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## **NEXT WEEK**

FEB 8, 2018 Doug Cornfield

The Dave Clark Foundation: New Children's book: "A pound of Kindness"

FEB 15, 2018 Mayor Bill Boland
Space Program

## THIS WEEK

This was not your ordinary Rotary meeting. If you had the feeling you had been there before, you were right. This was the Third Annual Corning Rotary Groundhog Day Pancake Supper at the American Legion Hall in South Corning. With no fanfare, the flapjacks began flying off the griddle at 4 pm.

**President Ted** opened the formalities at 5 pm, explaining that this was a regular meeting, and also a fund-raiser for Club projects. At **President Ted's** request, **John Brown** gave the invocation.



Ted skipped the introduction of guests, announcements, President's time and fines, and went straight to recognition of the members who cooked, served, cleaned tables and washed dishes.

Special recognition went to pancake cookers extraordinaire **Stuart Sammis** and **Dick Pope**; to **Jim Hudson** on the piano; and to the Rotary Band that kept the joint jumping (namely, **Dave Anderson, Jim** 

Hudson, Earl Whitney, our President Ted, Dick Perry and John Brown).



The star of the evening was **Buddy Cutler**, who organized the pancake extravaganza.



The Program of the meeting was pancakes—as many as you could eat.

Phylis
Jensen
organized a
50/50 raffle,
and then won
the \$122
prize—which
she donated
back to the
Club (Buddy
Cutler drew



the winning number).

**Jan Harvey** won a pot of maple syrup. Most importantly, there was good fun and fellowship for all, as attested to by photos taken by **Mike Platt** and **Gil Sweet**.

Yuca with her host family:

















The only low note of the day was that **Don Creath** broke his leg last week and could
not be there. If someone saved a few
pancakes for Don, he's at Three Rivers.

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