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1/24/13 Haine/Kain		1/24/13	Club Assembly
1/31/13 Kotun/T. Overbaugh	events.	1/31/13	Haine
2/7/13 B. Overbaugh/D. Overbaugh	events.	2/7/13	Club Assembly
2/14/13 Starkweather/VanDoren		2/14/13	Kain

The meeting was brought to order at 6:30. Guests were introduced and Happy Dollars were immediately told. All business will be discussed at next week's meeting. Peggy Haine introduced our guest speaker Thad DeMulder.

Thad was the youngest of 8 children and his sister, who was 12 years older than Thad, told him that when he became her age, he should be a Rotary Exchange Student and he kept that thought until he reached the age and did, indeed, become an Exchange Student and went to India. Thad was a participant in the first RYLA (Rotary Youth Leadership Awards) conference in 1983.

After graduating from Cornell's FALCON program, a full-year intensive language program in Japanese, and from a bachelor's degree program at SUNY Oneonta, he received an eighteen-month Paul Harris Graduate Scholarship to Japan, then remained in Japan, first as coordinator of international relations for Kagawa Prefecture, and then as executive director of that municipality's international exchange program, shepherding Japanese citizens to the U.S. as well as to Taiwan, Korea, and Thailand.

He returned to the U.S. and his family's real estate business, and is now vice president and general manager of RealtyUSA, New York's largest family-owned real estate company. He oversees 13 offices, 380 professionals and employees, and his teams did \$534 million in sales last year. In his free time, he travels the world. Thad shared some of the many pictures he took in his world travels.

He believes that every contact creates a positive or a negative impact.

Meeting adjourned.

### HAPPY DOLLARS



\$1 from Frank Zgola for his daughter, Margo, attending the meeting and thanks to Rotary for all that she has been able to accomplish.

## *\$1 from Zoren for surviving the Donner Party Death March in Tokyo.*

\$1 from Peggy Haine for having a new grandchild. \$1 from Joel Abrams for Margo being here. \$1 also from Joel Abrams for missing his 81<sup>st</sup> birthday with the club last week.

\$1 from Durand because he was glad to see Margo here.

*\$1 from Durand again for David Irish being here and his wife, Nancy was watching Martha so John Kotun could be with us.* 

\$1 from Margo for our club being so welcoming to her every time she visits.

> I have not failed. I've just found 10,000 ways that won't work.

> > Thomas Edison

#### Attendees for 1/17/13 Meeting

Joel Abrams, Scott Andrew, Mary Bouchard, Mike Brainard, Shelly Bullock, Zoren Bullock, Ben Curtis, Ben Guthrie, Peggy Haine, Cindy Kain, John Kotun, Durand VanDoren, Frank Zgola

Guests Thad DeMulder, our guest speaker, David Irish, Sue Henninger, reporter from the Tompkins Weekly and Margo Zgola, Frank Zgola's daughter and former Exchange Student

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Sunday, February 3, 2013 Super Bowl BBQ



Saturday, April 27, 2013 Big Friend/Little Friend BBQ



Friday, July 12, 2013 Annual Rotrary Golf Tournament

#### FOUR WAY TEST

- 1. Is it the truth?
- 2. Is it fair to all concerned?
- 3. Will it build goodwill and better friendships?
- 4. Will it be beneficial to all concerned?

# Our Exchange Students







