



THIENSVILLE - MEQUON

ROTARIAN

TUESDAY - FEBRUARY 7, 1984 - Stemmeler's White Coach Inn

(Menu: Fish, fried potatoes, cabbage slaw, rolls, beverage)

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

1. The Tri-District Bowling Tournament will be held at Waupun on March 31 and April 1; and April 7-8. All bowlers should start shaping up for that event.
2. District 627 Conference will be at The Abbey on April 27, 28, 29. Registration forms are available from President Custer. Registration deadline is March 15.
3. New member, Ed Behr, gave a brief biographical sketch for the benefit of the club.

PROGRAM:

Dr. Nancy Lurie, from the Milwaukee County Museum, an anthropologist who specializes in Wisconsin Indians, lectured to us about her work with the tribes. She explained that the Wisconsin tribes fell into three main language groups: Algonquins, Iroquois, and Sioux. Nancy described the ceding of tribal lands to the white man (usually under protest) and the movement of the Indians to Iowa, Minnesota, and then to the Dakotas, and how they met resistance from tribes already there. Eventually, many came back to Wisconsin, and some arrived back sooner than the soldiers who escorted them westward. They took up homesteads and small Indian enclaves developed throughout the central and northern part of Wisconsin. Whites made great promises in their treaties, thinking the Indians would soon vanish through death, assimilation, etc. However, by 1910 population numbers began to increase and continue to do so. Probably the Winnebagoes are the most independent tribe in Wisconsin. Dr. Lurie has lived with the Winnebagoes and studied them for years. She was just getting warmed up when time ran out, but many remained after the meeting to ask questions.

VISITING ROTARIANS: Jim Taylor from Milwaukee, and Dave Phelps from Mitchell Field.

OTHER GUESTS: Bert Holling, guest of Loyal Wells.

BIRTHDAYS: Meer, Campbell, Ross, Wells. The club sang a pretty good song, but it could have been a little peppier in honor of a "four banger" day.

MISSING T-M ROTARIANS: Boers, Fenske, Fromm, Hatzinger, Kachel, Oswald, Reuter, Riemer, Rosenberger, Ross, Sigmund, Sommer, Starobin, Steffen, Suttmiller, Walenton, Witte.

MAKE-UPS: Kellner, Gruenwald (2), Kachel, Walenton (2).

RESIGNATION: Carl Gulbrandson has resigned from the club.

MORE ABOUT ROTARY:

29. What is the district conference?

It is a meeting held annually in each district to further the program of Rotary through fellowship, inspirational addresses, and the discussion of matters relating to affairs of the clubs in the district and R. I. generally.

30. Does district conference action bind Rotary International?

No. The district conference is not a legislative body, but it may adopt resolutions recommending action or legislation to R.I. and recommendations upon matters of importance to the district.

SEE YOU AT ROTARY!

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 1984 - Stemmeler's White Coach Inn

(Menu: Koenigsberger Klops, boiled potatoes, carrots, salad, rolls, beverage)

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

1. There will be a short board meeting immediately following the regular club meeting on Tuesday, February 21. (No meeting at Custer's)
2. Forms are available for those who wish to attend the district conference on April 27, 28, 29. (Cost about \$250.00)
3. Friday, June 1, is Brewer Rotary Day.
4. Birthdays - Hatzinger and Thompto.

PROGRAM:

Dr. John Buuch, President of Concordia College in Mequon, was the speaker. He gave a brief overview of the past 100 year history of Concordia before the move to Mequon. This included the change of objectives and organization over time until it is now a four year liberal arts college with other courses such as teacher education, business, etc., in addition to its religious mission. The move from Milwaukee to Mequon was an interesting story. He discussed some of the problems of private colleges which sounded very similar to problems of other businesses. Dr. Buuch lauded the dual system of private and public education which we have in this country, pointing out the advantages of each. Concordia considers Mequon an ideal setting for the college and seems to be pretty well settled in

COMING UP

February 21 - Carl Schoeni, Mequon Chief of Police
February 28 - Business Meeting

VISITING ROTARIANS:

Ralph Wrezic and Dick Stone from Milwaukee North Shore; Phil Jennings and Chuck Blank from Cedarburg-Grafton.

OTHER GUESTS: Russ Fenske, guest of Cole Fenske (son)

MISSING T-M ROTARIANS: Bublitz, Casey, Densow, T. Egelhoff, Eldridge, Gibb, Huiras, Jacobs, B. Kurth, Lind, Riemer, Rosenberger, Ross, Smith, Steffen, Suttmiller, Witte.

MAKE-UPS: Bill Kachel

MORE ABOUT ROTARY:

31. What is a district assembly?
A meeting of the incoming presidents, secretaries, and other designated club leaders of all clubs in the district with the district governor and such others as the Board may designate for the purpose of the conference and receiving information as to club administration and club activities.
32. Why is it important incoming club presidents and secretaries attend the district assembly?
It is their school of instruction, as well as a joint sharing of local and district plans and objectives. So essential is this assembly to successful club administration that the Board states that "incoming presidents, to be eligible to serve, shall attend the district assembly".

QUOTE - UNQUOTE: (Listening in on two Rotarians)

"I know you believe you understand what you think I said, but I am not sure you realize that what you heard is not what I meant."

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1984 - Stemmeler's White Coach Inn

PROGRAM:

Carl Schoeni, Mequon Chief of Police presented an interesting and informative program to the club.

VISITING ROTARIANS:

Dick Apple, Carl Edquist, Roger Woboril, and Phil Jennings, all from Cedarburg/Grafton.

OTHER GUESTS:

Bill Johannes, guest of Dick Johannes; and Carl Schoeni, guest of the club.

BIRTHDAYS:

George Witte and Dick Johannes.

MISSING T-M ROTARIANS:

Behr, Campbell, Eldridge, Fenske, Gibb, Garcia, Hillman, Huiras, Jacobs, Kellner, B. Kurth, Meer, Moriarty, Naggs, Riemer, Ross, Sheridan, Smith, Steffen, Suttmiller, and Wells. (Over one-third of our membership - WE NEED MAKEUPS.)

MAKEUPS: Rosenberger.

ATTENDANCE:

Our January club attendance was 86.69 percent, putting us in 15th place among the 52 clubs of District 627. In December, we ranked 13th.

IMPORTANT DATES:

March 23 - 24: District 627 Assembly at Kohler. This is for new club officers and other designated club members, and it is an excellent orientation for new club members. According to Governor Maneke, it is to be "one of the best assemblies we have ever had."

March 31 - April 1, and April 7 - 8: Tri-District Bowling Tournament at Waupun. See Vanderspool for information.

April 27, 28, 29: District 628 Conference at The Abbey in Fontana. There will be inspirational speeches, informational programs, musical entertainment, displays, socializing, etc. April 28 is designated as Paul Harris Recognition Day.

June 1: Brewer Rotary Day.

June 3 - 7: R.O. Convention will be held in Birmingham, England.

June 17 - 23: World Affairs Seminar at University of Wisconsin - Whitewater. Our club will be sending three Homestead students.

MORE ABOUT ROTARY:

33. Who should attend the district conference?

All of the Rotarians of the district, and their ladies, should be encouraged to attend the district conference.

INTERESTING THOUGHT: The really frightening thing about middle age is the knowledge that you'll outgrow it. (Doris Day)

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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1984 - Stemmeler's White Coach Inn

(Menu: Wienerschnitzel, fried potatoes, peas, salad, rolls, beverages)

BUSINESS MEETING:

According to President Custer the agenda was intended to consist of a potpourri of items. Pertinent discussion, reports, administrative trivia, etc., included the following:

1. Frank Bolz, one of our newer members, presented a thumbnail biographical sketch for the benefit of the membership.
2. A sign-up sheet was passed around for attendance at the District 627 Brewer Baseball Night on June 1. Absent members should contact Dan Gibb if they want to be on the list.
3. Discussion ensued concerning the Tri-District Bowling Tournament. Contact Jack Vanderspool if you wish to bowl (March 31 - April 1).
4. President Custer has forms for registration at the District 627 Conference at The Abbey April 27 - 29. He needs the completed forms in about a week.
5. NOTE: The March 13 meeting of the T-M Rotary Club will be held at the Lake Shore Middle School on Range Line Road just south of Mequon Road.
6. A Milwaukee Sunrise Rotary Club has been formed. It meets at the Marshall and Ilsley Bank (cafeteria) on Wednesdays at 7:00 A.M.
7. Ray Reuter reported for the Project Committee on the Homestead Refreshment Stand (Snack Shack) project which was previously approved for further study and reporting. It will be located next to the Industrial Arts Department and across from the entrance to the football field. Size will be 12' x 22' with a hip roof and a 4 foot overhang in front. Construction will be concrete blocks. He was encouraged to proceed with the plans.
8. Ted Egelhoff suggested a project of putting together a film documenting the old fox farm industry in Mequon. The film would utilize John Fromm's pictures. This idea was accepted by the membership. Estimated cost is \$1000. The film would be donated to the library, schools, etc.
9. The club also expressed a desire to update and reprint the T-M Rotary membership directory book (with pictures) which is now 20 years old.

FUTURE PROGRAMS:

March 6: Price Davis on the Ozaukee Food Program.

March 13: Lakeshore Middle School - "Youth With Computers"

VISITING ROTARIANS:

Henry Vredveld from Stinger; Elmer Pipkorn (charter T-M founder) of Escanaba, Michigan; and Don and Lowell Levy from Cedarburg-Grafton.

MISSING T-M ROTARIANS: Behr, Fenske, Hiltgen, Meer, Riemer, Smith, Starobin, Steffen, Suttmiller, Wells, Wiese.

MAKEUPS: Eldridge, Jacobs, Vanderspool, Campbell.

TRY THIS ONE!

"Shy Sarah saw six Swiss wristwatches."

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