



The

Weekly Reporter

Rotary Club of Batesville

Chartered November 17, 2009

Tuesday, Apr 4, 2017

The meeting was convened by President Nikki Hutchinson. All recited the Pledge of Allegiance and Mike Kruse gave the invocation.

Club meeting:

- ❖ Indianapolis Indians Fundraising Event
 - As of Apr 4, four tickets have been sold.
 - Answers to Herald Tribune's questions were submitted.
- ❖ PETS Report
 - The first speaker was Thaddeus Rex who talked about club branding and how a person will make a decision on something new in 12 seconds. Thaddeus also talked about how the Portland, IN club grew to 65 members. Batesville and Portland are about the same size in population.
 - Reviewed the Presidential Citation requirements for next year. The Batesville Club could easily meet these requirements based on our current activities.
 - Club requested Don Mobley to contact Thaddeus Rex and invite him to be a speaker.
- ❖ Motion to make a donation to the Batesville Police Dept of \$500 for a security camera was made by Margie Walke and seconded. Motion passed.
- ❖ Motion to make a \$500 donation to the Food Pantry was made by Nikki Hutchinson and seconded. Motion passed.
- ❖ Motion to give \$200 to the Rotary Foundation by Nikki Hutchinson and seconded, Motion passed.
- ❖ The Batesville Rotary Club will put together a basket worth \$50 for the auction at the District Conference. Everyone should bring gardening items for the basket to the next meeting.
- ❖ Pet Adoption Day
 - The event will be on April 29 from 11 AM – 2 PM in the Kroger parking lot.
 - Volunteers are needed to set-up at 10 – 10:30 AM.
 - May need volunteers to walk the dogs.
- ❖ Critical Issues Forum
 - Scheduled for April 20 at Hillenbrand Industries with the same agenda as the first forum.
- ❖ District Grant Application
 - Faculty Advisor has been e-mailed. The club will also need to contact the Student Council Advisor and the Principle.
 - The grant writing committee is Nikki H., Vicki K., and Donald M..
- ❖ **Dues for the 4th qtr. are due.**
- ❖ April 25 Social Dinner will be at China Wok at 6 PM.

Coming Programs/Events:

Note: If you just can't make it for a whole lunch hour, please try to come for the 2nd half to support our speakers. Thanks.

- Batesville Memorial Public Library **on the first and third Tuesdays @ noon and on the last Tuesday of the month** at China Wok at 6 PM for a dinner social.

Words to Inspire:

"I am only one; but still I am one. I cannot do everything, but still I can do something; I will not refuse to do the something I can do." - Helen Keller.

Other Notes of Interest:

- ❖ Websites: Our club: <http://batesvillerotary.wordpress.com/>
- ❖ District: <http://www.rotary6580.org/>
- ❖ International: <http://www.rotary.org/>
- ❖ KIVA loans: http://www.kiva.org/team/batesville_rotary



1st Is it the Truth?

2nd Is it Fair to all concerned?

3rd Will it build Goodwill and better Friendships?

4th Will it be Beneficial to all concerned?

The Rotary Club of Batesville meets Tuesday at noon, at Batesville Memorial Public Library in Batesville.

Local clubs to make up attendance: Greensburg Monday 12:00 Noon Country Club
Rising Sun Wednesday 12:00 Noon Grand Victoria Casino
Shelbyville Thursday, 6:15 p.m. Fiddlers' Three
