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Current Stats

Aug '14

Membership 89+5 honorary
Attendance (Oct) 67.63%
Paul Harris Fellows 45

ANTICIPATOR EDITORIAL BOARD

Marianne Gabel, Dec
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Today's Meeting: Delaware City School Superintendent Paul Craft

George Alexander offered grace; Rex Sprague (it's good to have him back!) led the Pledge of Allegiance.

President Garrett announced Brian Stanfill had three make ups, and there were no other ones.

There were no visiting Rotarians or guests.

January 5, 2015: – Deb Swanger and Shannon Farley presented an informative and disturbing program on Human Trafficking (HT) in the US and in Delaware.

- Toledo is the biggest "hub" for human trafficking in the US.
- 1/3 of HT worldwide is in the US

Ohio is geographically ripe for HT because of its interstate system and proximity to cities where HT is in demand (NYC, Chicago, Washington, DC, Nashville, Louisville, Toronto, etc.)

- There have been 22 cases of HT in Delaware since April 2014 and the first arrest of a human trafficker occurred in 2014.

Farley suggested supporting the fight against HT falls well into Rotary's goals. Only one Rotary club she found is actively using its resource in the HT situation.

Future Meetings :

January 19, 2015 – Delaware Sheriff Russell Martin: Policing issues

January 26, 2015 – Heart of Ohio Homeless Shelter

Club Business and Announcements

Mike Miller gave an update on 12 Days. As a Club, we met our goal. He asked that members sit with their teams at today's meeting for special prizes and awards.

Marianne Gabel and Steve Wells were recognized for bringing in new members in 2014. **Steve Wells** received his blue badge.

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“Every Rotarian, Every Year”

*Sustaining Members are those Rotarians donating \$100 or more to The Rotary International Foundation (TRF) fiscal year, 2014-2015.



Kirt Trimble was sworn in as a club member, accompanied by his sponsor, Frank Reinhard. Welcome, Kirt!



12 Days of Christmas – The final ticket was drawn for the cash prize of \$1,000. Winner was Paul Pfeiffer. Congratulations, Paul!

Mike Miller -- As of Tuesday, December 16, Mike emailed the membership that after expenses it appears we will have netted about \$10,500. Thanks to all ticket sellers, and a huge thanks to Mike Miller and his committee!

Jim Frisch thanked the 10 Rotarians who turned out for the road cleanup. (Treasure haul was slim: one grubby dollar bill.)

Dean Fraker thanked the good turnout of Rotarians who assisted at the Holiday Clearing House. The event served 1200 children in 550 families.

Mary Jane Santos, club secretary, advises: Rotary International wants all Rotarians to be involved in their clubs. To promote involvement, when you participate in an activity (Holiday Clearinghouse, highway cleanup, fair ushering, committee meetings, board meetings, for example), you can use your participation as a make-up for a missed meeting. If you have a completed activity to report, or if you're unsure as to whether your engagement qualifies for a make-up, contact Secretary Mary Jane Santos at mjsantos@delawarelibrary.org.

Dee Ketterling is looking for help with the county high schools' Career Passport project.

Pieces of Eight – Joe Evans won the raffle (again). The White Marble was out holiday shopping.

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