

ROTARY VOTARY

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This Week's Program: August 4, 2016 Next Week's Program: August 11, 2016

Speaker: Malcolm Johnstone West Chester BID

Speaker: Kathy Hrenko Project C.U.R.E.

MINUTES by Fran Luft

President Bob Rogers opened the meeting, led the pledge of Allegiance and called Phyllis Dunn to give the invocation. She read a poem- God Said No. We sang God Bless America.

President Bob and Sergeant-at-Arms Brad Able conducted their weekly "What do you know?" segment. Brad told us that most accidents happen within one mile of your home- so he is moving. There were no visiting Rotarians.

Our guests included Randy Shauer; our speaker, Jill Davidock; and Juilan, the former exchange student of Chris Franz.

Happy Dollars: **Jeff Brown** is happy that the funeral service for Craig Kalenjian's wife was marvelous. Laura Aloisio is happy that her daughter was on the deans' list in college. Sue Flynn is happy to be back and also for the CC Family Academy. Dr Poole is happy his granddaughters do not have any tattoos. President Bob is happy that his wife, Sue Casso Rogers is doing well after having hip replacement surgery.

President Bob presented his looking back session by looking at the Rotary budget for 1989-90. He played the Beatle's song, after which Carol Hanson extended birthday greeting to Steve Quigley. The Rotarian of the month is Glen Sweet for heading up the auction and helped raise over \$6,900, a record number.

Important dates to remember- August 21st- Rotary picnic at Bill Winters' home; Chili Cook-off, on October 9th, and Ex- Sgt- at -Arms awards on November 22nd. Rotary night at the Phillies was a success. Rotary received a thank you note from Mary Ann Polito for the flowers and kind words she

received for her husband Joe Polito.

Bob Frame, Program Committee Liaison announced that if any Rotarian knows of someone who would be willing to be a program speaker, please let Bo know. President Bob announced that Rotary dues are due

Ken Hickman won the 50/50 but missed the gueen. There are 6 cards left in the deck.

SPEAKERS REVIEW by Jim Kammerer

Introduced to us fellow Rotarian Bob Frame, Jill Davidock, who runs the company, Survival Essentials has been involved with helping others over a span of 25 years. Her caring ways and the combination of services that she offers will bring you peace of mind. Her company declutters your life through a customized approach that is tailored to your specific needs. Whether you are overwhelmed by the clutter in your life, you are moving, downsizing or need an estate clear-out, they will do it all.

They approach each and every individual in a personal and caring manner and provide customized and flexible approaches to your needs. With her specialized in home office organization, senior move coordination and estate clean out, they can relieve you of the stress that clutter, moving or the loss of a loved one causes.

The team works closely with the clients to strategize, develop and enact solutions to meet the client's goals. Tasks that may seem insurmountable become achievable in your busy and over scheduled world. Call Survival Essentials and let "The Team" provide you with Time Freedom. Their motto: "Our Time, Your Freedom"

The following testimonials seem to be what to expect from this company;

"Thanks very much. You guys did a great job. It's such a treat to accomplish an entire move without even seeing a cardboard box, and doing absolutely no packing and unpacking. I especially appreciate John's efforts in rebuilding that computer desk and fixing up the dresser. Thanks again. Pat G., West Chester, PA"

"I am still amazed that my move happened and that the condo felt like home the first night I slept here! I don't think I ever felt that way about any of my other moves, and I was always too tired to care. I am still stunned and amazed by your skill and that of your staff and I don't know how to thank you enough. Without you, I literally would not have been able to move. Thank you, Thank you! Sally M., West Chester, PA"

THANK YOU

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ROTARY CLUB FAMILY PICNIC

Sunday August 21, 3 - 7 p.m. at the home of Bill and Dorene Winters, 629 North Church Street

Hamburgers, hot dog and sausages will be provided. Please bring a side dish, snack or dessert to share. Side dishes should <u>NOT</u> require the use of an oven Also, please bring your own drinks - if you are bringing beer, white wine or anything that requires cooling, bring a small cooler to keep your beverage chilled. Games for all ages will be provided and the Winters have a lovely swimming pool so bring your suits and towels. Rob Malone will be passing around a sign-up sheet at club meetings.

SAVE THE DATE

Aug 21 Rotary Club Family Picnic

Oct 9 Chili Cook Off

Nov 22 Ex-Sergeant-at-Arms "awards"
Check out the Rotary Calendar of events at
http://www.westchesterrotary.us/clubcalendar.htm
Add events: calendar@westchesterrotary.us

FROM HOLGER HANSEN-DISTRICT 7450

What a GREAT time we had at Rotary Night at the Phillies last week! TOGETHER we sold 500 tickets to financial support the Eradication of Polio in our World resulting in a \$4,000+ donation to the Rotary Foundation's Polio Plus campaign!!!

Our Project Chair Bronwyn Martin made sure the youth received pre-game gift bags, we had a wonderful pre-game reception for everyone, our weather was perfect, the Rotary camaraderie was great and the Phillies almost WON! Our Rotary Choir, let by Ken Delmar, had a record participation to marvelously sing our National Anthem. District Governor Dave threw the game's first pitch (low and VERY outside) to the Phillie Phanatic.

THANKS to all Rotarians, friends and family that came out for a marvelous evening to support our Rotary Polio Eradication efforts !!! GREAT Night --- GREAT Cause ---- GREAT FUN !!!

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