



The Fayetteville Rotary Spokes

The Weekly Newsletter of the Fayetteville Rotary Club
July 24, 2017

Fayetteville Rotary Club Meeting

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

Meeting Prayer: Drew Young gave the meeting/meal blessing. The meal was a chicken angel hair pasta casserole with white sauce, French bread, mixed salad and dressings. The food was very tasty.

Rotary Song and Rotary Minute: Tim Richardson provided today in history. He noted that today in 1701, Antoine de la Mothe Cadillac established Fort Pontchartrain for France, at present-day Detroit, Michigan. In 1766, at Fort Ontario, Canada, Ottawa chief Pontiac and William Johnson signed a peace agreement. And, in 1911 American archeologist Hiram Bingham first saw the ruin of Machu Picchu, an ancient Inca settlement in Peru. No song was sung. Jim Sebring went over upcoming programs.

Attendance & Guests: There were 10 members and no guests in attendance at the meeting.

Health and Happiness: There were several Happy Bucks given. Jim Sebring gave a Happy Buck for his wife of 9 days. Dave Baggett gave a Happy Buck for his wife being able to visit family and friends in Puerto Rico. Drew Young gave a Happy Buck for the new club President, Andy McBain. Joe Running Gave a Happy Buck for President Andy's safe return from vacation to take over leadership of the club. President Andy gave a Happy Buck for the great vacation and safe return.

Club Program: The scheduled club program cancelled. In its place, several topics were covered. President Andy reminded members of the upcoming District Governor's visit, at our meeting on 31 July. The club board will meet with the District Governor at 5:15 PM, before the regular meeting. The club discussed the Rotary Christmas Parade and its organization. Matt expressed appreciation for club support of the parade. The club decided on projects for which the club would apply for Rotary District grants. And, Andy described all the places he visited during his 21 day, 7 country, 18 city tour of Europe.

Future Meetings and Upcoming Event

- July 31 - FRC meeting at Scrub Oaks Restaurant. The District Governor's visit.
- Aug 7 - FRC meeting at Scrub Oaks Restaurant.
- Aug 14 - FRC meeting at Scrub Oaks Restaurant.

50-50 Raffle - This week, Dave Oskey's ticket was drawn but Dave did not draw the queen of spades from the deck. The pot has more than 97 dollars. 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.