

The REPORTER



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Vital Statistics

Members 05-17-12 66
Absent 05-17-12 24
Make-Ups 05-17-12 4
Net Attendance 84.2

BOX SCORE:

(Since 1 July, 2011, membership was 69)
Gains: 4 Losses: 7

Attendance Report

24 of our members were absent last week and only four make-ups were reported.

Matt Spangler made up once and Kathryn Heater made up three times, all online.

Regular attendance is a requirement for keeping your membership.

Online make-ups are easy; just visit this website:
<http://www.rotaryclubone.org>
(you don't buy lunch with online make-ups; no lunch credit is given.)

Incentive Drawings

Dave Bigelow won the five dollar membership incentive drawing last week so this week's "pot" will be worth five dollars.

The '50-50' drawing last week, worth \$46, was won by Curt Fewkes.

Both Dave and Curt donated their winnings to the expansion plans for the Performing Arts Center...true Rotarians!

You can't win the '50-50' drawing without a ticket!

Catherine Rickbone Tells of PAC Plans

Member Catherine Rickbone, who is also the director of the Oregon Coast Council for the Arts, presented the program for last week's meeting.

She told us of the plans to expand the Performing Arts Center, over the course of a few years, to better accommodate the many activities that take place there.

One of the key elements of the expansion will be the enlargement of the Studio Theatre, more commonly known as the "Black Box". This area was originally designated as a practice area for upcoming performances but it has enjoyed extensive use for actual public events.

Additional improvements are planned, including a new, state-of-the-art sound system, providing enhanced sound not only for live performances but also for the HD electronic presentations held regularly at the PAC.

Expanded restroom facilities are another priority, which will be welcome news for the many women who have spent time in the lobby, waiting for their 'turn' in line.

Several other aspects of improvements at the Performing Arts Center are planned;



Catherine closes her eyes and dreams of the plans to increase the utility of the Performing Arts Center.

Catherine will be more than happy to provide details if you just ask.

Upcoming Program

Next week's program will be introduced by Burt Lippman, who will present a speaker from Lincoln County United Way; our greeter will be Mark Collson, if he's here... if not, we'll find a replacement!

Words of Wisdom

"Earth is here so kind, that just tickle her with a hoe and she laughs with a harvest."

– Douglas William Jerrold
A Land of Plenty

SCUTTLEBUTT Information You Can Use

- Our board met yesterday and 'officially' accepted the resignations of Gene Cossey, Patricia Patrick-Joling and Sherrie Payne.
- Today is the last day to reserve your spot for the Sister City Park dedication ceremonies and luncheon; see Mark McConnell to put your name on his list.
- Don't forget to set aside June 28 for our annual banquet & installation of officers. This evening meeting will replace our Noon meeting that day... mark your calendar!
- Wear your lapel pin every day; show your Rotary pride!

Zach Bearden Gives Talk, Receives Plaque

One of our students of the month for May, Zach Bearden, gave his '5-minute' talk last week; he spoke of his involvement in athletics and how it builds character

He especially noted the impact that John Voorhies, a former coach and current volunteer, has had on his own personal development and athletic training.

Our other student of the month for May, Amity Elliott, will speak to us at today's meeting.



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