

ROTARY ELEVATOR

September 9, 2008

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Greeter	Cliff Johnson
Invocation	Harry Johns
Music	John Meyer II
Sgt. At Arms	Gregg Hebrank
Minutes	Barb Schenck
Program	Tony Deaton

Another beautiful day after some needed rain overnight but the sun came out in time for our noon meeting at The Y. Cliff greeted us warmly as Harry John prayed for us including a remembrance of the 911 families. John Meyer led us in singing *Let there Be Peace on Earth and Smile*.

President Bob announced the Xenia Rotary Golf Outing last Friday preliminary raised about \$6,000 with 61 golfers and 45 hole sponsors. Additional sponsors came from Key Bank for Lunch and Dave Hidy for the bar bill. Thank You's to Dale and Steve Stanek as event Chairs and gathering prizes, Barb S. schlepping drinks around the course, Dick L for registration help.

Sarge Gregg again able and ready to fine lots of people. Picking on Golf Outing teams of Brian S and Todd R for cutting into the profits. Jeff Eyrich team named winners after having same score as Gregg's Team. How's that work ??? Adolfo back from Republican Convention... heard he had radio face time but o=no TV. Gave Ron R a minute to gloat on Bobcats vs. The OSU football. Had Bart S model his pants asking if they were his dad Keith's. No they were not. Fine Keith for not paying for grandson's 3 touchdowns. CJ only person to stand saying not a browns, Bengals or OSU fan...had a happy weekend so pay. Wanted to have Brain S sing MSU song for not singing at Rotary but decided better to pay a \$1, Happy Bucks for Barb & Tom Zajbel as Grand Marshalls OFD Parade! Brett Ellis on 8th wedding anniversary...his wife won him. John LeB on 42nd wedding anniversary.

Program Chair Tony Deaton introduced two members of Hospitality Homes staff **Diane Hollenbeck** and **Fran Porter** who as the co-chairs of the local **Alzheimer's Memory Walk for the second year**. The Memory Walk is to be held at Young's Dairy October 4 with registration at 10 am. The walk goes from 11 am to 12:30pm. The Registration of \$25 includes free lunch, entertainment, T-shirt and Young's ice cream! Or you can donate \$25 and not walk. They had Donation Cans, Quarters banks and "Forget Me Not" stickers to raise money.

From the Alzheimer's Association website:
Alzheimer's is a progressive and fatal brain disease. As many as 5 million Americans are living with Alzheimer's disease.

Alzheimer's destroys brain cells, causing problems with memory, thinking and behavior severe enough to affect work, lifelong hobbies or social life. Alzheimer's gets worse over time, and it is fatal. Today it is the sixth-leading cause of death in the United States.

Fran spoke about *What is Alzheimer's* and the many family problems associated with the disease. It is expected that by 2050 there will not be enough nursing homes to house all the Alzheimer's patients. Someone



every 72 seconds is diagnosed with Alzheimer's. The only way to know for sure if you have Alzheimer's is with an autopsy. It's too late then. It is a very lonely and very costly disease.

You have to enter into their world to communicate with Alzheimer's patients. If they say, "the sky is purple." You agree yes it is and then try to communicate. They live in long term memory with no idea of short term memories.

Hospitality Homes sponsors a support group for families that is open to the public and meets the first Monday of the month at 7 pm. Call Fran Porter at Hospitality Homes for additional information.

Diane spoke about the details of the walk as Greene County joins with Clark and Champaign counties for the walk.

All money raised in Greene stays in Greene to support families with respite care, day care and other expenses. Last year Greene raised more than Clark County and they wish to continue that this year. [For more info on Alzheimer's go to www.alz.org/index.asp.](http://www.alz.org/index.asp)



President Bob's Thought of the Day:
When you are dissatisfied and want to go back to your youth... Remember Algebra.

Announcements:

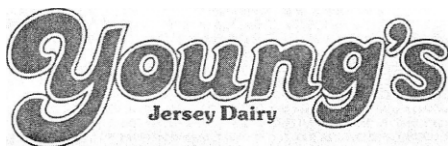
- **Greene County Library Roberto Clemente Exhibit**
Now through October 12. Contact Christi Cox at 352-4000 or by email at ccox@gcpl.lib.oh.us



GEORGE W. BUSH, President of the United States of America, proclaimed **September 11, 2008**, as **Patriot Day**. I call upon the Governors of the United States and the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, as well as appropriate officials of all units of government, to direct that the flag be flown at half-staff on **Patriot Day**. I also call upon the people of the United States to observe Patriot Day with appropriate ceremonies, activities, and remembrance services, to display the flag at half-staff from their homes on that day, and to observe a moment of silence beginning at 8:46 a.m. eastern daylight time to honor the innocent Americans and people from around the world who lost their lives as a result of the terrorist attacks of September 11, 2001.

Come Support Joe Mullins & Radio Ramblers as the entertainment for Family Rotary Day at Young's!

**Family of Rotary Day
Sunday, October 5, 2008 1:00 p.m.**



6880 Springfield -Xenia Road, Yellow Springs
www.youngsdairy.com

- Picnic Lunch * Homemade Ice Cream *
- Petting Zoo * Corn Maze Gift Shops *
- Pumpkin Patch * Miniature Golf Driving Range *
- Batting Cages

Be sure to invite family and friends!

Please complete the following information and send to Nicole Hooke, 3620 Dunlop Court, Mason, OH 45040. Payment may be made by check to District 6670.

Deadline for registration 9/22/08

Price includes catered picnic, homemade ice cream, and all other attractions Name(s)

Email Address _____

_____ Adults (\$22.95 each)

_____ Child 4-11 (\$16.95 each) _____ Child under 3(free)

Questions... email nicole@smallbizcc.com or rotarypat@aol.com

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Assignments – Please Mark your Calendars	
	16-Sep-08
Greeter	Tom Sefton
Invocation	Barb Schenck
Music	Gloria Roth
Sgt. At Arms	Gregg Hebrank
Minutes	Ron Roth
Program	Steve Duellely
	23-Sep-08
Greeter	David Bradds
Invocation	Tony Sculimbrene
Music	Rock McColaugh
Sgt. At Arms	Gregg Hebrank
Minutes	J.O. Harner
Program	District Governor
	30-Sep-08
Greeter	Jim Kennedy
Invocation	C.J. McLin
Music	John Meyer
Sgt. At Arms	Kevin Sonnycalb
Minutes	Rick Williamson
Program	Craig Eicher

More Things You Should Know But Probably Don't

- Chocolate affects a dog's heart and nervous system; a few ounces will kill a small sized dog.
- Orcas (killer whales) kill sharks by torpedoing up into the shark's stomach from underneath, causing the shark to explode.
- Most lipstick contains fish scales (eww).
- Donald Duck comics were banned from Finland because he doesn't wear pants.
- Ketchup was sold in the 1830's as medicine.
- Upper and lower case letters are named 'upper' and 'lower' because in the time when all original print had to be set in individual letters, the 'upper case' letters were stored in the case on top of the case that stored the smaller, 'lower case' letters.
- Leonardo Da Vinci could write with one hand and draw with the other at the same time hence, multitasking was invented.
- Because metal was scarce, the Oscars given out during World War II were made of wood.
- There are no clocks in Las Vegas gambling casinos.
- The name Wendy was made up for the book Peter Pan; there was never a recorded Wendy before!