



Dickinson, North Dakota Rotary Club

Branding Iron

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Today!! Your Greeters Are:

Dawn Pruitt & Matt RemyNSE

Next Week: Mike Ross & Joe Rothschilder

Birthdays Today

Chris Gerving (10/24)

Nancy Johnson (10/26)

Roland Jacobs (10/27)



Give Thanks Today: Russ Murphy Next Week: Ken Nelson

The gifts that you have given us are as numerous as the stars. We know that to those who have been given much, much is expected. Help us to care for the gifts you have granted us and to be good stewards of all that is entrusted to us. Amen.

~ invocation prepared by Dennis Cannon

Make up a missed meeting: It's easy!

A club member must attend or make up at least 50 percent of regular club meetings. Any missed meetings must be made up within 14 days of a regular meeting. If traveling, club members are encouraged to visit clubs in the new area to make up a missed meeting.

Check the Official Directory or use the Club Locator at www.rotary.org to get meeting and contact information. Be sure to call or e-mail before you show up for a meeting.

Another option is to participate in an interactive activity on a Rotary e-club web site (www.rotary.org).

This link: <http://www.rotaryclubone.org> will take you right to the home page of club 5450, a very thorough e-club. Click on "makeup programs" for a list of recent articles.

Scroll down to the bottom of the makeup programs page to get the archived list, then choose the type of article that interests you out of general, Rotary, financial, or personal growth. Videos are also available on this site.

Click on "request makeup." Click on your choice to donate or not, then rate 3 articles that you read, provide other information and then provide your email address as well as Rita's (ritaak@ndsupernet.com) so that you get credit for the meeting. Click submit and you are done.

Program Chair: Craig Kubas

Next month: Merry Johnston

Your Program Today:

Pastor Steve Tangen

Chair, Unmet Needs Committee

Coming Up

October 28: Club Group Photo

November 4: TBA

November 11: TBA

November 18: TBA

November 25: TBA

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A Club Photo is planned for the Oct. 28 meeting. Each member is important so...Please plan to attend!

Campfire Memories



Ken Kussy, right, received recognition as Paul Harris Fellow from club president Jason Hanson. Ken donated \$1,000 to the Rotary Foundation.



Last Week: Mike Seminary Kadrmaz, Lee & Jackson

KLJ Marketing Manager and Community Relations Director Mike Seminary, Bismarck, urged Rotarians to support the dreams of the young people in their lives. Seminary is also a Bismarck City Commissioner and said kids in our communities are incredibly important and we need to cherish them.

He said he was blessed with supportive parents. While his father has passed away, his mother, Arlene, continues to support his adventures. He said the pursuit of the dream is what changes young people and allows them to develop self-confidence.

Seminary played in a rock and roll band from 6th grade through college which helped pay his expenses. His dream to be a "rocker" paid for his college education and changed his life experience. Money is another topic that today's youth struggle with. He recommended that with discipline and building the habit, young people can control them money so it doesn't control them. He cited three points on how to master money. 1) share 10% of your monthly check, 2) put 10% in a savings account and 3) pay your bills.

He encouraged Rotarians to maximize their strengths and minimize their weaknesses in their quest for a better community. He ended his talk with advice to support the dreams of young people because the pursuit of dreams is what changes communities.

*This week's correspondent: Vicky Steiner
Next week: Kris Fehr
Coming Up: Winnie DeLong*

Announcements:

- ⇒ There will be **no Farmer-Rancher Night** this year.
- ⇒ **Brad Fong** reminded everyone that the raffle is underway. Tickets will be due in 2 weeks. 20% of the tickets have been sold already.
- ⇒ Board meeting follows today's meeting!
- ⇒ A group photo of club members will be taken during the Oct. 28 meeting.

Braggs & Fines:

- **Mary Anderson** bragged that her son, Kaleb, and **Brad Fong's** daughter, Hailey, are part of the Dickinson High School homecoming court.
- **Merry Johnston** gave a tribute to **Harvey Brock's** courage in printing his Gridiron picks for everyone to see!

Guests:

Lloyd Schnaidt's guest was Joan Sailer, a prospective member.



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