

FORTUNA ROTARY CLUB NEWSIE NOTES

Reach Within To Embrace Humanity

Thursday, December 15, 2011

Reporter: Connie Berti

PLEDGE – Robert Johnson

INVOCATION – Roy Curless

Today's meeting was called to order by President Chris Brannan at 12:30p

VISITING ROTARIANS: Jason Eads & Gary Philp - Eureka, Jerry Colivas

Guests of Rotarians: Nate Barnwell

ANNOUNCEMENTS – Correspondence, Announcements:

- We are dark on December 22 for Christmas
- Fifth Thursday is December 29. Meeting will be at Jim & Nadine Seiler's home at 10 Pinecrest Drive at 6 p.m. \$10
- Dr. French saw to it we participated in the Lighted Parade last Friday night. Jesse Duncan who was a judge claimed it was Patrick Whitchurch's fault we did not win a prize. Patrick passed his \$20 fine to Jesse. Thank you to Dr. French and all those who helped put our entry together.
- A check for \$1960 was presented to Nate Barnwell and Lon Winburn for Santa's Sleigh. We matched the money made on the Interact Baked goods Auction. Allan Baird contributed \$40 to make it an even \$2000. Thank you Allan.

- Recognition:
- Ron Alexander was fined \$10 for getting us some PR without even trying. He passed fine to Shannon McWhorter
- Jim Seiler was recognized for getting out of the oil business. Paid \$90 and joined Century Club.

Committee Reports:

- None

Program: Santa aka Jesse Duncan passed out Christmas gifts. But first we toasted Larry Francisconi for his past "Santa years" and service to our club on this day that would have been his birthday. We love you Larry.

Next Week's Program - Dark on Dec 22. Merry Christmas all. Jim and Nadine Seiler's on Dec 29, 6 p.m.

BIRTHDAYS: Nov 3 - Joe Rogers, Dec 22 - Dennis Reinholtsen

ANNIVERSARIES: None

- DRAWING: \$20 Allan Baird Won
\$30 Jerry Colivas won

Meeting adjourned 1:30 pm