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Carnegie-Collier Rotary Club and the Carnegie Arts and Heritage Festival!

The Carnegie-Collier Rotary Club has been a presence at the Carnegie Arts and Heritage Festival for each year of the event. We usually have a Booth and sell some type of food item. In the past we have done roast beef sandwiches, hot dogs, nachos, apples, and recently iced coffee and iced tea. It has been years since we made any money with our food booth, not that making money was our primary goal but a nice result of club fellowship manning the booth for the 3 days of the Festival. In recent years that profit has significantly gone down while the number of volunteers has decreased making the effort very labor intensive for the reward. The Committee decided that this year we would change things up. We have donated money to the Festival Committee to help sponsor the bands that they provide for the great music and will ask our members to volunteer to help the Festival Committee staff their many areas. The potential jobs sights include manning the Kid's booths, the information booth, the Ticket booths and the beer taps for the music, help with the bands (not sure what that is), and general logistics which could be anything. The times are Thursday, September 4th from 4:00 to 7:30 PM or 7:30 to 10:00 PM, Friday, September 5th from 4:00 to 7:00 PM, 7:00 to 9:00 PM, or 8:00 to 10:30 PM and the last day, Saturday, September 6th from 12:00 Noon to 4:00 PM, 4:00 to 8:00 PM, and 8:00 to 12 Midnight. Patty John has the sign up sheet and many of us have signed up to push beer on Thursday night. Leigh White informs the Club that volunteers to push beer on Saturday night are also desperately needed. Related to this, we are having T-shirts and Golf shirts made by former member Fran Cross and her Root-T's store which will have the Carnegie-Collier Rotary Club name and the Rotary Logo. The T-shirts are \$8.00 and the golf shirts are \$18.00. Please let Patty know ASAP if you are interested. The shirt order will be put in as one and the Club will bill you through the Lunch Fund. So get a shirt and get our Club's name out into the public at the Carnegie Arts and Heritage Festival!!!

On September 18th, when District Governor Jim Kunkelmann makes his official visit to the Carnegie-Collier Rotary Club he has requested a meeting with the Officers and Board members 30 minutes before the regular meeting. So if your name in on the Officers page of the Sprocket as an Officer or a member of the Board of Directors, please mark your calendars so that you arrive at Nevillewood by 11:30 AM on Thursday, September 18th. We would like all officers and board members to attend and we would like as many other members of the Club to attend the regular meeting so we can show the visiting District Governor our support!

Announcements:

For One more week we will advertise our prospective new member **Leigh A. White**, but this time with a picture!!! **Leigh** is the Executive Director of the Carnegie Community Development Corporation based at 40 East Main Street, 2nd floor,

Carnegie, PA 15106.
Her office phone is 412-279-5456 and her e-mail address is white.leigh@gmail.com

She is sponsored by **Mary Ann Paff**. The Board of Directors will vote on her membership application

(Classification of Community & Economic Development) soon but until then, please be sure to introduce yourself to **Leigh** and welcome her to the Club.



Prospective new member **Marshall J. Tindall**, or **Jeff** as he goes by, submitted his application from membership today. **Jeff** is a Minister at the Carnegie Presbyterian Church located at 219 Ewing Road in Carnegie. His office



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phone is 412-279-3223. His e-mail address is jefftindall@msn.com. He is sponsored by Rich Meyer under the classification on Minister. Please greet Jeff to the Club and after the Board of Directors meets and votes on his application we will induct both Jeff and Leigh!

We were supposed to have the new fitness center in Great Southern Shopping Center, LA Fitness, talk to the club today but nobody showed up. Either they forgot us or with Rich gone some sort of confirmation may not have happened!

SCHEDULE CHANGE: *The District Governor's visit has been changed to September 18th District Governor Jim Kunkelmann will make his Official Visit to the Carnegie-Collier Rotary Club then. We would like a nice turnout for this annual event so we need you to check and mark your busy schedules so that you make that meeting.*

Visiting Rotarians:
None

Guests:
Prospective new member Jeff Tindall & Dave Ventresca with the Club

You Were Missed:
Jack Abriola, Mark Brilmyer, Eileen Dombrowski, Ralph Ellis, Curt Henry, Rick Hess, Cindi Hewitt, Ted Katz, Sue Kelly, Ray Losego, Rich Meyer, Marci Petkovich, Bob Schuler, Joe Trompeter, Adrian Van Balen, Scott Venetti, Frank Verri, Ollie Weiss, & Dan Westphal

PLEASE BRING IN THOSE MAKE UPS!!!

Make-Ups:
None

Birthdays in August:
Diane Heburn – 8/3/47 (61 years old)
Joe Trompeter – 8/10/48 (60 years old)
Chris Green – 8/10/49 (59 years old)
Curt Henry – 8/16/59 (49 years old)
Cindi Hewitt – 8/16/52 (56 years old)
Diane Karcz – 8/20/52 (56 years old)
Ralph Ellis – 8/21/20 (88 years old)

Rotary Anniversary in August:
Diane Karcz - 8/2/05 (3 years)
Frank Verri – 8/14/01 (7 years)
Rick Hess – 8/25/84 (24 years)

Wedding Anniversary in August:
Jeff & Kathy Kennell – 8/26/88 (20 years)

Future Greeters -
September 4 – Guthrie, Schuler
September 11 – Guthrie, Schuler
September 18 – Guthrie, Schuler
September 25 - Trompeter, Van Balen

The 50-50 Raffle:
WEEK 6: Mary Ann Paff won and pulled a TWO winning \$5.00. The Kitty got \$11.00. The Pot is \$100.00 with 44 cards left plus the Joker!

GREETERS (& 50/50 Ticket Sellers)
NEXT MEETING:
Jeremy Guthrie
Bob Schuler

Calendar of Events -
August 24 – October 7 – Rich Meyer with GSE Team in Norway plus
September 4-6 – Carnegie Arts and Heritage Festival
September 12-13 – Rock The Quarry in Collier
September 18 – Official District Governor Visit
November 11 – World Affairs Council on what the new administration might bring

Future Programs -
September 4 – Bob Dewitt, Boy Scouts of America
September 11 – Club Assembly
September 18 – District Governor's Visit
September 25 – Doug Still from Stiles Machinery
October 2 – Gavin Deming from the Western PA Conservancy
October 9 – Club Assembly
October 16 – Don Brainerd – Comical Magician, "the Great Braindini"
October 23 – Rick Miller – Abraham Lincoln Impersonator

For those of us who have been in the Club long enough to remember former Rotarian Herb Reich, it is with sadness that we mention that Herb's wife of 61 years, Micki, passed away on Friday, August 15, 2008. She was also a patient of mine and a very very nice lady. Herb let us know that they ar having a memorial service on Wednesday, September 10th at the Friends Meeting Room on Ellsworth Avenue.