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Today's Program

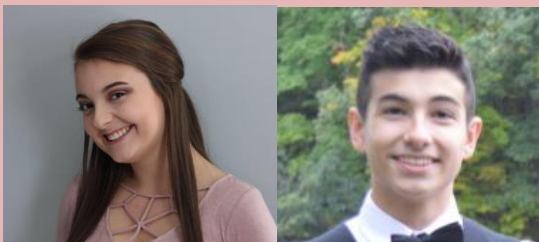
Tom Schneider – Valentina Vargas,

Perspectives on her Rotary Exchange Experience

May 31	RYLA Students (am) and "Fifth-Thursday" Bingo Social at Karen's 5:30 pm
June 7	Elaine Semrow
June 14	Fred Stich
June 21	Avenues of Service
June 28	Dean Veneman
July 5	*** No Meeting – Day After Independence Day ***
July 12	Sue Wesley
July 19	Deanna Willems
July 26	Mary Wirtz
Aug 2	Avenues of Service
Aug 9	Nick Abts

Rotary News

- We welcomed our exchange student, Valentina Vargas and our student Rotars, Morgan Jarosinski and Victor Hoffmeister.
- Thank you correspondence from;
 - United Way for our donation to Dolly Pardon's reading program
 - Neighborhood table for our March 29 sponsorship
 - Arts Council for our donation towards the Kids from Wisconsin outreach program for area students
 - YMCA/B&GC for our \$1,500 donation to their capital campaign
- Cinema Under the Stars is June 14th
- Mead block party is June 15th
- Love INC Open House, Saturday, June 16th, 10:00 am – 4:00 pm
- Sunrise Rotary Rafters night will be Thursday, July 12th
- Mini-Masters miniature golf fundraiser at Papa Bears in Rome on August 9
- Neuman's mini-golf social August 30th, 5:30 pm, after party at Kristopher & Shane's house.



Student Rotars: Morgan Jarosinski (left) and Victor Hoffmeister (right)



Attendance: 27
Happy Pig: About \$21 was donated to the pig.

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Tom Schneider

Youth Protection Officer

TBD

Avenues of Service

Mentoring Scholarship Update

MaryJo provided an update from our mentoring scholarship recipients;

- Ian Hudson, still working for Marshfield Clinic in the IT department. They just had their second child, Henry in addition to their first child, Hannah. Things are going well and he appreciates all the help he received.
- Jamie Whitney, graduated with a degree in renewable energy but took a job with Canadian National railroad and he has been busy but things are going well.
- Jennifer Atwood, she received her bachelor's degree and is currently working for the county Human Services department helping children with disabilities.
- Jared Nichols, is still attending UW Oshkosh and is hoping to land an internship this summer.
- Jesslyn Wallace-Leece is also at UWO and has been accepted into the nursing program.
- Katie Hahn, is attending Northcentral Technical College and is awaiting acceptance into the radiology program.
- Katelyn Livernash is working as a Certified Nursing Assistant and is pursuing further education in the healthcare field.
- Our new chosen recipient is Jared Strangfeld who will be attending Northeast Technical College for computer programming.

Vocational

RYLA was this past weekend in the Wisconsin Dells. The RYLA students will be reporting on their experience at the May 31 meeting. The committee will be looking into formation of a Interact Club for high school students. Josh Alexander will set up a website for this. Tia Dorshorst was awarded the Sunrise Rotary Youth Rotar scholarship at the Lincoln Scholarship night and was presented by club member Ryan Christianson.

Club/Membership

The "Fifth-Thursday" social activity will be a Bingo night social at Karen's Wine and Steins starting at 5:30. The social mini-golf event will be August 30th at Neuman's with an after-party at Kristopher and Shane's house.

International

Valentina will be presenting her experiences as an exchange student at the next meeting. The committee is checking to make sure that they are investing/deploying all of the budgeted resources for our international work.

Community Service

Infant needs is this month's charity and the South Wood County Humane Society is next month's charity. We will be looking at the possibility of working with Habitat for Humanity on their next home building now that a family has been selected for the next project.