



THIENSVILLE - MEQUON

ROTARIAN

TUESDAY, MARCH 4, 1986 - Stemmeler's White Coach Inn

(Menu: Beef Rouladen, mashed potatoes, red cabbage, rolls, beverage)

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

1. Special guest, Clara Plautz, was introduced. She was honored by the club on the occasion of her ?th birthday. Club members gave their best rendition of Happy Birthday. Clara was accompanied by Jayne Egelhoff, who was also a guest for the day.

BUSINESS MEETING:

1. It was announced that the Board of Directors was recommending a contribution of \$200 to the baseball program and \$250 to the AFS program. This goes to the trustees of the foundation for final disposition.
2. The T-M Rotary Club will continue to fund our sponsored Boy Scouts.
3. The Board agreed to pay the fees for the T-M Rotary Club members who attend the District 627 Conference at The Abbey in Fontana.
4. Jim Suttmilller has agreed to head up a committee which will compile information about community organizations that might need contributions from Rotary.
5. New members are to receive committee assignments.
6. President Gibb avowed that we need more new members (young blood) from the total community. Discussion ensued as to how this could be achieved.
7. The project committee is at work and plans to report at the next business meeting.
8. Ted Elbe needs bowlers for the Tri-District Tournament April 5-6. Contact him to get on the roster.

RESIGNATION:

Gary Svehlek (of Phillips Pharmacy) has resigned from the club.

VISITORS:

Art Paul and Roger Woboril from Cedarburg-Grafton; Ron Schowalter and Elly Schreiner from Port Washington.

MISSING T-M ROTARIANS:

Fromm, Kubala, McNabb, Meer, Moriarty, Naggs, Riemer, Ronzheimer, Ross, Sommer, Vanderspool, Wells. (Pretty good, considering all the Florida tourists.)

MAKEUPS:

Lind, Payer], Riemer (2), Smith, Meer. (Franz was fined a dollar on the 25th, for being a golfer. However, he turned around and won the money pot for golfing and came up \$36 richer. He accomplished this feat in 80° heat.)

COMING PROGRAMS:

March 11 - David Steingass, Artist-in-Residence

March 18 - George Watts

SIGMUND'S LAW (borrowed from Murphy):

"If it works well, they'll stop making it; in which case, if you find something you like, buy a lifetime supply."

OSWALD SAYS:

"Many of today's TV shows would look a lot better on radio."

ROTARILY YOURS!!!

TUESDAY, MARCH 11, 1986 - Stemmeler's White Coach Inn

(Menu: Fish sandwich, parsley soup, beverage, crackers)

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

1. Sunday, April 30, 3 p.m., the Homestead Orchestra Parents will present a Scholarship Benefit Concert, featuring Pasquale Laurino (violinist and conductor) with the Homestead Orchestra. Tickets are available at the high school.
2. Tuesday, April 22, at Boder's, Family Service of Mequon-Thiensville honors National Secretary's Week by inviting Rotarians and their secretaries to a Celebrity Luncheon. Celebrities to meet include Sal Bando, Mike Hegan, Vince Gibbens, Mike Jacobs, Melodie Wilson and many others. President Gibb has proclaimed that T-M Rotarians may use this meeting for attendance purposes.
3. Ted Elbe is vigorously recruiting bowlers for the April 6 Rotary Tournament.

PROGRAM:

David Steingass, current artist-in-residence in the M-T School District, described a project which he has doing in the community. The basic idea is to instill a notion and sense of roots or background for our community. Some of the ongoing projects include: 1) A home economics department fashion show using bridal gowns of the past; 2) Panels and murals depicting early M-T days; 3) Video tapes of interview with old timers about early days; 4) Early businesses, 5) A relief map of the area; 6) Perhaps an archeological dig; and more. The timetable calls for completion of the project by May 13, with a program that evening. Various spin-offs of the projects were described and discussed. Some of our old-timers were caught up by the spirit and joined in with contributions and suggestions.

VISITING ROTARIANS:

Harry Sanders and Rudy Zarling (Cedarburg-Grafton); Mark Schueller (Milwaukee Sunrise)

OTHER VISITORS:

David Steingass and Mrs. David Hase (guests of the club)

MISSING T-M ROTARIANS:

T. Egelhoff, Eldredge, Garcia, Haen, Huiras, Kubala, J. Kurth, B. Kurth, Meer, Moriarty, Riley, Ross, Sigmund, Starobin, Thompto, Walker, Wells, Holle

MAKEUPS: Hertz (3), Sommer (2), Powell (1)

WALKER SAYS:

"There is always an easy answer to every problem: Neat, plausible, and wrong."

CUSTER'S CREED: (Pilot's Creed)

"In God we trust, everything else we check."

McNABB'S CAVEAT:

"Don't underestimate the importance of love at first sight. Many of us might not pass a second inspection."

SEE YOU AT ROTARY!!!

TUESDAY, MARCH 18, 1986 - Stemmeler's White Coach Inn

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TUESDAY, MARCH 25, 1986 - Storyteller's White Coach Inn
(Menu: Mulligan stew, salad, rolls, beverage)

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

President Gibb is on vacation again. VP Johannes had no additional announcements.

PROGRAM:

Bill Robischaud talked about his experiences with the Afghanistan Freedom fighters. He has made several trips with the Afghans into their guerrilla quarters. He explained how the small communist group took control of the Afghanistan government in 1978. When that government was about to go under in 1979, the Soviet Union invaded and set up a puppet rule. The Soviets claimed they had been invited in. The Soviets have been bogged down there for six years.

After Bill visited our club a year ago, Ted Elbe and Jack Eldredge provided him with many medical supplies which Bill took back to Afghanistan. He has to go in by way of Pakistan, grow a beard, dye it, and look like a native. Travel is by horse, camel or on foot. Because of Soviet helicopters, they had to travel open country at night, but they could move during daylight hours up in the mountains. The freedom fighters have to use old weapons or weapons they can capture from the Soviets. The freedom fighters were operating in the hills only 10 miles from Soviet-held Kabul.

Bill showed pictures of places, some of his freedom fighter friends, destroyed villages, etc. The fighters need money, weapons, medicine, etc. The Soviets are sending Afghan children to Russia for an education, meaning that plans include a long process of conversion.

FUTURE PROGRAMS:

- April 8 - Dr. Robert Jacobs
- April 15 - Alice Sedgwick - Weyenberg Library
- April 22 - AFS Students
- April 29 - An American Statesman

VISITING ROTARIAN: Ralph Wrezic (Milwaukee North Shore)

MISSING T-M ROTARIANS:

Boers, Densow, Eldredge, Fromm, Gibb, Hiltgen, Kellner, J. Kurth, B. Kurth, Hertz, McNabb, Meer, Mikkelson, Moriarty, Oswald, Riemer, Ross, Smith, Thompto, Wells.

MAKEUPS:

Sigmund (3), Riemer, Riley (2), Mikkelson, Naggs, Moriarty (4) - Mike is in New Zealand.

BULLETIN! Rotary is now one million strong!

Rotary reached the magic number of one million members during its 81st anniversary week of February 17 - 23. The name of the one millionth Rotarian will be announced in the near future. There are now 21,989 Rotary clubs with a membership of 1,001,423 in 439 districts and 160 countries and geographical regions.

PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS:

New Paul Harris fellows since July 1, 1985, total 9028, making a grand total of 135,520 Paul Harris Fellows.

GULLICK SAYS:

"If at first you don't succeed, you're running about average."

Rotarily Yours!