



Waunakee Rotary Club

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Waunakee Rotary held its club assembly Sept. 1.

The board of directors has approved a budget of \$20,000 for the Rotary light display in the Village Park during the holiday season. The board also has approved \$6,000 in seed money for Octoberfest.

President Greg Garton suggested that Rotarians might want to look at the club web site to see how Rotary is helping victims of Hurricane Katrina.

Rotarian Pat Durden has some relatives who were missing in the aftermath of the storm. Other of his relatives rode out the hurricane and are safe.

The Rotary International president will speak at the Madison Downtown Rotary Club Sept. 21. A sign-up sheet is circulating so that club can get a feel of how many members to expect.

A sign-up sheet circulated for helpers at the Octoberfest, which will be held at the grounds of Endres Manufacturing.

Vogel Brothers has sent the club a thank-you note for Rotary's donation to their back-to-school program.

The following members need to be photographed for the club directory: Jeff Bernstein, Kevin Even, Kevin Fischer, Danny Miller, Ted Pertzborn and Dick Pilsner.

The club has touched base with four or five high school juniors who have expressed an interest in starting a Rotaract group.

Here is a summary of some of the committee reports:

OFFICERS

GREG GARTON, PRESIDENT • DREW LAWRENCE, PRESIDENT-ELECT
SARAH DEKRAAY, CLUB SECRETARY
BOB PULVERMACHER, RECORDING SECRETARY • JASON BROWN, TREASURER

DIRECTORS

LARRY FELSHHEIM • ED NIEBUHR • LORI DERAUF
AL DASSOW • ROBERTA BAUMANN

•Community Service – Profits from Octoberfest will benefit the Waunakee Foundation. There have been several productive meetings regarding the holiday light display proposal.

•Fundraising – Golf outing has 17 sponsors, but we need more golfers. The proceeds are to go to the holiday light display and other Rotary functions.

•Membership – The question has arisen on when the word, "new," is to come off the badges of the new Rotarians. Maybe six months, maybe when the new member has had his picture taken, given his classification talk and helped at a club function. This issue is under discussion.

•International – The club is collecting exercise equipment such as barbells, treadmills and stationary bikes – the kind of thing that would be useful in a rehabilitation facility that is planned in Honduras. Let Bill Erickson know if you have something to donate.

•Meetings and Public Relations – Speakers are scheduled through Oct. 13. Let Jim Tubbs or Al Dassow know if you have ideas.

Guests: None.

Visiting Rotarians: None.

Birthdays: Sept. 14, Fritz Durst; Sept. 14, Bob Hoskins.

Anniversaries: Sept. 8, Ron and Michelle Ballweg; Sept. 9, Linda and Don Olson; Sept. 12, Jim and Phyllis Jukes; Sept. 14, Dave and Lynn Kruchten.

Calendar of Events:

Sept. 29, golf outing
Oct. 8-9, Octoberfest
Oct. 13, Betty Lou Cruise
Oct. 16, Rustic Road Rally

Prayers: Sept. 8, Larry Felsheim; Sept. 15, Susan Vergeront; Sept. 22, Leonard Allen.

Programs: Sept. 8, Rotary's Membership Committee; Sept. 15, Genetic Savings and Clone; Sept. 22, Sheriff Gary Hamblin; Sept. 29, golf outing; Oct. 6, Club Assembly; Oct. 13, DNR; Oct. 20, ???; Oct. 27, Rick Boss on Social Security Reform.

Greeters: Sept. 8, Ted Pertzborn and Lisa Pertzborn-Whiting; Sept. 15, Ken Pesik and Dick Pilsner; Sept. 22, Bob Pulvermacher and Tammy Reefe; Sept. 29, Tom Reis and Roman Ripp.

Little boy: "Mom, where did I get all my intelligence?"

Mom: "Probably from your father. I still have all of mine."

Judge: "Mr. Clark, I have reviewed this case very carefully, and in granting this divorce, I've decided to give your wife \$775 a week."

Mr. Clark: "That's very fair, your honor. And every now and then, I'll try to send her a few bucks myself."