

Rotary Express



Service Above Self

Rotary Club of Harrisonville - Rotary District 6080 - Club 2368

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SERVICE ABOVE SELF



The Harrisonville Elementary School recipient was Jordan Moreland.



The McEowen Elementary School recipient was Tanner DeVore.

JUST AROUND THE CORNER



Officers and Board Members 2008 - 2009

President: Nancy Shelton
 President-elect Jim Clayton
 Vice-President Richard Lloyd
 Secretary Jill Filer
 Treasurer:..... Gabe Sweitzer
 Sgt-at-Arms:..... Tate Wood
 Director:..... Chuck Weedman
 Director:..... Daryl Veatch
 Director Tracy Goff
 Past-President Phil Klinkhardt

MEETINGS

Wednesdays at noon
 The Branding Iron
 in Landmark Plaza

THIS MONTH'S BIRTHDAYS

Teresa Hensley	2/5
Daryl Veatch	2/6
Jim Clayton	2/10
Gabe Sweitzer	2/11
Jack Combs	2/15

THIS MONTH'S ANNIVERSARIES

Lynn Laffoon	2/14
Jack Combs	2/16

4 WAY TEST

Is it the truth?
 Is it fair to all concerned?
 Will it build goodwill and better friendships?
 Will it be beneficial to all concerned?

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

Feb 11	Glenn Aversman
Feb 18	Gabe (Steve Rauscher)
Feb 25	Daryl Bohannon
Mar 4	Board and Classification
Mar 11	Stacy Davis
Mar 18	Carol Bohl

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NEEDED

Host families for the Kenyan GSE team.
 They will be here April 8-11.
 Contact Nancy Shelton

Best Wishes!



World Understanding Month

**Harrisonville Rotary Club
Minutes of Board Meeting
February 3 - 4:30 p.m. – BC National Bank**

Present: Nancy Shelton, Jill Filer, Gabe Sweitzer, Tate Wood, and Tracy Goff.

The minutes of the January 6 board meeting were approved with an amendment to acknowledge that Phil Klinkhardt did not resign. He is still on a leave of absence.

The treasurer's report was presented.

Old Business

Gabe reported that the basketball tournament has been cancelled due to a lack of sponsors and teams. Last year we had 11 sponsors at \$50 each. This year, none of the sponsors could participate. Last year we had 16 teams (down from an average of 20). This year, only nine teams had signed up. Gabe hopes to look into another tournament-type fundraiser for later this spring or summer.

Tracy Goff, fundraising chair, is still in need of members for this committee.

Gabe is sending checks for sponsorship of one girl and one boy for Girls' and Boys' State.

Jill is expecting to receive an applicant for RYLA next week and will forward that to the state level.

Tate will get the Rotary scholarship applications to the high school. The applications will be due in mid-April.

New Business

Wendell Yeager and Gary Hawkins, from the Harrisonville Public School Foundation, presented a report to the board on the Rotary Endowment. As with all investments, the Endowment has lost money. The value currently stands at \$18,337.13.

Jill presented information on the possibility of starting an Interact Club at HHS. She will do some more research with the high school to see if there's an interest.

The club will be hosting a GSE team from Kenya April 8-11. Nancy will be asking for host families. There are five team members – four males and one female. The club will be responsible for transportation, housing, meals, and any event admissions. The board discussed several possible tours for the group during their time here.

The Board received a program request from Steve Rauscher with the City of Harrisonville. Gabe will have him come for his program on February 18.

There are plans underway for a fireside chat in February.

Nancy has contact members with past due accounts and asked them to come up with a plan to catch up on those dues.

Jill reported that the district is beginning to use a new database that will be open to all members. In time, she will be asking club members to go online and update their member information.

The meeting adjourned at 5:20 p.m.

Minutes approved by the Board on _____, 2009
