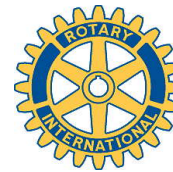




The Battlefielder

ROTARY CLUB OF GETTYSBURG, PA

Weekly Bulletin— September 22, 2008



NEXT MEETING, SEPTEMBER 29, 2008—NOON— GETTYSBURG HOTEL
PROGRAM— CLASSIFICATION TALKS BY MIKE BOYD, BARB ERNICO AND MATT TURLEY

ATTENDANCE

Rotarians — 45

Honoraries— 3

Guests

Bob Adam — guest of John Krumb

Janet Streit— guest of Eric Gladhill

Visiting Rotarians

Barb Morris— New Oxford

Don GutEKinst — Glenside

ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM PRESIDENT SCOTT

District Governor Ben Hoover will attend the September 23rd New Oxford Rotary breakfast meeting as per New Oxford Rotary President Barb Norris who was a guest today.

Club Interact students will attend the United Nations Rotary Day in NYC on November 8.

On Rosemary Hutchison's behalf, President Scott announced that the train ride is set for October 30 and will not be a regular meeting. One more week to contribute DVDs for Vets.

The Foundation Dinner will be held on November 13 at the Valencia Ballroom in York.

50/50

Bill Kough



Monday is the last day that Rosemary will be collecting DVDs for our wounded and recovering troops. Please bring your donation with you to lunch on Monday.

PROGRAM

Today's speaker was Executive Director Joddie Walker of the Adams County Children's Advocacy Center, 450 W. Middle Street, Gettysburg.

For the past two years, ACCAC has served Adams County through its innovative center, one of only 16 in PA. ACCAC helps abused children avoid the traumatic legal postscript to abuse by bypassing what can be as many as 12 different times a child will report to various authorities. The Center provides a "kid-friendly" atmosphere where children need report just once to a forensics interviewer. During the interview, police, social workers, and the assistant District Attorney observe the proceedings by closed circuit TV. Ms. Walker explained that her agency, working closely with a multi-disciplinary team from Children and Youth Services, the prosecutor's office and other interested parties, spares the child from further trauma.

The Center provides clinical support for non-offender family members, medical exams, case reviews, mental health therapy, and prevention programs. Our club contributed \$1,000 this year to the program. Monies were used for tools, like specialized toys, in the Center's mental health room.

Sexual abuse, physical abuse, neglect, and other causes bring the Center into contact with children who will benefit from its emphasis on helping them at this horrific time. Children served by the Center range in age from infants through 17 years, with 67% female and 33 % male clients.

Ms. Walker announced ACCAC's upcoming events like its Snowflake Gala and Redskins online tickets auction.

WE MISSED YOU—

Bailey, Baker, Brown, Cole, Curl, D. & J. Dickey, Fitzpatrick, Flowers, Hoch, Hutchison, Kalmus, Leshner, Lewis, Luckenbaugh, D. Myers, J.S. Phillips, Powley, J. Railing, Sheen, Turley, Wagaman, Webster, Witherow.



Happy Bucks

- ☺ Lisa Conklin- The Puppy Mill bill passed the PA House and was sent to the Senate.
- ☺ Ken Farabaugh- The Happy Valley overnight for Exchange Students was a great success. District Governor Ben Hoover and wife joined in the fun. Rotary thanks to Eddie Deardorff of Fairfield Landscaping for 16 years of donating free hayrides for this event.
- ☺ Bill Kough- thanked his Happy Bucks “donors.”
- ☺ Bill Railing- Grateful for the Majestic’s Live from the Met opera series which opens tonight.
- ☺ Barb Ernico- Her pigskin weekend saw Pitt beat Iowa and the Ravens best the Browns. Her alma mater Temple “showed up” against Penn State.

MAKE-UPS

Assisted with Exchange Student Camp Out:

Jim Roach, Bob McQuaide, Mike Hanson, Bill Sluck

Rotary Fund Raiser:

Rainbow, Gough, Grim, Wehler, Railings(2), Hankey, J. Dickey, Moul, Kramb, Sluck

**Reported this week by
CHRIS GLATFELTER
THANK YOU**

