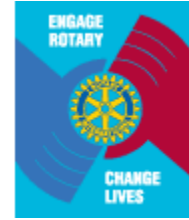




The Bear Town Bugle



ROTARY INTERNATIONAL YEAR – 109th LIMA ROTARY YEAR – 76th

Officers for 2013 – 2014

					
RI President Ron Burton	District Governor Ellen Hughes	Assistant Governor Bill Moehle	President Maria Conner	President Elect	Secretary/Treasurer Amanda Hayes

For week of Nov. 14, 2013

Members Absent: Jack Conner

Guests: Carmelo Rivera (President Maria’s father), Mt. Morris President Dan Santini and Gail Cochrane



Left to right: Carmello. President Dan and Gail

Fines: George Gotcsik “lost” his dinner badge and was fine \$1.52 by President Maria Conner. Jim Murray arrived late and was also fined \$1.52 but rounded it up to \$2. Pat Brady celebrated her birthday on Oct. 30th and we sang her the Birthday song. President Maria also fined her \$2 for this occasion. Bill Redden donated \$2 to celebrate the Eastern Cities Fellowship Dinner, The annual Quad

Cities Dinner and the Foundation Brunch which all were a great success.

Club Business: President Maria and Fany Loughlin gave a report of what they thought about the Eastern Cities Fellowship Dinner. All of our members who attended had a great time and enjoyed our speaker, RI Vice President Anne Matthews, very much. Bill Redden discussed our upcoming Senior Citizen Thanksgiving Dinner. He reminded everyone that we will be holding the peeling part next Friday and the dinner on the 23rd. Each member is expected to bring two door prizes with a value each of between \$5 to \$10.

George Gotcsik advised us that our Christmas Party will be held on Dec. 20th at the Deer Run Winery in Geneseo. The wine tasting will start at 6:30 PM with dinner to be around 7:15 PM.

Program: Pat Brady gave us a report for the Disco dance we held in Sept. Amanda Hayes handed out a financial report showing that we netted about

\$1,800 so that the Mt. Morris and Lima Clubs will each receive around \$900 for this fundraiser. There was a discussion of what went right and wrong and what we need to do to make it a better fundraiser next year. It was agreed that we will need to change the name to something with Rotary in it.

Queen of Hearts Drawing: Clair Milburn (who had his tickets picked at our last meeting) needed to pick a card with the amount before tonight of \$51. He drew the nine of spades and then we asked Carmelo Rivera to pick this week's winner. He pulled one of Clair tickets once again. Clair this time pulled the 3 of diamond so the pot that had reached up to \$60.50 is still available to be won.

Club Activities & Events

Nov. 21	Prep for the Thanksgiving Dinner
Nov. 22	Peeling Party @ the Gotcsik's home 6:30 PM
Nov. 23	Senior Citizen Thanksgiving Dinner @ Lima Christian School starting at 4 PM
Nov. 28	No meeting - Happy Thanksgiving
Dec. 5	Open
Dec. 12	Board Meeting
Dec. 19	Moved to Dec. 20 th
Dec. 20	Christmas Party @ Deer Run Winery in Geneseo @ 6:30 PM
Dec. 25	Merry Christmas to everyone
Dec. 26	Canceled

District 7120 & RI Events.

Feb. 8	District Foundation Grant Seminar review
Feb. 15	District Foundation Grant Seminar review @ Clifton Springs Hospital
Mar. 14-15	Multi District PETS in East Syracuse
April 5	District Leadership Assembly @ Geneseo High School
May 2-4	District Conference in Burlington, VT.

Quote of the Week

Four score and seven years ago our fathers brought forth, upon this continent, a new nation, conceived in liberty, and dedicated to the proposition that "all men are created equal."

Now we are engaged in a great civil war, testing whether that nation, or any nation so conceived, and so dedicated, can long endure. We are met on a great battlefield of that war. We have come to dedicate a portion of it, as a final resting place for those who died here, that the nation might live. This we may, in all propriety do. But, in a larger sense, we can not dedicate—we can not consecrate—we can not hallow, this ground—The brave men, living and dead, who struggled here, have hallowed it, far above our poor power to add or detract. The world will little note, nor long remember what we say here; while it can never forget what they did here.

It is rather for us, the living, we here be dedicated to the great task remaining before us—that, from these honored dead we take increased devotion to that cause for which they here, gave the last full measure of devotion—that we here highly resolve these dead shall not have died in vain; that the nation, shall have a new birth of freedom, and that government of the people by the people for the people, shall not perish from the earth.

President Abraham Lincoln – Nov. 19, 1863

Joke of the Week

As an airplane is about to crash, a female passenger jumps up frantically and announces, "If I'm going to die, I want to die feeling like a woman."

She removes all her clothing and asks, "Is there someone on this plane who is man enough to make me feel like a woman?"

A man stands up, removes his shirt and says, "Here, iron this!"