



The Cicerotarian

The Rotary Club of Cicero-Berwyn

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Meeting of September 6, 2011

THE MEETING WAS CALLED TO ORDER BY DENNIS RALEIGH, OPENING WITH PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE AND STANLEY LOULA LED US IN THE SINGING OF "OUR COUNTRY, TIS OF THEE". DENNIS RALEIGH RECITED THE FOUR WAY TEST OF THINGS WE THINK, SAY OR DO FOLLOWED BY A PRAYER BY STANLEY LOULA.

MIRA: DONNA ADAMIC, MICHELLE BEDNARZ, EDGAR MONTIEL, JOHN USMIAL, AND RANDY WOMACK.

SICK: Millie Slezak on sick leave for rehab. She is doing rehab at the British Home.\

VISITORS:

BIRTHDAYS:

FINES: Stanley Loula got 100% on the Trivia

RAFFLE WINNER: Pat Pavlich won \$7. She donated it back to the club's Polio efforts. Thanks, Pat!

MAKEUPS:

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

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Special Announcement: John Usmial announced his retirement in October. He is moving to Michigan. John is a two term President of the club. He has served as Director in several capacities. I am sure that the YMCA will be losing a valuable asset and the club will miss his Fine Master Trivia. He is a Fine Trivia Master. Hopefully, he will replace himself in Rotary fellowship like his predecessors.

Events:

- 9/10 Route 66 Car Show 10 to 3
- 9/16 Oktoberfest in the Depot District of Berwyn Noon to 11pm.
- 9/15 Mexican Independence Festival Cicero Fair Grounds
- 9/30 Roy Olson Pastapalooza at PAV YMCA Purchase tickets at the Y.

Rotary news in brief from around the globe. Key to literacy

More than 770 million adults worldwide do not know how to read. In an increasingly complex world, illiteracy condemns many of them to the lowest rungs of society. International Literacy Day is 8 September.

Why join Rotary? Friendship, International Service, Opportunities for youth, Leadership skills, Community Service, and networking.

District News September 15th A Taste of Rotary at Abington in Glen Ellyn.
 October 7th RYLA

Program: Dr. Michael Kuzniewski, Jr. spoke on his background in education and travels to his current position. Notes, he was interviewed for the Assistant Superintendent of Cicero Grade School before coming to Morton High School and eventually becoming Superintendent. Morton High School District has two principal locations, Cicero and Berwyn. Student population for this fiscal year is 8400+.

Quip of the Week: From Bill Gates rules that student do not learn in school....You will NOT make 40 thousand dollars a year right out of high school. You won't be a vice president with a car phone, until you earn both. If you think your teacher is tough, wait till you get a boss. He doesn't have tenure.

ASSIGNMENTS FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST, PRAYER WITH RANDY WOMACK OR STANLEY LOULA, AND 4 WAY TEST WITH DR. MICHAEL KUZNIEWSKI, JR.

FUTURE PROGRAMS:

September 13 th	Joseph Ender Installation
September 20 th	Rich Lalley on Winter Coats
September 27 th	Board Meeting
October 4 th	Open
October 11 th	Open
October 18 th	Open
October 25 th	Oktoberfest Raffle (no Lunch Mtg)

