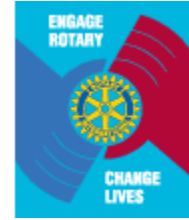




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ROTARY INTERNATIONAL YEAR – 109th LIMA ROTARY YEAR – 76th

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 Oct. 31 & Nov. 7, 2013

We did not hold our regular meetings for Oct. 31st and Nov. 7th as we attended the Eastern Cities Fellowship Dinner on Nov. 3rd and the Quad Cities Dinner on Nov. 6th.

A number of the Lima Rotarians attended the Eastern Cities Fellowship Dinner where we had the pleasure of talking with other Rotarians from all over the District.



Past District Governor Don Alhart was the master of ceremony of this event and he welcomed around 600 people to the 88th ECFD.



The entertainment for the evening was provided by the singing group Women of Note.

Gov. Ellen Hughes presented the other fellow District Governors who we in attendance for this dinner.



The keynote speaker for this event was the first woman to ever hold the position of Vice President



(or President) for Rotary International, Anne Matthews. VP Anne is a Rotarian from the Columbia East Club in Columbia, SC. She has held many RI positions before taking

on her current duties as of July 1st. She told those in attendance of her love of the South Carolina University Gamecock football team as well as her passion that is the Rotary Foundation. VP Anne has traveled the world in support of many different RI Foundation Grants and she encouraged all of us to continue to support the Rotary Foundation especially this month (November) as this the month when Rotary highlights our Foundation.

On Nov. 6th the Honeoye Lake Rotary Club, the host for the annual Quad Cities Dinner, welcomed members of the Honeoye Falls-Mendon, Lima and Rush Henrietta Clubs. We were honored to having Gov. Ellen and Jim Hughes join us for this event. We also enjoyed having AG Bill Moehle (for Area 5) and his wife Barbara join us.



Head table for the Quad Cities Dinner

Honeoye Lake President Marilyn Passer Introduced



Gov. Ellen Hughes who spoke to us very briefly! She then asked each Club President or their representative to tell everyone what was happening with their Clubs. President Marilyn then introduced Tracy Mainn from Honeoye Falls-Mendon Club who

talked to us about how this annual event has come about. He told us that the HF-M Club, which was chartered in 1927 help to form the Lima Club in 1937, the Rush-Henrietta Club in 1954 and the Honeoye Lake Club was chartered in 1967. Back after Lima was chartered the Honeoye Falls and Lima Club would get together once a year for a joint meeting. As each new Club was added they too were invited to join this evening of fellowship.



President Marilyn introduced the guest speaker for tonight's meeting, Joyce Horner. Joyce, who is a Geneseo Rotarian, is the Director of Literacy Volunteers for Livingston County. She told us of the large number of young and older people within our communities who aren't able to read and write. She asked all of us to consider becoming a volunteer within our own communities to help in any way we can.



Upcoming Club Activities & Events

Nov. 14	Board Meeting
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

Upcoming District 7120 & RI Events.

Nov. 10	District Foundation Brunch @ Belhurst Castle in Geneva Noon
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

(for Rotary's Foundation Month)

"The Rotary Foundation is not to build monuments of brick and stone. If we work upon marble, it will perish; if we work on brass, time will efface it; if we rear temples they will crumble into dust; but if we work upon immortal minds, if we imbue them with the full meaning of the spirit of Rotary as expressed in our Objects and with the just fear of God and love of our fellowmen, we are engraving on those tablets something that will brighten all eternity."

RI Past President Arch Klumph taken from the Rotarian of April 1929

Joke of the Week

A little work humor



"Your work was well received and everyone thinks you're a genius. Oh, wait. Wrong cubicle. Sorry."



"YOUR DOOR MAY BE ALWAYS OPEN, BUT YOUR MIND IS ALWAYS CLOSED."