



The Battlefielder

ROTARY CLUB OF GETTYSBURG, PA

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NEXT MEETING — AUGUST 6, 2007- GETTYSBURG HOTEL— NOON

Dave Myers will give his classification speech on Monday.

Also, we will have a former exchange student visiting us Monday. Kate Voic was an exchange student about eight years ago, and will be visiting the Farabaughs. She will update us on her life since exchange. Connie will make the introduction.

THIS WEEK'S MEETING — JULY 30

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- President Mark took note of various opportunities to connect to our district, through a Membership Seminar (August 27); Golf Tournament (August 4); and Leadership Seminar (Oct. 20); all are invited.
- Fred Guinn reminded us of a clean-up day at the Susan Byrnes Health Center in York on Thursday, August 23 from 7 –9 PM.

SECRETARY'S REPORT

Present were 47 Members, 4 Honoraries, 1 Exchange student, 1 guest
Make-ups— Jim Sheen attended Board Meeting

VISITING ROTARIANS

Harold Dunkelberger - Selinsgrove
PDG Gary Froseth - Harrisburg East

50/50

Phil Murray was the winner today.

HAPPY BUCKS

- Phil Murray marked his 19th wedding anniversary with a handsome happy bucks gift
- Carey Moore recognized his son Dave's remarkable 3800 mile bicycle journey across the USA, on behalf of the fight against cancer through the Lance Armstrong program.
- John van Meerbeke gave a Happy Buck to mark 25 years of marriage. Congrats to all!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

August 8 — Larry Defuge

PROGRAM

Guest speaker was Ann Bahn, the Director of Giving at the Susan Byrnes Center. She thanked the Gettysburg Club for its support of the Byrnes Center since 1999 and noted that there will be a Rotary Appreciation Night on Thursday, Sept. 27, featuring a free supper for all area Rotarians and their families, as well as tours of the Byrnes Center in downtown York.

The Byrnes Center, she explained, was founded to educate individuals of all ages to make healthy choices. Its emphasis has always been on prevention of illness, for example, through better nutrition, exercise, and cessation of smoking. 82,000 students in York and surrounding counties have either visited the Byrnes Center in the past year or been visited at school by the center's traveling exhibits.



Treasurer Larry Defuge gave a pithy and upbeat report about Rotary finances and expenditures. He pointed out that we had a "very good year," raising and disbursing more money than ever in our club's history. Larry pointed out that we have been able to support the downtown flower project, the Eisenhower Humanitarian

Award, the Susan Byrnes Center, and a wide range of local charities, educational initiatives, scholarships and organizational activities in Adams County, thanks in good measure to the income generated by the Capitol Steps concert.

MEMBERSHIP DIRECTORIES

There are still a few members who have not picked up their directories. They will be available at all Monday meetings. Be sure to get yours. Please also report any changes or corrections.



**REPORTED THIS WEEK BY
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THANK YOU**

WE MISSED YOU....

Beegle, Brown, Crawford, Gabel, Hankey, Hans (leave), Hoch, Krumb, Kresky, Lonky, Luckenbaugh, Mosser, T. Myers, Norton, Patrono, Peters, Peterson, Powley, Ricker, Ritter, Small, Snyder, Starkey, Wehler, Weintraub, Williams