



Dickinson, North Dakota Rotary Club

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**Today!!
Your Greeters Are:**

Jon Hodnefield & Bruce Howe

Next Week: Carmi Howe & Dennis Hulsing

Birthdays Today

Anyone?



Give Thanks Today: Gene Jackson
Next Week: Roland Jacobs

It is good to have money and the things that money can buy, but it's good, too, to check once in a while and be sure you haven't lost the things money can't buy. Amen.

~ invocation prepared by Dennis Cannon

Tornado Recovery Response

The Dickinson Rotary Club's Board of Directors decided to contribute \$1,000 from this year's budget to the local Red Cross in support of tornado relief efforts. Other Rotary clubs in the district have asked how they can help Dickinson, so we invited them to join us in this disaster relief project by donating to the local Red Cross.

**Program Chair:
Jason Hanson**

Next month: Harvey Brock

Your Program Today:

Karen Bolden & Yvonne Kroll
St. Luke's Home Building Project

Coming Up

July 29
Classification Speeches
Mike Ross & Harvey Brock

August 5
TBA

Paul Harris recognitions



Past President **Glenice Hansen**, left, surprised **LaVonne Bullinger** with an honorary Paul Harris Fellow in recognition of her 4 trips to Guatemala, one even before she became a Rotarian!



Jack Olin, above left, and **Merry Johnston**, above right, were each recognized for their third **Paula Harris** contributions by **Jon Brudvig**, Foundation chair.

Jon Brudvig, left, received his first **Paul Harris** from **Jim Ozbun**.

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Campfire Memories

Last Week's Announcements:

Birthdays:



Craig Kubas *might* be older than Jason Hanson and *is* older than Matt Remyense and Katie Mehrer. However, he'll never catch the rest of us! He was born the same year that Elvis died.

Braggs & Fines:

⇒ **Shirley Dukart** bragged about the city's awesome response to the tornado!

Guests:



Visiting Rotarian Doug Murphy is a former Dickinson club member and now is a member in Fargo. He manages our club's website! Thanks!



Dawn Pruitt, right, presented certificates to last year's Camp RYLA participants: Emily Bren, left, of Dickinson, and Amber Wager of South Heart. Two students sponsored by our club are currently at the leadership camp.

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Last Week: Classification Speeches

Mark Emmerich & Dennis Cannon



Mark Emmerich, left, & Dennis Cannon

Mark Emmerich says that maybe the most interesting thing about him is that he's not interesting, but the things he told us about himself proves that to be wrong. Coming from Carrington, he told us that he has lived all his adult life in one city, and one state. He and wife Kim moved to Dickinson in 1978 and have raised their five children here. During that time he has moved only one block. His membership in Rotary was sponsored by Jon Hendrickson, and as an active member, he serves this year on Rotary's Youth Programs committee. Mark firmly believes that life is good and that we should learn from the past, live in the present, and plan for the future.

As Executive Director of Mission, Marketing & Development for St Joseph's Hospital, **Dennis Cannon** serves this year on Rotary's Public Relations Committee. (However, he is not responsible for this report—other members of the committee prevented that.) He is a Nebraska native of Irish descent, having four grandparents who came from the Erin Isle. He and his wife Phyllis have three children, but are eagerly awaiting the time when there will be grandchildren. Dennis' career has encompassed being a school superintendent, principal, athletic director, coach, teacher and assistant to his parish priest. Thus he was admirably suited to the task of securing a Critical Access designation for St. Joseph's hospital this year. Dennis firmly believes that one should always leave a task that is improved over the way it existed when you came to it.

~ submitted by Winnie Delong

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