



The 4 Way Forum

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Rotary's Four Way Test

- Is it the **TRUTH**?
- Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
- Will it build **GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?
- Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?"

President: Eric Nissley
Invocation: Darrell Gerke

Guests: ShirleyB. Terenchin
 Cristine Maser, Lancaster-Hempfield

Attendance	Men	Women	Visitors
Present	18	6	1
% of Gender	64%	75%	

Happy Bucks:

Bill Hager: 1) Apology for calling Ed "Jim", 2) three Red Rose Running Club members survived the bombing in Boston, 3) [Bill was in the Newspaper, \[which you can read here\]](#). Lynette Trout promptly paid a \$20 happy bill to sponsor his article!



Tammy Bennawit: Daughter was safe about 20 blocks away from the Boston Marathon bombing.

Doug Herr: Polished his shoes in case there are more feet pictures in the newsletter.



Tom McDermott: Didn't see his photo in Newsletter last week.

Michele Weiss: Had a special bonding time with her daughter on a Sunday drive. They even stopped for ice cream!

Darrell Gerke: His son had qualified for the Boston Marathon, but had to withdraw. Darrell and his family would have been spectators at the finish line.

Jim Sheridan: Almost wore sneakers.

Scott Russell: Happy buck because... [Sorry, Scott. Editor brain lapse]

Announcements



Scott Russell and Ed Bednar reported that Shop for a Cause is coming down to the wire. Next week is final job Announcements. 40 booths, 37 sponsors. Ed is at lebednar@comcast.net



PASBO is sponsoring the **Joseph Kurjiaka Memorial Golf Outing** at Crossgates Golf Club on Friday May 17. Joe was a member and past president of the Rotary Club of Lancaster Hempfield. He passed away at age 47. [The brochure to sign up is here.](#)



EREY – Every Rotarian is asked Every Year to make a \$100 contribution to the Rotary Foundation. Our Rotary year runs thru 6/2013. If you have NOT made your contribution, make it now. Kathryn Pearce can take your contribution, or make it [online](#). our club # is 5348 district # 7390



The Lancaster Hempfield club will NOT be sponsoring a GSE reception this year. Evidently we did not have anyone on the GSE committee, so we can't have a reception. Bummer. Instead, we are invited to join the **Lancaster Club on Wednesday, May 8, 12 Noon, for a combined reception.**



Memorial Day Ceremony in Salunga. Sunday May 26 at noon. Kerry Johnson is setting it up, including a rehearsal. However, he will not be able to attend, and needs an MC from the club. Please volunteer or you will be volunteered by voice vote. If you are interested, contact Kerry at kerryajohn@aol.com, or call 538-2454. This is an important annual event organized by this club.

Rotary District 7390 Youth Talent Contest



The District is sponsoring a Youth Talent contest, to be held Saturday, May 17, 2013 at the Radisson Hotel Harrisburg. The deadline to enter the contest is May 1, 2013. (Only 40 spots!) [The registration form is HERE.](#)

Program:

Shirley Terenchin

Mourning Light Foundation

<http://mourninglightfoundation.org/>

On January 16, 2011 a tragedy occurred and four boys were taken unexpectedly in an automobile accident in Manheim, PA. Shirley is the mother of one of those boys.

This tragic accident was described in a [video on ESPN](#).

One of the mothers wrote:

"There have been many challenges and emotions that overwhelmed me since that day and I continued to feel lost. I missed him so much it created a lot of pain and lots of tears, with moments of horrible sorrow. The best way to honor him was to make the best of my life until the time we are together again both in spirit. As the days passed and I realized my son wasn't coming home I wanted to channel my negative energy and grief into something positive. As a result of this, I have come together with three other mothers to offer support and compassion to other families coping with their loss and who are struggling to rebuild their lives. We have dedicated ourselves to supporting families and educating teens. We believe going back to basics and educating our teens on the road and in our schools would decrease fatalities saving one life at a time. We support drivers education in our school systems and assist families with their needs if ever faced with a tragedy of losing a child."



They created the Mourning Light Foundation, which has two goals:

1) Supporting grieving families.

The group has supported over 30 local families so far. "The only person who has credibility to a parent who lost a child is another parent who lost a child."

2) Educating Teens about high risk behavior.

The leading cause of death for teenagers is car accidents, so Mourning Light is trying to fund Drivers Ed in schools,

There will be a 5k Run in August and a golf outing in September.

Members were moved by Shirley's quiet strength and deep courage. They honored her for the important work she is doing in our community.

Shirley said "The burden doesn't get lighter, but your strength grows."

Shirley Bucher Terenchin
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OUR CLUB GOALS FOR THIS YEAR

Increase membership by 6+
100% participation in Rotary Foundation giving
Become a Vibrant Club

There will be a brief **board meeting at 8:15 on 4/23** immediately following our regular club meeting.

The primary topic is to review and approve grants but we will also get an update on club finances and discuss any other topics that are brought up at that time.

At this point we have a grant request from the Lititz Club for up to \$2,000 to help purchase a vehicle for the Haitian Connection and a request from Brian Beddow for \$1,600 to purchase "CPR manikin sets" for the Boy Scout camps at Camp Mack and the Bashore Scout Reservation.

We also might have a couple of applications from HHS students to attend the RYLA event in June.

Member Advertisement:

(Your free ad can go here – email it to me at ajacobs@isaacsdeli.com. If I don't have a compromising photo of a club member for this section, I'll put in a club member's advertisement.)

Everyone gets a pass today.