



## Waunakee Rotary Club

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Waunakee Rotary Club held a Club Assembly Aug. 3.

The club inducted a new member, Luke Tierney, sponsored by Greg Garton. Luke is Don Tierney's son.

Here are some of the announcements that came out of the meeting:

- Rotary Lights committee is trying to persuade the village to shift installation of outlets in the Village Park from the 2007 budget to the 2006 budget. Otherwise, this year's holiday display will rely on temporary outlets.

- Pizza sales at Waunafest went well, despite the fact that the heat suppressed much interest in food. We understand that there was increased interest in beverages.

- Rotary was represented in the Waunafest parade by a float. Larry Felsheim, Ray Statz, Phil Willems and others worked on that project.

- Vogel Brothers is organizing the purchase and distribution of school supplies for kids who need them. The supplies will be sorted Aug. 14-18 at the Vogel Brothers building off Packers Avenue in Madison. About 15,000 Dane County kids need your help. Call Ron Ballweg at 241-5454 if you can help.

- Fund-raising projects include the golf tournament. Phil is looking for help with that project. Also the Oktoberfest is coming.

- Speakers roster is good into October.

- Golf outing is Sept. 14. A sign-up sheet will circulate soon.

- Russians will be visiting in the spring. The club will be looking for hosts and someone to entertain the visitors.

- The board has agreed to fund a well project in Haiti. Waunakee Rotary is pitching in \$1,250, part of

a \$2 million project in cooperation with the District, Rotary International and World Vision. Phil Willems and Bill Erickson are thinking about traveling to Haiti in connection with this project, and they would welcome additional help.

- The bridge in the conservancy has received the OK from the DNR. Also a new chair is needed for the service committee.

- Membership committee has set a goal of reaching 100 members in the next year. Ellen Schaaf says that mentoring and sponsorship are vital for new members.

- Rotary is organizing an Interact group at the high school. The committee has a list of several high school seniors to invite into this group. Greg Garton says they hope to have some kind of organizational meeting before the school year starts.

- Larry Felsheim reminded Rotarians they can make up their meetings by participating in Rotary events.

- Rotary Rustic Road Rally will be held Sept. 24. It starts early that day – about 6:30 a.m. – in Necedah, watching the young cranes learn to fly. Then comes breakfast, and then the caravan will start heading for home, taking the scenic route.

Guests: John Beck, guest of Bud Zander; Jason Nachreiner, guest of Scott Cochems.

Visiting Rotarians: None.

Birthdays: Aug. 11, Kim Wilde; Aug. 12, Mary Weber; Aug. 12, Scott Cochems; Aug. 13, Kathy Cefalu; Aug. 13, Brent Ziegler; Aug. 14, William Erickson; Aug. 16, Dick

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### Calendar of Events:

Aug. 31, District Gov. visit  
Sept. 14, golf outing  
Sept. 24, Rustic Road Rally  
Sept. 30-Oct. 1, Oktoberfest

Pilsner.

Anniversaries: Aug. 10, Bob and Nancy Arntz; Aug. 13, Danny and Yvonne Paul; Aug. 16, Kevin and Kathy Kearney.

Prayers: Aug. 10, Kim Wilde; Aug. 17, Pat Durden; Aug. 24, Msgr. Kramer; Aug. 31, Larry Felsheim.

Programs: Aug. 10, Village of Waunakee; Lorrie Keating Heinemann, secretary of the state Department of Financial Institutions, on fraud and ID theft; Aug. 24, Professor Denis Collins on Lessons from Enron; Aug. 31, District Governor Hal Keitel; Sept. 7, Club Assembly; Sept. 14, Robbie Lowery, candidate for sheriff; Sept. 21, Thomas Steele - Mary Howard; Sept. 28, Wisconsin Business Development, Ron Vincent; Oct. 5, Club Assembly.

Greeters: Aug. 10, Gene Smith and Lynne Spielman; Aug. 17, Dan Statz and DuWayne Statz.

Honest-to-goodness, mostly true facts from the Internet:

- The cost of raising a medium-size dog to age 11: \$6,400.

- The average number of people airborne over the U.S. in any given hour: 61,000.

- The first novel ever written on a typewriter: "Tom Sawyer."