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Rotary Buzzer

• ROTARY CALENDAR

August 31
Chris Knapp, D6000
Rotary Youth Exchange
Bob Herrick, Program
Chair

September 7
Sara Behn, BCHF
Harvest Festival, Amy
Pollard, Program Chair

September 14
Chris Jacobsen,
Program Chair

September 21
DG Don Patterson's
Annual Club Visit

September 28
Sharon Dowd-Jasa,
Program Chair

October 5
Jerry Bertleson,
Program Chair

October 12
Dave Cook, Program
Chair

October 19
Tim Trudeau, Program
Chair

October 26
Steve Dakin, Prog. Ch.

Jeff Anderson, Editor

Pres. Cody Bowers

District Gov. Don
Patterson

RI Pres. Kalyan
Banerjee

MEETING RECAP

Thanks to Susan for taking notes of the meeting in my absence! Alan was back at the keyboard for a rousing rendition of the Boone Rotary anthem. Sharon noted that she still has a few t shirts that need to be picked up and that can still place orders for additional shirts within the next 30 days. On a side note, last weekend I was showing Juliette the various vegetables growing in my father-in-law's garden and asking her what they were called in French. Eggplant in French is "aubergine"—so there you have it! Alan reported that a final work day is planned at Crawford Hall on

Saturday (sorry, it was over before I got to writing this) and Susan reported that Howe School in Ogden has 49 third graders and that she will be presenting them with their dictionaries on September 7th at 9:00 if anyone else wants to come along and help out with the presentation! Although I wasn't at the Rotary meeting on Wednesday I was at the Kiwanis meeting on Thursday and Dan's brother, Mike, was still looking for volunteers for Pufferbilly Days, so I suspect Dan would still be in the market for help as well!

SERGEANT AT ARMS

Brad Manard chipped in a dollar for the great start to the new school year and Dave, Joe, and Lee contributed for the great letters in support of the bond issue that appeared in Tuesday's paper (including letters from Rotarians Ann Haugland and Eldon Hutcheson and former

Rotarian Joe Smith!) of support. Eldon was pleased to have seen "his" Yankees play the Twins last week and several members chipped in for our speaker. Scott Smith also noted that the Dragoon River Romp is coming up on September 17th and will end at the High Trestle

STEAK FRY UPDATE

Alan has the tickets for the Steak Fry printed and Amy Pollard is handling the distribution and money. Everett noted that if each member sold "just" three tickets a week between now and the Steak Fry that would come to just over 1050 tickets. Friends, co-workers, and Kiwanians or Lions members who try and foist their tickets on you would all be good potential buyers!



JACK LASHIER, IOWA HALL OF PRIDE

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

Life is a journey, not a destination.

Ralph Waldo Emerson



Bill Curran introduce former Boone Rotarian Jack Lashier who is the director of the Iowa Hall of Pride. Bill noted that Jack has done over 300 interviews relating to the Hall of Pride. Jack mentioned that developing a Hall of Pride was part of Bernie Saggau's vision when he was the head of the IHSAA and that he had told Jack (back when he was still in Marshalltown) that he wanted him to become the director if it ever came to fruition. Jack went to work for the IHSAA in August 1996 when the effort to make the Hall of Pride a reality got underway. The Hall, which is located adjacent to the Wells Fargo Arena and Veteran's Auditorium in Des Moines, has now been open for 6.5 years. It is open from 9:30-4:30 Monday through Saturday. In addition to visitors from the general public they also host around 480

school field trips a year. MUSCO Lighting Company funds these field trips so the students are able to visit the Hall of Pride at no charge. Jack mentioned that Ev's daughter-in-law, Shelly Johnson, works as the Group Tour and Education Coordinator for the Hall. Jack indicated that goal of the Hall of Pride is inspire Iowa kids and to show that Iowa kids CAN achieve anything by highlighting the athletic exploits of Iowans like Zach Johnson (who interestingly was never the number one golfer on his high school golf team), Harrison Barnes, Dallas Clark, and Shawn Johnson and from other walks of life like Peggy Whitson (astronaut) and Roger Williams (music). If you haven't had the opportunity to visit the Hall of Pride you really should check it out!

SEE YOU NEXT WEEK!