

Wednesday May 30th 2007

Mt. Vernon Country Club

THE PRESIDENT'S CORNER

Thanks to Jerry Lautigar, Tom Hale, Anne Skewes, Jeane Canny, & Steve Doppler for stepping up to the plate to help Dave with Crutches 4 Africa. Jerry has agreed to be our Logistics Chair for the program collecting and safeguarding crutches until they can be shipped. Steve Doppler will serve as Africa coordinator insuring that crutches arrive at their intended locations in Africa and are distributed appropriately coordinating with Rotarians there to accomplish this. Tom Hale will become the person responsible for recruiting other clubs by creating a speakers bureau to enroll them. Anne and Jeanne will keep track of all our activity by becoming the record-keeping resource of the project. I agreed to handle publicity with both our Rotary partners and with traditional media.

Dave's knowledge and enthusiasm, assisted with these fired up individuals will spell success for this important project. We still need you. We will need a fund raising arm to fund expenses for this project and Jerry and Tom will need volunteers to help them complete their responsibilities. Please offer you assistance.

Have a great week! See you Wed.

Jim

GUESTS

Mary Lou Hale - Tom H.

Angela Jankovsky - Judi Q.

VISITING ROTARIANS

Tom Hobson - Den.

The watering of the trees will begin again this year on Tue. June 5th at 9:30 a.m. and should last about an hour. Please contact Bob Pasco, 720-217-7326 if you'd like to help out with Maren's Kids. Thanks Bill Skewes, Med Durel and Rich Mancuso for helping on June 5th.

We're planning a clean up of Evergreen Parkway from Stagecoach to Safeway to take place on Sat. June 9th from 9 to 10 and we'll need 8 - 10 people to help out. A sign up sheet was passed around and will be coming around again at our upcoming meeting.

Crutches for Africa. Thanks to Nan, Dave Talbot has 1/3rd of a booth in SLC. Can anyone get him on the speakers list at the International Rotary Convention in Salt Lake City next month? Dave will be there!!! DAVE IS LOOKING FOR A BARN IN THE AREA FOR TEMPORARY CRUTCH STORAGE. Can you or someone you know help out?

Mac says when selling sponsorships, please emphasize that all of the money collected stays in Evergreen! See Maren for posters and brochures. She has a web site set up... www.specialneedsgolf.com and has Pay Pal set up so golfers can sign up on line. This year's golf tournament will take place at Hiwan Country Club on Monday morning July 9th. Please call Med 303-673-2378 and volunteer to help him out with this event. **Only 1 month to go!** Think about selling some tickets to this event. Maren is looking for sponsors to donate items for the goody bags (150 items) or for the silent auction. Please call Maren if you know of anyone who might be interested in being a sponsor. Maren will contact that person and get the commitment. Please have sponsorships and prizes turned in to Maren by July 1st so that your sponsor will be properly promoted. Please contact Anne S. at 510-929-3124 or Tom H. at 303-679-1195 regarding your sponsor. They are trying to

build a data base and need to know about your sponsor. \$150 for early sign up. This year golfers can win prizes for Maren's kids.

Even though our club supports more RYLA students than any other club our size, and even though we have 16 Paul Harris Fellows in our club, and even though we have 40K in our club's foundation already, our club is really low on donations to Rotary International's Foundation. Jim is suggesting a one time donation of \$100 to R/I.

The Ice Melt Final Accounting goes like this:

Net was \$4391.00

Maren's Kids received \$1317

Drive Smart received \$2734.60

The balance to our club's coffers.

Thanks to Bob Z, Bill D, Jerry L, Tom H. and everyone else that sold those tickets. FYI the ice went out on Mar. 25th. Make plans for next year's guesses!

Our club has been asked to help out at the 4th of July Family Celebration this year. The board is in the process of a decision on this one. Be at the meeting on June 6th to voice your opinion.

Young RYLA. Rich Mancuso has 27 kids in his school who want to be sponsored. If you know of any clubs looking for good kids to sponsor, contact Rich. 303-915-7574.

Mike Jacoby says that the MALT Night in the Park will take place on Sat. Aug. 18th at Alderfer - 3 Sisters again.

The changing of the guard party will be held on Fri. July 22nd at Joanne Stucker's house. Mark your calendars for this fun event. More on this later.

Judi Q. is coordinating our travels to the International Convention in Salt Lake City on June 17 - 20 2007. There are still a few rooms available. What a great opportunity to experience Rotary up close and the International flavor of Rotary too. Pull up www.rotary.com and register on line.

PROGRAM

Tonight's program was on Alzheimer's disease and was presented by Angela Jankovsky. She said that 1 in 10 above age 65 has some dementia and 1 in 2 above age 85 has some dementia.

This disease is known as the long goodbye. Active participation in Rotary is a sure fire way to bypass this disease and stay healthy if members;

Stay Mentally Active

Stay Socially Active

Stay Physically Active

Eat a Brain Healthy Diet

Avoid Head Injuries

The risk factors for A/D are genetics, age, gender, brain injury, and stroke.

The Symptoms of Stroke

Face Ask the person to smile. Is the smile symmetrical?

Arms Ask the person to speak a simple sentence.

Speak Ask the person to speak a simple sentence.

Time If the person exhibits any of these symptoms, get to the hospital **FAST**.

For more info see www.alz.org/

Judi Quackenboss, our most excellent Program Chair, asks that all members please advise her of any potential speakers for our group. Please contact her at 303-674-2852 or quackje@aol.com

JUNE - Rotary Transition Month

6 Ron Brown - New Dental Options

13 Dave DeForest-Stalis - Big Brothers and Big Sisters

20 Kelly Bowland - U. C. Hospital, Anything Is Possible

27 Club Assembly for Golf Tournament - final info, etc.

JULY - Literacy Month

4 Dark

Remember Mon. the 9th is the golf tournament!

11 Len Brass - Can A Child Save A Life?

18 Dave Bealls, District Governor Official Visit (Board Meeting)

25 Mark MacIntosch - One Heart Beat - A commitment to Community

PLANNING AHEAD

Sat. Aug. 18th MALT Night in the Park

ROTARY MAKE-UPS ARE FUN, EASY AND ENCOURAGED!

Note: New eClub One URL for make-ups (Book Mark It!)
eClubOne, www.rotaryclubone.org (7 x 24 x 365). Be sure to get a printout to turn in for meeting credit.

Some Nearby Rotary Clubs:

Evergreen Rotary, Friday, 7:00 AM - El Rancho Restaurant
Conifer Rotary, Tuesday, 7:00 am - Mountain Resource Center
Golden Rotary, Tuesday, 7:15 am - Rolling Hills Country Club
Lakewood, Tuesday, 7:15 am - Lakewood Heritage Center
Lakewood Foothills, Tuesday, 12:10 pm - Warren Tech Center
South Jefferson County, Tuesday, 7:15 am - Fox Hollow Country Club
Clear Creek County, Friday, 7:00 am - Rocky Mountain Village, Empire
Gilpin County Peak to Peak, Thursday, 12:00 pm - Farraday's Rest., The
Isle of Capri Casino, 401 Main St., Black Hawk

Rest of the World: www.rotary.org
Dist. 5450 Web Site: www.rotary5450.org
Our Club Web Site: <http://mountainfoothillsrotary.org/>

ED SEZ "Frisbeetarianism is the belief that when you die, your soul goes up on the roof and gets stuck." *George Carlin*

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