queen, Canada and Rotary.

Regrets were received from Bill, Ken and Vic.

Our condolences go out to Vic and Joyce Vigna and their family. Vic's 100 year old mother passed away, thus he is in Sault Ste. Marie today for funeral arrangements etc.

Some *Happy Bucks....*\$20 from Don as they had a great canoe trip down the Spanish River..\$2 from Pat as her great grandson is going to be just fine after a bit of a scare following his birth..\$15

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Mary Margaret

thanking

guest Debra

from Lin as he had a birthday and \$3 from Colin as his group had a great bike ride. Tom brought in a box of *Happy Donuts* for all to enjoy.

Kevin introduced fellow Rotarian (London East RC) and guest speaker for the evening Debra Beaupre. Debra joined us to tell her personal story of her organ transplant and to encourage all to be a donor if you are so inclined to do so. Let you family know of your wishes. Debra's compelling story was fascinating and she wants to share her experience. Her situation was that she needed a kidney and after about two years a match was found! People she knew had chosen to be tested and were prepared to donate one of their kidneys if

Mark Your Calendar

Aug. 30	Ron YoungMedpoint
Sep. 06	
Sep. 13	
Sep. 20John Van LaarBacl	k to School Philippines Project

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the match was right, however it ended up that the kidney of a stranger was 100% compatible. The whole experience was a roller coaster ride of emotion. Debra now is happy to go around telling of her experience and she did have organ donor information available for members to take. Mary Margaret thanked Debra and presented her with a Polio Plus certificate of donation.

The draw was won by Pat and she kindly donated it to Debra who will in turn donate it to someone who will enjoy the vintage.

Next week we welcome Ron Young from the Medpoint organization.

Rotary Projects Around the World

Brazil

The Rotary Club of Mandaguary teamed up with first responders and staged a mock traffic disaster and presented 18 hourlong lectures to about 2000 children and young adults to reinforce the importance of road safety. The crash simulation aimed for realism with firefighters and paramedics assembling to treat "injured" pedestrians and extinguish a vehicle fire triggered by an ersatz motorist driven to mock mayhem by the distraction of a cellphone. After the reenactment club members distributed pamphlets on safe driving and referred educational games on the matter.



Some Golf Cartoons

Golf is an endless

series of tragedies

obscured by the

occasional miracle

lowed by a good c





AUGUST SET UP TEAM

Bill, Dennis & Ken

SEPTEMBER SET UP TEAM

Margaret, Peter and Andy

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