



Bartlett Rotary Club Meeting Minutes August 1, 2024

- I. Pledge of Allegiance**
- II. 4 Way Test**
- III. Prayer/Inspiration**
- IV. Guests**

Mitch Davis

Ellen Odom

- V. Make Ups**

None

- VI. Lunch**

Salad, Hamburgers, Fries. What's your favorite Rotary Lunch? Email suzie.sias@gmail.com

- VII. Speakers – Mitch Davis and Ellen Odom, Director of LEAP Fox Valley**

Mitch Davis is a recent graduate of Bartlett High School on his way to Purdue. He is also our scholarship recipient from last school year. Ellen Odom is the Director of an organization called LEAP (Leadership, Education, Altruism, Philanthropy). LEAP is a local organization open to all High School students through an application and interview process. LEAP students meet monthly during the school year to accomplish three things. First, the students are taught real world financial skills like budgeting and money management. Second, the students take part in fundraising. Third, the students are taught the Grant Process whereby raised money subsequently is donated to local non-profit organizations. The non-profits apply for a LEAP grant and the LEAP students collectively decide who to award the grants, effectively distributing the money the LEAP students were able to raise. LEAP was founded by the founders of Pampered Chef who helps underwrite the program. It costs \$1,500 for LEAP student to complete the program, including the Grant Process.

Mitch asked our Club for a donation of \$1,500 to LEAP. This request will be added to our Board meeting agenda for next week.

VIII. President's Report

None

IX. Committee Reports

None

X. Sergeants - HAPPY DOLLARS!!

Who was listening: In what state did Kevin R's son play his baseball tournament and where was the Championship Game held? Email suzie.sias@gmail.com