



Waunakee Rotary Club

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Waunakee Rotary held its Club Assembly Sept. 7. Here are some things that the club will be involved in:

International – The club has agreed to participate in a well project in Haiti. We're still involved in the project to educate women in Nigeria. Russian graphic artists will visit in the spring.

Interact – The club is working to start a branch of Interact at the high school. Also, we've committed to host a foreign exchange student next fall. Three host families will be needed for that project.

Public service – The annual Santa at the Depot will be tied to the Rotary Lights dedication. The Rotary Lights committee meets at 7:30 p.m. just about every Monday. The project is screwing in light bulbs.

Meetings – Speakers are set through November. Contact Jim Tubbs if you have ideas.

Fund-raising – Everything is going well. A spring golf outing may be in the works.

Membership – The club has 89 members. The emphasis will be on encouraging attendance at the weekly meetings and following up on members who seldom make it for lunch. Meetings can be made up in other communities or by going online. Also, there are plans to mentor new members and make sure they get involved in the various Rotary activities.

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BILL ERICKSON

Henry Sanders, Democratic candidate for Assembly, took a few minutes to talk about his race in the Sept. 12 primary. He is challenging longtime Rep. Dave Travis, a fellow Democrat.

Sanders said Travis is accusing him of being a Republican because Sanders has a background of working in small-business oriented groups. Although Henry said he is a Democrat, he described himself as a strong supporter of small business.

Henry also promised to work hard to be engaged with the citizens of the district. He also said that, if elected, he would serve no more than five terms.

The winner in the Sept. 12 Assembly primary will win the seat because there will be no Republicans on the ballot in November.

The following Rotarians need to have their photos taken for the club directory. Please call Mike Fehrenbach, 849-7729, to schedule a time:

Kevin Even
Tom Laufenberg
Kim Lengfeld
Danny Miller
Ted Pertzborn
Dick Pilsner
Luke Tierney
Robert Tucker
Brent Ziegler

Guests: Ben Ballweg and Henry Sanders, guests of Ken Ballweg.

Calendar of Events:

Sept. 14, golf outing
Sept. 24, Rustic Road Rally
Sept. 30-Oct. 1, Oktoberfest
May 4-6, District Conference

Visiting Rotarians: None.

Birthdays: Sept. 14, Fritz Durst; Sept. 14, Bob Hoskins; Sept. 17, Dan Miller; Sept. 19, Neil Kruschek.

Anniversaries: Sept. 14, Dave and Lynn Kruchten; Sept. 15, Rich and Donna Murphy; Sept. 17, Ken and Mary Pesik; Sept. 20, Neil and Sharon Kruschek.

Prayers: Sept. 14, Pat Durden; Sept. 21, Msgr. Kramer; Sept. 28, Susan Vergeront.

Programs: Sept. 14, Robbie Lowery, candidate for sheriff; Sept. 21, Thomas Steele - Mary Howard; Sept. 28, Wisconsin Business Development, Ron Vincent; Oct. 5, Club Assembly; Oct. 12, Neighborhood Connection, Genna Eaton; Oct. 19, Fair Wisconsin, Jeff Wright; Oct. 26, the pork industry, Mike Wehler; Nov. 2, Club Assembly; Nov. 9, Tony Shriver, animal assisted therapy.

Greeters: Sept. 7, Luke Tierney and Jon Townley; Sept. 14, Jim Tubbs and Robert Tucker.