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Meeting of August 26, 2008

THE MEETING WAS CALLED TO ORDER BY OUR PRESIDENT, JOHN USMIAL, OPENING WITH PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE, STANLEY LOULA LED US IN SINGING "GOD BLESS AMERICA", AND SHEILA RYAN HENRY DID THE FOUR WAY TEST OF THINGS WE THINK, SAY OR DO. RANDY WOMACK DELIVERED A PRAYER.

MIRA. **Tim Fullerton, Scottie Heelan, Bob Jacklin, Diana Kuratko, Pat Pavlich, and Dr. Everett Van Reken.**

SICK:

VISITORS:

FINES: **John Usmial got 100%**

RAFFLE WINNER: **Stanley Loula won \$10.00**

MAKEUPS:

WE NEED YOUR MAKE UP CARDS FROM THE CLUB YOU VISITED TO GIVE YOU WELL DESERVED CREDIT.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Celebrated Jean Rehor, Millie Slezak and Ray Makowski's birthdays.
Congrats to Linda Zakarian who is a grandma to a baby girl.

October 5th Houby Day Parade. Cicero Rotary is sponsoring a Queen candidate.
October 14th Octoberfest Raffle

From Rotary International: At the starting line, some of the participants were slobbering, others were scratching themselves, and others had their tongues hanging out. The event is the Annual Harbor Hound 2 mile walk in Gig Harbor Washington to raise funds by the local Rotary Club. Over 500 dogs and owners participated in 2007 and raised \$50,000. You can find out details at www.harborhounds.com

From District News:

September 1-7	Rotary Zone Institute/GETS, Sandusky, OH
September 14	District Picnic sponsored by the Chicago Lakeview Rotary Club and Chicago Rotaract Club.
September 20	President's Roundtable and District Membership Seminar
October 10-12	RYLA Weekend, Williams Bay, WI. Let's get a couple of kids to attend!

Program: Board Meeting

QUIP OF THE WEEK Religious Nuts

There were two country churches in a small Texas town: the Methodist Church and the Catholic Church. Each church was overrun with pesky squirrels.

The Methodist Church got together and decided that they were not in a position to harm any of God's creation. So, they humanely trapped the Squirrels and set them free a few miles outside of town. Three days later, the squirrels were back.

But -- The Catholic Church came up with the best and most effective solution. They baptized the squirrels and registered them as members of the church. Now they only see them on Christmas and Easter.

ASSIGNMENTS FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST: PRAYER WITH DR. VAN REKEN OR RANDY WOMACK, FINES WITH STANLEY LOULA AND JOHN USMIAL AND 4 WAY TEST WITH SHEILA RYAN HENRY.

FUTURE PROGRAMS:

Sept 2 nd	Open
Sept 9 th	Sidney Thoms (Photography Weight Lifting)
Sept 16 th	Open
Sept 23 rd	Open
Oct 7 th	Open
October 14 th	Raffle and District Governor Visit

Fall Colors

