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XENIA ROTARY CLUB

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Assignments for 12 July 2016

Greeter	Karl Colon
Vocational Speech	
Music	Greg Hebrank
Sarge	Steve Brodsky
Program Presenter	Charlie Davis
Program	Eric Partee, Little Miami Conservancy
Invocation	Dave Thompson

Quarterly Dues-Mailed

- Look for an email on from "Vicki Edem" in your inbox dated 4 April 16. Contact Diane Dixon if you have a problem with your bill

Club News and Announcements

Kevin Sonnycalb Memorial Fireworks



52-50 Winner
Shelly Bartik

Attendance Prize Winner



John LaRock

Remembered In Our Thoughts and Prayers

A Happy July Birthday wish to: John LeBlanc, Denny Morrison, Ed Mignery, Tony Sculimbrene, and Diane Dixon.

President-elect Sarah was filling in for President Neil. She thanked everyone for their help with the Kevin Sonnycalb Memorial Fireworks. Overall, the event was a great success. There were many positive comments from those in attendance. She asked the members to offer suggestions or comments about what to change for next year. She recognized the following sponsors for their support of the event.

- Kevin Sonnycalb Family
- Greene Memorial Hospital
- Stephan Family
- Key Bank
- Dodds Monument
- HIS Pharmacy
- Anderson Williamson Insurance
- John E and Betty Jo Meyer Family Foundation
- Collet Propane and Sealcoating
- HB Electric and Construction
- Montgomery Insurance and Investments
- CBIZ Accounting Tax and Advisory of Ohio
- McIlvaine Realty
- Greene County Board of Developmental Disabilities/Four Oaks
- Faith Community Church
- And....Xenia Rotary!

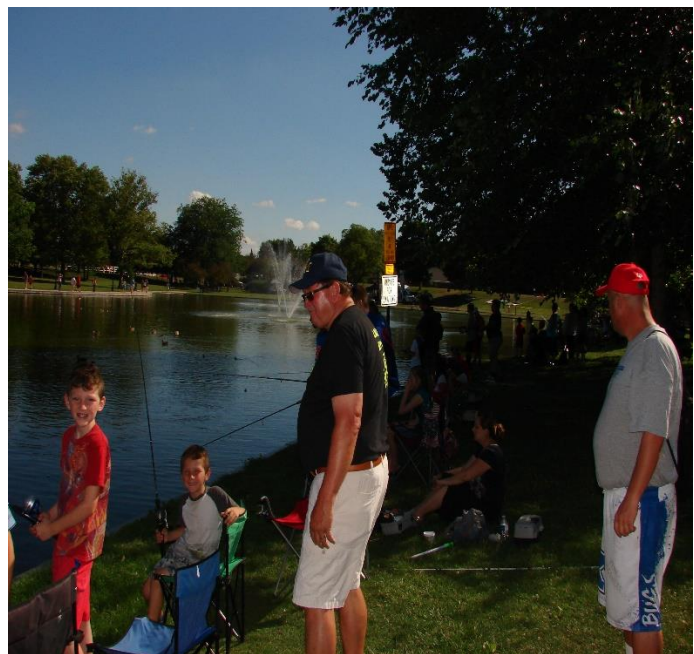
The City of Xenia did a great job again with Fire, Police, EMS and Public Service support. The Kevin Sonnycalb Memorial Fireworks depend a great deal on the City's support and it is truly appreciated.

Bob Geyer thanked everyone who helped with the selling of water, snacks and glow products. The Foundation made a profit of \$1,858.

Ed Mignery gave a report on the Fishing Derby. There were 102 participants ages 65 and younger.



A Successful Contestant



Keeping a Watchful Eye on the Participants



Rotarians (and a Spouse) At Work

There were 26 Chalk Drawing participants, with some great art work produced. And approximately 50 kids in the bike parade.

Sarge Steve



Orders and Fines for the Day

Sarge Steve recognized the Rotarians whose photos were in the Gazette as they featured the transition from last week's meeting. The Sarge was looking to fine a Rotarian from Cedarville U. for the nice story about the Carson Cook, Grace Norman and the school being recognized one of the 20 Best College Deals but there was no one present at today's meeting. The Sarge had some good trivia about Independence Day including the first year it was celebrated (1941), the first Independence Day party at the White House (1801), presidents born on the 4th of July (Coolidge) and presidents who died on the 4th (Jefferson, Adams and Monroe), original signers (56), US population when signed (2.5 Million) and hot dogs consumed on the 4th of July (150 million).

Happy Bucks

Brett was happy to see how his son and daughter helped out at the Fireworks. Sarah had a happy buck for Denny and Marsha and their super work on the Super Hero Bike Parade. Marsha had a buck for Sarah and the great work she did on the Fireworks. Joe Mullins was happy to be back at meetings. He had a very successful European Tour. He also had a very happy buck as his two kids paid for the dinner where he and his spouse celebrated their 29th wedding anniversary-a first! Sarge Steve closed Happy Bucks with one of his own for the City receiving Ohio Council of Community Development President's Award for One Bistro.

Program



Dr. Ed Council

Today's program was presented by Karl Colon

Dr. Council provided information to the club on the various changes that affect air quality inside buildings. The Ohio EPA has initiated a more conservative approach on the amount of Volatile Organic Compounds (VOCs) allowed to migrate into a building due to recent studies that show an elevated cancer risk to pregnant women exposed to chemicals like Trichlorethylene (TCE). As a result, a building owner who's property may be adjacent to an underground source of VOC's might be required to undertake steps to mitigate the impact of those chemicals coming into their buildings. Dr. Council provided some examples where adjacent sites are impacting properties. Investigation and cleanup can become very expensive and he offered some lower cost alternatives that he has developed and holds patents.

Thought for the Day

"The difficulty lies not so much in developing new ideas as in escaping from old ones." John Maynard Keynes

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