



Dickinson, North Dakota Rotary Club

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Today!! Your Greeters Are:

Winnie DeLong & Shirley Dukart

Next Week: Jay Elkin & Mark Emmerich

Birthdays Today

Jon Brudvig (3/6)



Give Thanks Today: Kari Shea

Next Week: Paul Steffes

Our task is not to decipher exactly how all of life's pieces fit and what they all mean. Our task today is to remain faithful and contiguous on a path that leads to Him.

Amen

~ invocation prepared by Dennis Can-

Welcome New Members!



Judge Patrick Weir, center, received his membership pin and certificate from his sponsor, Guy Moos, left, and President Jason Hanson.



Barb Lupo, center, received her membership pin and certificate from sponsor Mary Massad, left, and President Jason Hanson. Barb is the sales director for the Days Hotel & Convention Center.

Program Chair: Chuck Rummel

Next month: Jack Olin

Your Program Today:

Jerry Mayer & Holly Praus
Sunrise Youth Bureau

Coming Up

March 10: Dr. John Richtman, President
ND State College of Science

March 17: Hope Olson
ND State Crime Lab

March 24 : Melanie Kathrein
Literacy & Dickinson Public Schools

March 31: Brett Weidmann, Biologist
ND Game & Fish

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Campfire Memories



Loving Hugs Project

Dickinson Rotarians collected 120 stuffed animals for donation to children in crises around the world. "We cannot thank you enough for collecting and shipping all the stuffed animals for children in Haiti and in other crisis areas we serve. As a Rotarian myself, I know what it takes to get club members to participate in projects and we appreciate your efforts – and the success of the collection drive. With warm wishes, Rick Clark."

Last Meeting:

Announcements:

- ⇒ The Triple Crown, three rodeos at DSU for which Rotary provides labor as a fundraiser, is looking for sponsors. See **Chip Poland** for information.
- ⇒ **Connie Walter** announced that Women's Voices/Native Voices will be at DSU the week of March 1.

Guests:

- ⇒ **Kevin Thompson's** guest was Patrick Healy, a potential member.



Braggs & Fines:

- ⇒ **Mary Massad** bragged that the Southwest Pipeline is moving forward.
- ⇒ **Kari Shea** bragged that in a state review of cases, her office was the best in the state at 95%!

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Last Week: Guatemala Project

Dickinson Rotarian LaVonne Bullinger

spoke about Project Guatemala. The project began in 2003 with the four Fargo-Moorhead Rotary clubs raising \$10,000 to build a clinic in San Felipe, La Tabla, Guatemala. A team of eight traveled to Guatemala to participate in building the project. Since then, Rotarians have funded and built several schools, clinics, and water projects. This was LaVonne's second trip to Guatemala as part of a Rotary work group. This year her group was led by Doug Murphy of the Fargo Moorhead Club, and form member of the Dickinson Club. Their team worked on 3 classrooms for the students that pass from elementary to middle school in the community of Agua Caliente, El Estor/Izabal. The first day on the site one of the local men informed her that women were not to work on the construction project, but Lavonne told the club she hadn't taken time off from work to be a spectator! Lavonne said living conditions and food was very good, but lack of plans and directions on the project hampered the efforts of her and her fellow Rotarians. The children of the village all seemed to want to help and appreciated the school supplies Rotarians brought for them.



*Submitted by: Harvey Brock
 This week: Winnie DeLong
 Coming Up: Linda Steve*

Proposed New Member

Herb Urlacher is proposed for membership by Buck Haas. Classification is agriculture—retired sheep, dairy, beef and grain farming. He is a former District 36 state legislator.



Birthdays:

Dean Rummel is 3 years younger than the chief of police, 10 years younger than the mayor and 28 years younger than Jack Olin!



Jon Stevenson says 50 wasn't a bad number and so he added one more year.

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