

Meeting Date: Wednesday, June 14, 2017

Overall Comments:
? President Jodi Petrich called us to order with the Pledge of Allegiance, Dick Mosman provided the invocation and Meg Waterman led us in singing Happy Birthday as we have many birthdays this month.
President's Comments and General Meeting Announcements:
? June 27 Rotary After Dark will be offsite at New Horizons ? The Knicker Open is July 17 . A few of foursomes are still available to COL members at a discounted rate. ? Also on July 17 COL members are invited to the St. Paul Saints game
Vocational/Happy Bucks:
? Konome Wantanabe reflected on her Rotary Youth Exchange at COLRC ? Konome is from Sendai the capital city of Miyagi prefecture of Japan. This area was struck by the 2011 earthquake and tsunami. ? Konome appreciated the opportunity to observe different family structures and perspectives enabled by rotating host families periodically. ? Knomoe has one half year of high school to finish when she returns to Japan ? Highlights of Konome's time with COL Rotary included Skiing, Rotary District Conference, Timberwolves Basketball and Twins Baseball, an awesome scenic flight and the Rotary Country Fair.
Meeting Details:
? Peggy Quam Program Manager of Dunwoody YCAP presented. ? Cole Long a YCAP alum assisted Peggy by speaking about how YCAP exposed him to architecture a career he would not have had access to otherwise. Another alum talked about how the program made it possible for him to be the first in his family to go to college. ? YCAP is 6 weeks of classes and speakers during the summer for high school students that in addition to career exposure provides familiarity and a cohort of friends for those who go on to attend Dunwoody. ? Learn more at http://www.dunwoody.edu/ycap ? The next opportunity to volunteer for mock interviews will be April 12, 2018 . Peggy plans ahead!
Next Week's Program:
Nuria Rivera-Vandermyde, Deputy City Coordinator Jun 21, 2017 Minneapolis Minimum Wage Issue
The meeting was adjourned with a ring of the bell by Annalisa at 8:30am!
Reporter: Mark Labovitz