



ATTICA - WILLIAMSPORT ROTARY CLUB Newsletter



Service Above Self

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Rotarians Provide Personal Programs

Bob Geyer has been a Rotarian for many years. On March 24 he shared with the club "The Best Things About Rotary". The first item was International Meetings. He related that when you're one of 30,000 you have a different sense of what you are a part of. He also mentioned the high quality plenary sessions. Next year for the 100th Anniversary the International Meeting will be in Chicago where Rotary International started. The second item was Make-ups/Visiting Other Clubs. He knows of a group known as the Roaming Rotarians who manage to visit other clubs frequently. The third item was the Feeling One Gets In Helping Others in the Community and the World. And the last item was The Weekly Meetings.

March 31 Sandy White shared with us a benefit program she is

Briefs

- * Group Study Exchange Team from the Middle East will be at the Lafayette Daybreak Club April 8 at 6:45 a.m. at Judy's Catering.
- * Program for April 7 will be provided by Susan Ulrich from NICHES. Their web site is <http://www.nicheslandtrust.org/> Check it out.
- * Our giving to the Rotary Foundation averages \$107.58 per member including our newest member Joel who will be inducted April 7. Congratulations to all!
- * Change over meeting is Sunday, June 27, 1:00 p.m. at the Beef House

chairing for the Fountain County Art Council. Money is being raised to restore the old County Clerk's Building. The benefit was an Antique Appraisal Fair held Sunday, April 4, at the Beef House. There were five appraisers on site to give verbal appraisals. And there was also a silent auction.

Thanks to Bob and Sandy for sharing ways they serve the community.

Time for All Members to Contribute Time, Talents, and Energy

Just one month from today our two biggest events will be over. These two events require each of us to be involved. They are, of course, the Golf Fore Food Outing and the Reality Fair. Each of us needs to solicit golf sponsors because that event provides the bulk of our funds for our year-round projects. The Reality Fair requires all of us to help the young people experience the lessons during the two day Reality Fair. We also need to get local businesses and service providers to provide helpers as many are required.

Congratulations to All! Our Club Qualified for Presidential Citation and the Governor's Citation!

Todd Ambassadorial Scholar Selected by Attica-Williamsport

Our club is greatly indebted to Steve Poston for his careful, proficient management of the Todd Ambassadorial Scholarship process. Every aspect of the process from the initial news releases to the final selection to preparation of the candidate to continue on in the process was handled in a skilled, professional way. We had at least six candidates express initial and received an application. Three submitted applications and were interviewed. **Angela Rusk** from Williamsport was selected as the club nominee for the Todd Scholarship. Angela is a physical therapist who wants to receive more training in the area of Pediatric Physical Therapy and hopes to do that at the University of Melbourne in Melbourne, Victoria, Australia. Thanks to Steve and other members of the selection committee: Martha Geyer, Suzann Shackleton, Bob Shepherd, Dave Brown, Judy Bush, and Oscar Hopkins.

It is extremely gratifying to have a Todd Scholar from our community after all these years. Thanks to those who clarified the agreement with the Todd Bequest.

Program Responsibilities

- April 14 — Joan Fraumann
 - April 21 — Doan Helms
 - April 28 — Charlie Terril
 - May 5 — Larry DeSutter
 - May 12 — Shack
 - May 19 — Bob Shepherd
 - May 26 — Suzann Shackleton
- [If you need an idea, see Judy Bush or Carolyn Paulson.]

Special points of

The meetings are 6:30 a.m. Wednesdays at the Harrison Hills Country Club.

Our Centennial Project is to work with others for the sustainability of A.S.K.

Directors meet the first Wednesday at 6 a.m.

There are 1,227,545 Rotarians in 31,561 clubs in 166 countries.

Current Officers

- President **Judy Bush**
- Secretary **Bob Shepherd**
- Treas. **Suzann Shackleton**
- Directors**
- Mark Mason**, Past Pres.
- Judy Hollander**
- Kathy Turpin**
- Sandy White**

The Four Way Test defines our behavior: Of the things we think, say or do

- * *Is it the truth?*
- * *Is it fair to all concerned?*
- * *Will it build good will and better friendships?*
- * *Will it be beneficial to all concerned?*