

Upcoming Programs

- Nov. 11: India Foreign Exchange Student—Sagar
- Nov. 18: Holiday Sharing Tree & Kiwanis—Liz Brown/Stewart Ross
- Nov. 25: Rotary Foundations—Dave Sunderman and Doug Johnson
- Dec. 2: Homelessness in Mankato—Blue Earth County Staff
- Dec. 9: Christmas Party (evening)
- Dec. 16: Elder Abuse—Robert Chesley

The Four-Way Test

Of the things we think, say, or do . . .

First—Is it the Truth?

Second—Is it Fair to all concerned?

Third—Will it Build Goodwill and Better Friendships?

Fourth—Will it be Beneficial to all concerned?

Rotary Websites

www.mankatorotary.org
District: www.rotary5960.org
International: www.rotary.org



Please take time to honor and thank our veterans for their work and service for our country.



Did you know that you can learn great new things about Rotary and other related topics on-line, and receive make-up credit if you missed a meeting?

Log on to our website and look to the lower left of our home page for the "Rotary Club One" icon shown above.

You may contribute to the on-line club if you desire.



Wednesday, November 11, 2009

ROTARY CLUB OF MANKATO

Chartered January 11, 1935

P.O. Box 63 Mankato, MN 56002
Wednesdays, 12:10 p.m.
Meetings at Old Main Village

Rotary Year 2009-2010

CLUB OFFICERS & DIRECTORS:

- Luke Robinson - President
Wes Taylor- President Elect
Becky Kunst - Secretary
Roger Kontak - Executive Secretary/Treasurer
Gordon Gibbs - Past President
Kenny Klooster - Membership
Larissa Mrozek- Public Image
Don Putzier - Website/Newsletter
Mark Piepho - Community and Club Service
Jonathon Zierdt - Literacy
Don Friend - International Service
Dave Sunderman & Doug Johnson - Rotary Foundation
Jim Santori - Programs
Asst. District Governor—John Murphy

MANKATO ROTARY CLUB MEETING MINUTES

Wednesday, October 28, 2009

Old Main Village

Mankato, MN

WELCOME: The meeting was called to order at 12:20 PM by **Luke Robinson**. Those in attendance recited the Pledge of Allegiance. **Doug Johnson** gave the invocation. **Pam Jagdfeld** led members in reciting the Four-Way test.

GUESTS: **Mark Cipos**, guest of **Luke Robinson**; **Bob Christianson**, guest of **Patty Christianson**; and **Amy Ites** and **Holly Resner** from Rasmussen College, guests of the club.

VISITING ROTARIANS: None.

BIRTHDAYS: **Dan Kapsner** has a birthday on November 1.

HAPPY DOLLARS: Happy Dollars were donated.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Board meeting Thursday the 29th at 7:30 a.m. (U.S. Bank board room).

The annual District 5960 Rotary Foundation Celebration will take place Saturday, November 7 at the Crowne Plaza Riverfront Hotel on Kellogg Boulevard in downtown St. Paul. The social hour will begin at 6:00 PM; dinner, entertainment, and program to follow. And, in case you've never been to one before we will have both a silent auction (including Youth Exchange items from their countries) and a live auction to raise money for The Rotary Foundation.

The Chanhassen Dinner Theater show this year is the musical "Footloose."

The Service Above Self award committee is seeking nominations for this year's award. The committee's next meeting is November 2nd. Please contact Gordon Gibbs with nominations.

PROGRAM:

Gary Rudolf, **Garrick Rudolf**, and **Heather Buisman**, from Cherry Creek Cabinetworks presented a program about their business and services.

MANKATO ROTARY CLUB MEETING MINUTES

Wednesday, November 4, 2009

Old Main Village

Mankato, MN

WELCOME: The meeting was called to order at 12:20 PM by **Luke Robinson**. Those in attendance recited the Pledge of Allegiance. **Bill Anderson** gave the invocation. **Sal Frederick** led members in reciting the Four-Way test.

GUESTS: **Brian Gersich**, guest of **Don Friend**; **Holly Resner**, second visit, guest of **Luke Robinson**

VISITING ROTARIANS: **Kevin Keenan**, guest of **Jerry Keenan**.

BIRTHDAYS: **John Ginther** and **Jerry Roust** have birthdays on November 5; **Jim Mason** has a birthday on November 7; **Jill Klooster** has a birthday on November 10.

HAPPY DOLLARS: Happy Dollars were donated to the **Holiday Sharing Tree**.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Upcoming Rotary schedule: we will have our regular lunch meetings on November 25, which is the day before Thanksgiving, as well as December 23rd and the 30th. The Christmas party is Wednesday, December 9, starting at 5:00.

Board meetings have been changed to the second Thursday morning of each month due to scheduling conflicts. The next Board meeting is Thursday, November 12 at 7:30 a.m. (U.S. Bank board room).

The annual District 5960 Rotary Foundation Celebration will take place Saturday, November 7 at the Crowne Plaza Riverfront Hotel on Kellogg Boulevard in downtown St. Paul.

The Service Above Self award committee is seeking nominations for this year's award. Please contact Gordon Gibbs with nominations. The banquet will take place on January 20 at the Best Western.

PROGRAM:

Greg Bednar presented a program "World of Hot Rods!"