

The Fayetteville Rotary Spokes



The Weekly Newsletter of the Fayetteville Rotary Club January 23, 2016

Fayetteville Rotary Club Meeting

Welcome: President Joe Running opened this week's meeting at 6:30 PM welcoming all to the Fayetteville Rotary Club (FRC) and lead the Club in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Dinner Prayer: Drew Young gave the meeting/meal blessing. The dinner was pork tenderloin, broccoli, mashed potatoes, mixed salad with dressings, and gravy. The meal was excellent.

Rotary Song and Rotary Minute: Tim Richardson recognized today, 23 January in 1845 that the US Congress set the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November as Election Day. Today on 1950 the Israeli Knesset voted for Jerusalem to be its Capital. In 1968 the USS Pueblo was captured by North Korea. In 1989 Salvador Dali died.

Attendance & Guests: There were 11 members and 1 guest, present for the meeting. The guest was Beth Des Loges who came to learn about Rotary.

Health and Happiness: There were several Happy Bucks. Magda Baggett gave a Happy Buck for the Interview her Granddaughter had in Las Vegas for one of the International University scholarships. Matt Smith gave a Happy Buck for his luggage arriving back in Fayetteville after a very difficult return trip from Las Vegas. Drew Young gave a Happy Buck for the opportunity to plan a trip to Disney World for his Granddaughter. Joe passed around the Cart Bucket and the proposed guest meal policy.

Club Program: Tim Richardson introduced the program for the meeting and the Speaker, Club President Joe Running, who spoke about stamps and Rotary. Joe showed a series of stamps and plates of stamps celebrating Rotary, Paul Harris and Polio Plus, normally released on local or Rotary International anniversaries dates. The presentation was very interesting and elicited many question.

Future Meetings and Upcoming Events

- Jan 23 FRC meeting at Scrub Oaks. Joe Running will talk about stamps and Rotary
- Jan 30 FRC meeting at Scrub Oaks. Jamie Pendegrast will speak about John Maxwell
- Feb 6 FRC meeting at Scrub Oaks. Shannon Nichols presentation on Marine Fisheries.
- Feb 13 FRC meeting at Scrub Oaks. RYLA attendee visit to the Club.
- Feb 19 RAD competition at Methodist University.

50-50 Raffle – This week Joe Running's raffle ticket was again drawn, but Joe did not draw the winning card from the deck. The pot has risen to above 172 dollars. President Joe lead the FRC in the **Four Way Test**, *of the things that we think, say and do*, and the meeting was adjourned at 7:30 PM.