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Current Stats

November 2016

Membership: 94

Including
honorary members

Attendance Average: 67.46%

November 2016

Paul Harris Fellows: 46

2016 ANTICIPATOR

EDITORIAL BOARD

Trish Bishop-November
Cliff Seiler-December
Marianne Gabel-January
Michele Mercer-February
Alice Frazier-March
Ana Babiasz, Chair

February 6, 2017 Edition

Today's program: Delaware Police Chief Bruce Pijanowski and Rev. Tracey D. Sumner Sr., Second Baptist Church: "The Delaware Community Coalition"

Upcoming programs: February 13, 2017 Ferzan Ahmed, County Administrator
February 20, 2017 Susie Bibler, Main Street Delaware
February 27, 2017 Dr. David Harrison, President, Columbus State Community College

January 30, 2017 Meeting Notes

Invocation: George Alexander

Pledge: Judge Krueger

Visiting Rotarians: None

Guests: None

Make-Ups: President Shelia, Bethany Moore, Steve Hedge, Mike Dickey, Dennis Stapleton all made up for the missed meetings in Delaware

Meeting actions and announcements:

- Claire Jolliff, long-time "interim" treasurer, reviewed the finances for the first half of FY 2016-17 (through December 31, 2016), for both the Club, a 501c(4) entity, and the Delaware Rotary Foundation, a 501c(3). Accounts are at DCB and Fidelity Federal. Claire concluded that the club is in good financial shape. She noted that lunches are currently being billed at \$11.25, and that Rotary International and the district will be raising their dues by \$2. The Board will be addressing these items by June 30th to adjust for the next Rotary year.
Claire expressed appreciation to Mike Dickey, Barb Walters, Steve Martin and Fran Veverka ("for answers to any Rotary questions") for helping her move up after former treasurer Phil Packard died. Claire also announced that she will be stepping down on June 30 so that others can "share in the joy". A new treasurer will be needed. Claire offered her teaching and support to anyone taking the job.
- Cliff Seiler upgraded his Red Badge to a blue one.
- President Shelia expressed appreciation to Ana Babiasz for her hard work organizing the Anticipator volunteers, and emphasized that volunteers are needed this year.

Program Highlights:

Susan Hanson, a member of the Delaware Rotary Club from 2001-2014 and a past president, spoke about Helpline of Delaware and Morrow Counties. Its mission is to "connect people to knowledge, support and resources in order to build and restore healthy lives." Sue has been its executive director since 1997. Helpline was founded in 1970 as "Help Anonymous" by five women who decided support was needed for single pregnant women, but the issues of concern expanded quickly.

Helpline offers telephone and text crisis and support services to those who connect via its hotline 740.369.3316 or text "helpline" to 898211; community information and referrals (community and professionals can reach to locate services) at 211; preventive education (against bullying, suicide, violence); sexual assault response network (advocacy and support for victims at hospitals and at law enforcement sites); and volunteer recruitment. Helpline's resource database lists 3000 services in Delaware and Morrow Counties.

The hotline is open 24 hours, 365 days. Sue said that 35-40% of calls are about anxiety, depression and mental health but callers often have multiple issues.

For prevention education, Helpline staff goes to all middle and high schools in Delaware County. Students fill out a form which is a screen for suicide prevention. Part of the prevention education includes "bystander intervention".

Helpline has a PenPal program linking older adult volunteers and fifth graders who correspond, and meet at the end of the year. It is very popular.

“Every Rotarian, Every Year”

The Rotary Foundation (TRF) Sustaining Members for 2016 – 2017

Sustaining Members are those Rotarians donating \$100 or more to The Rotary Foundation (TRF) in fiscal year 2016-2017.

George Alexander	Gary Mittendorf
Ana Babiasz	Michele Mercer
Jim Ballinger	Bethany Moore
Ray Blinn	George Needham
Trish Bishop	Arlene Palenshus
Marlene Casini	Joe Pemberton
Don Chenoweth	Mary Jane Santos
Mike Dickey	Ken Spicer
John Donahue	Rex Sprague
Joe Evans	Brian Stanfill
Brandon Feller	Dean Stelzer
Jack Fling	John Tombarge
Alice Frazier	Fran Veverka
Marianne Gabel	Barb Walter
Bob Gaffey	Rex Welker
Larry Garrett	Bill Williams
David Gormley	Mike Williams
Rand Guebert	
Steve Hedge	
David Hejmanowski	
Shelia Hiddleson	
Jim Hoovler	
Bob Horrocks	
Dusty Hostutler	
Kip Krueger	
Deb Martin	
Steve Martin	
Rozella Miller	

Add your name to this list by making a \$100.00 donation to the Rotary Foundation.

Contribute now and make a difference around the world. Your contribution will be recognized above throughout Rotary Year 2016-2017.

Updates/Announcements

The next Board meeting will be on **Feb. 13**, not Feb. 20, due to Presidents’ Day.

Thank-you notes for the dictionaries from Carlisle Elementary and St. Mary were received and passed around.

Pieces of Eight Dean Stelzer won the cash but the white marble lay low again.

January Anticipator editor: Marianne Gabel. You can reach her at emgabel@gmail.com

Ana Babiasz is seeking editors for 2017. She can be reached at ababiasz@fidfedsl.com

Web site link: www.delawarerotary.org Check it out for club information and news.

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This is our club Foundation, used to local projects, groups, and organizations. These funds are contributed by you through our fundraisers, “Birthday Gifts,” and other fundraising activities such as fair ushering. *All donations to The Rotary Foundation and the Delaware Rotary Foundation are tax deductible.*



Rodent of the Week: The groundhog

Make Up Opportunities

- Tuesday
 7:30 am: Sunbury/Galena (Town Hall)
 Noon: Marion (Palace Theatre Pavilion)
 Noon: Upper Arlington (Scioto Country Club)
Wednesday
 7:15 am: Westerville Sunrise (Old Bag of Nails)
 Noon: Dublin/Worthington (La Scala Restaurant)

- Thursday
 7:30 am: Olentangy (Bridgewater Conference Center)
 Noon: Westerville (Villa Milano)
Friday
 7:30 am: Dublin A.M. (Muirfield Country Club)
 7:45 am: Lewis Center/Polaris (Conference Center at North Pointe)
 8:00 am: Union County/Marysville (Boston’s) - **2nd and 4th Fridays only**