Rotary Re-wine meeting notes 8/4/16

Attendees: Orville Crain, Jan Mink, Kevin Ricco & Esther Ricco

The meeting started off with a recap of the lunch meeting. Orville attended the lunch meeting and shared the following:

- He was impressed with what Josh said about the Four Way Test. Do you live your personal life like this? Gave everyone something to really think about. The group agreed that Josh has done a great job since assuming the presidency.
- Talked about the Sappi site announcement and how it will benefit the community. Orville described how they plan to take the smokestacks down at Sappi. Interesting process.
- Program today was about Consumers Energy. Talked about 3 plants that were closing, one being the Cobb plant. By the end of next year it will be taken down. They are considering selling it as is. As long as Consumers owns it they don't have to address the environmental issues. If they sell they do.

Next topic was discussion on the evening event. The following changes were made/discussed:

- Date changed to Nov. 3 and location is the Holiday Inn.
- The flyer was tweaked. Rotary emblem on the flyer next to bill gates picture is the old rotary emblem. Esther will try and figure out where she found that picture and let Orville know if it was on the International Rotary website. Esther to make suggested changes and send to members for a final review.
- Orville is going to ask the recruitment committee to be at the event.
- Members should wear their badges.
- Attendees should be invited to the lunch meeting. Orville will watch for new people and sponsor them so they can attend the lunch meeting (for no charge).
- Confirmed with Holiday Inn that it was OK to bring pizza in from Teddy Spaghetti
- Jan has volunteered to bring the paper products, plates, napkins
- Esther & Kevin agreed to bring knives & forks
- Orville will be the contact on the flyer.
- Keep flyer at 8 ½ x 11 size.
- Post on rotary website, Facebook, send to community contacts.
- Ask Holiday Inn about pitchers of water (instead of bottled). Kevin will ask Doug.
- Cans of soda and bottled water? Can we bring those in for the event?
- Take donations for the hand pedaled wheelchairs. Need donation jars and picture of the wheelchairs next to the donation jars.

Meeting adjourned at 6:30pm

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