

ROTO WHEEL

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FOR MEMBERS ONLY

Rotary Club of Fremont, Ohio, USA * Chartered April 28, 1926 * Club No. 2332 * District 6600

JULY
NEW ROTARY OFFICERS BEGIN
THEIR YEAR OF SERVICE

PROGRAM FOR TODAY

Speakers: Mr. Tom “TK” Klein,
CEO of BAS Broadcasting

Topic: “BAS
BROADCASTING”

Rtn-in-charge:
Rotarian Sarah Pietrykowski

Program for August 4, 2008

Speaker– Ms. Madelaine Kuns
Topic– “Her Experiences
attending American University
in Rome, Italy, and her current
work for the Vatican”

Rtn-in-charge–
Rotarian Greg Kuns

PROCEEDINGS ON MONDAY – July 21, 2008

VISITING ROTARIANS - nil

CLUB GUESTS

NAME Guest of
Ms. Kathy Boukissen Rtn Tom Culbertson

CLUB PROCEEDINGS

President Rob called the meeting to order at 12:15 pm. He led members in the Rotary Prayer and followed with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Sgt-at-arms (SAA) Rtn Jim Yeager welcomed Visiting Guest.

HAPPY BUCKS

Rtn Tom Culbertson led everyone in singing the “Happy Birthday” song to the birthday boys – Rtn Bob Bunting, Rtn Bob Moyer, and Rtn Greg Kuns.

SAA Rtn Jim collected fines:
PP Denny Newman leaving the meeting early.
Rtn MJ Michael took her badge home.

SAA Rtn Jim collected money from the following members:

Rtn Bob Bunting for his 10th consecutive year in attending Golf Fundraising in Michigan last Monday, his team included President Rob.

Rtn Tom Culbertson for having his guest, Kathy in attendance.
PP Tom Hoffman for his 13 year old son's baseball team coming in 2nd, and his 10 year old's team coming in 1st.

PP Dave Peterson for his son Doug, who comes home from Iraq next month.

Rtn Julie Kreilick for a successful Farmers Market last Saturday.
PP Ralph Oxley for recognizing IPP Helene and Rtn Angelica completing the 7 day bike tour last week.

IPP Helene for a wonderful tour.

R.I. Theme for Rotary
Year 2008-09



*Birthdays &
Wedding
Anniversaries*

Birthdays

-Rtn Dick Binau (23rd)
-PP Lee Koenig (23rd)
-Rtn Bob Moyer (23rd)
-Rtn MJ Michael (27th)

-Rtn Uwe Eickert (30th)
-Rtn Daryl Sherman (31st)
-Rtn Bob Littellmann (Aug 1st)

Spouse's Birthdays

-Rochelle 21st
(Rtn Dr. Willson Baker)
-Joann 23rd
(Rtn Steve Gruner)

-Beverly Aug 3rd
(PP Del Schulz)

Anniversaries

-Rtn Greg & Mary Kuns (28th)
-PP Del & Beverly Schulz (Aug 3rd)

-PP Denny & Sue Newman (Aug 4th)

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IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

This notice, in accordance with Article II of the Code of Regulations of Fremont Rotary Foundation, Inc. is to inform the members of the Rotary Club of Fremont of the annual meeting of the members of the foundation. The meeting will take place as follows: -

Date: August 25, 2008

Time: 11:45 am

Place: Fremont Country Club

The purpose of the meeting is:

1. Election of Trustees for the 2008/2009 fiscal year.
2. To bring forth any other business as appropriate.

By order of the Board of Trustees
BARRY F. LUSE
Secretary/Treasurer

Forthcoming Events...

JULY 28TH

BOARD MEETING – Board Members be reminded to attend the 1st board meeting, which will be held immediately after regular weekly meeting at Fremont Country Club.

SEPTEMBER 22ND –

District Governor Dave Daugherty’s Official Visit to our club.

FEBRUARY 21ST, 2009

Pre-P.E.T.S. at Owens Community College, Findlay**

****Mandatory attendance for Presidents-Elect**

MARCH 13TH-15TH, 2009

All Ohio P.E.T.S.

MARCH 28TH, 2009

District Assembly at Owens Community College, Findlay**

****Mandatory attendance for Presidents-Elect**

APRIL 17TH-19TH

District Conference at Sawmill Creek, Huron

JUNE 21ST-24TH

International Convention in Birmingham, England

“Meet the family of a U.S. President”

Saturday, August 9, 2008

Rutherford B. Hayes Presidential Center

Celebrating Presidential Memories

Descendants of U.S. President Rutherford B. Hayes travel from across the nation for this all-day, **once-in-a-lifetime event**.

Beginning at 11:30 am, the general public can take advantage of a series of free activities presided over by Hayes family members.

An evening gala provides an up-close-and personal experience with a presidential family. Ticket holders are treated to cocktails, food, music, entertainment, a video compilation of Hayes family photographs and movies, plus family memorabilia.

For more information contact Kathy Boukissen 800-998-7737 ext. 26 or kboukissen@rbhayes.org

Lottery Winner

There was NO lottery winner at this lunch meeting.

Secret Hand Shaker

There was NO secret hand shaker at this lunch meeting.

PRESIDENT’S ANNOUNCEMENTS

President Rob made the following announcements at his first official meeting:

1) MESA BIKE TOUR 2008 – a very successful tour; collected over \$30,000 in 7 days. The Club presented a check of \$1,650 and \$20,000 worth of equipment to MESA. *Please see details on Page 4 to 6.*

2) There will be a Board Meeting next Monday, July 28 following lunch meeting.

3) “Meet the family of a U.S. President” event by Ms. Kathy Boukissen. *Please see details on Page 2.*

PROGRAM OF THE DAY

WHAT IS CLUB ASSEMBLY

A club assembly is a meeting of all club members, including officers, directors, and committee chairs.

The purpose of club assemblies can be to either discuss your club’s program and activities or educate members.

New members should particularly be encouraged to attend club assemblies to learn more about the workings of your club.

Club assemblies help all members stay up-to-date and feel included in club activities. Many clubs use assemblies as an opportunity for all members to discuss decisions that affect the club and for committees to report on their activities. Regular club assemblies that include all members and your assistant governor help to ensure that clear communication takes place between club leaders, club members, and district leaders.

The president is responsible for planning and conducting club assemblies. The president or another designated officer, presides at club assemblies.

Topic – “1ST CLUB ASSEMBLY”

President Rob began his presentation by re-emphasizing to the Club in working together as a team, and using the collective strengths in leadership, financially to create a club that our local community is proud of.

1) Review all our projects that are tied to our club and evaluate what their needs may be. [Community Service]

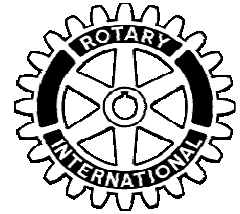
2) Find several local projects that our entire membership will support and participate actively. Also have the greatest positive impact on our community and meets the “4 Way Test”. [Community Service & Vocational Service]

3) Continue to increase our active membership. [Club Service]

4) Provide assistance to members becoming Paul Harris Fellows. [International Service]

More details on the above will be disclosed at the soonest possible time.

President Rob went through the Organization Chart and will have hardcopy ready by Aug 4 lunch meeting.



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We’re on the Web!

Visit us at:

www.fremontrotaryclub.org

Feedback E-Mail:
fooster@woh.rr.com
Rtn Angelica Rinehart

Fremont Rotary PRAYER

*(written by
William B. Gavitt)*

**Almighty Father,
whose bounteous love
has brought us to this
time and place,
Grant that we may
serve Thee by service
to others,
Bless this food,
our club and our
program to this end
Amen**

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

**I pledge allegiance to
the Flag of the United
States of America
and to the Republic
for which it stands
one Nation under
God, indivisible
with Liberty and
Justice for all**

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A SUCCESSFUL 4TH ROTARY TOUR FOR M.E.S.A. 2008

On the early morning of July 13th, Sunday, Rotarians and friends gathered at the car park of Memorial Hospital to send off a group of cyclists. Fremont City Mayor Terry Overmyer was present to flag the tour off to a smooth sailing and safe week of biking.

After seven days and 430 miles, the MESA bike tour returned to the President Rutherford B. Hayes' Barn on Saturday, July 19th. 1st Ward Councilman Don Nalley, accompanied by Fremont Rotary Club President Rob Lytle and District 6600 Governor David Daugherty all welcomed the cyclists and thanked them for their contribution.

Fremont Rotary Club presented MESA with a \$1,600 check and \$20,000 worth of used-but-useable equipment. \$30,000 was collected among the 19 Rotary Clubs the tour visited this year. Tour stops included Bowling Green, Perrysburgh, Toledo, Swanton, Archbold, Bryan, Edgerton, Hicksville, Defiance, Van Wert, Delphos, St. Marys, Kenton, Marion, Galion, Mansfield, Shelby, Willard, and finally Fremont. Tour leader Edward Stewart said he is confident that they will exceed their \$50,000 goal for MESA this year.

Representing Fremont Rotary Club were Immediate Past President Helene Horvath Zielinski and Angelica Rinehart. The duo rode all 7 days on their very first complete tour. Together the Fremont duo completed more than 500 miles in 7 days and raised more than \$800 in pledges. Another Fremont rider, Karen Vargo, joined the tour for 3 days.

**Pre-Tour Party
on July 12th, Saturday, at Eagle Isle**

It was a beautiful day for the out-of-town Rotarians and family to arrive at the Eagle Isle Spa & Retreat. They were warmly greeted by Fremont Rotarians.

The visitors were immediately ushered to their assigned room before the party started. Everything was on the dot. There were lots of food, drinks, fun and fellowship.

After some eating and drinking, IPP Helene introduced the Pre-Tour Party organizing committee, the host of the event, and the visitors.

Before the end of the day, some of the riders went water sliding, and some went on a tour around Eagle Isle. I heard that some went into a hot tub and watched fireworks! Now that's what I called a treat!

Rtn Dick Binau and his committee have done a fantastic job in preparing the party. Everything was well taken care of, including a beautiful cake to welcome the cyclists!

Rtn MJ Michael with her spouse, Scott and the staff of Eagle Isle have spared nothing to provide the finest hospitality and luxury for the Club and its visitors.

**Opening Ceremony
on July 13th, Sunday
at President Hayes' Barn**

The rain stopped just before 7 am, and the sun came out as promised on this Sunday morning. Everything went according to THE PLAN!

Even more riders arrived this morning. Upon arrival, guests were ushered to the delicious breakfast buffet table, which was set up inside the barn – breakfast in the barn, a first!

The official program was carried out shortly after 8 am, when Club President Rob introduced District Governor Dave Daugherty and Mayor Terry Overmyer.

Immediately after the program, everyone gathered around the car park area for the last minutes checking, loading, picture taking, etc. Mayor Overmyer officially started the tour with a wave of the flag at 8:50 am. A police car led the tour out of Fremont. It was so cool to see police stationed at every turn and waving at us. What a way to start a tour!

PP Al Gorman and his catering staff from Memorial Hospital did a wonderful job preparing breakfast and setting up the barn.

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Closing Ceremony
on July 19th, Saturday
at President Hayes' Barn

After riding 7 days, all the riders wanted was cold water, food and a bus to take them home to their families! So the tour kinda “rushed” back to Fremont, arriving 30 minutes ahead of schedule at the Fremont Country Club.

PP Ralph Oxley ensured Fremont police were at every corner as the tour entered Fremont. He even personally led us while driving his van, escorting us to the Buckland Avenue junction.

District Governor Dave Daugherty thanked the tour and received checks on behalf of MESA. Councilman Don Nalley represented Mayor Terry Overmyer and welcomed the safe return of the tour. While President Rob thanked everyone, he also presented MESA the Club’s donation of \$1,650 and a list of equipments worth more than \$20,000.

Once the program finished, everyone quickly loaded up their cars, said all the goodbyes, and the last group left Fremont at 5:30 pm.

Rtn Steve Gruner did a great job ensuring everything was in order, and again PP Al Gorman and his catering staff from Memorial Hospital again did a wonderful job on the refreshment and set up.

**SPECIAL
ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

On behalf of the Rotary Club of Fremont, Club President Rob Lytle would like to extend our appreciation to ...

Mayor Terry Overmyer

For his presence on an early Sunday morning and a fantastic arrangement of police escorting the Tour in and out of Fremont.

1st Ward Councilma Don Nalley

For his presence at the Closing Ceremony on a Saturday afternoon.

Rotary District 6600 Governor Dave Daugherty, and his lovely wife, Jennifer

For his dedication – driving all the way back and forth between Mansfield both days for the Opening Ceremony and Closing Ceremony.

Mr. John Zielinski (Toledo)

Agreeing to be our official photographer at all 3 events.

*Brother of IPP Helene.

PLEDGES & DONATIONS TO MESA

The Club thanked the following members for their generosity donation ...

- Rtn Tim Piercefield donated a pair of aluminum crutches to MESA
- PP Jim Jackson donated two pair of aluminum crutches to MESA
- Rtn Linda Havens donated a Citizens Laboratory, pharmaceutical compounding hood (worth about \$15K)
- PP Al Gorman (Memorial Hospital) donated 3 complete Hewitt Packard fetal monitors
- Rtn Dr. Willson Baker donated 1 dental chair

The Club also wishes to thank ...

Old Fort Banking Company for a \$500 check
Fremont Cycle & Fitness Center for a \$100 check
Beck Supplies for a \$100 check
54 club members contributing (from \$10 to \$30 each) totaling \$580
IPP Helene collected pledges of \$340
Angelica collected pledges of \$465
Ms. Karen Vargo (3 Day Rider) collected pledges of \$50

LASTLY the Rotary Club of Fremont wishes to thank Rotarians in District 6600 who bought the MESA Tees. The profit from sales goes towards covering the hosting expenses. We sold 80 (of 100) and managed to cover ALL expenditures.

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Thank you to our members who attended the following events with their family

Pre-Tour Party on July 12, Saturday

President Rob Lytle
IPP Helene & Tom Horvath
Rtn Dick & Pam Binau
PP Kay & Dale Reiter
PP Jim & Cindy Jackson
PP Gary & Marie Perkins
PP Charlotte & Ed Urban
Jim & Carol Toews
Dr. Willson & Chelle Baker
Julie & Ted Kreilick
Jim & Marline Ellis,
son
Jim & Carole Banks,
daughter Jennifer
Bob Bunting
MJ & Scott Michaels
Sarah Pietrykowski
Angelica & Jack Rinehart

Opening Ceremony on July 13, Sunday

President Rob Lytle
PP Al Gorman
Julie Kreilick
Dave Farhbach
Jerry Clark
Jim Banks
Marlene Ellis
Sarah Pietrykowski, mom Liz
IPP Helene & Tom Horvath,
daughter Amanda
Angelica & Jack Rinehart

Closing Ceremony on July 19, Saturday

President Rob Lytle
Steve Gruner
PP Ralph Oxley
PP Denny & Sue Newman
Jim Toews
Julie & Ted Kreilick
Sarah Pietrykowski, mom Liz
IPP Helene & Tom Horvath,
daughter Amanda and son Kyle & his
girlfriend
Angelica & Jack Rinehart

***Please note that the above attendance shall be counted as your makeup meeting i.e. one makeup for each event.**

The Rotary Club of Fremont would like to ACKNOWLEDGE and THANK all of our sponsors and contributors for their contribution. Through their kindness, the Club has once again been successful in hosting this year's bike tour.

- Eagle Isle Spa & Retreat
- Memorial Hospital
- Old Fort Banking Company,
- Fremont Cycle & Fitness Center
- WAMH Design

(Contributors toward the Fremont Gift Bag for Riders)

- ⇒ Crescent Manufacturing Company
- ⇒ Diversified Insurance Services Company
- ⇒ Gift Basket & Bouquets
- ⇒ May Painting
- ⇒ Sandusky County Convention & Visitors Bureau
- ⇒ The Fremont Company
- ⇒ Valley Electric Company
- ⇒ Immediate Past President Helene Horvath Zielinski
- ⇒ Mr. Jack Rinehart

On behalf of the Rotary Club of Fremont, Club President Rob Lytle would like to ACKNOWLEDGE and THANK the following members who have contributed their time and effort towards hosting the bike tour.

Pre-Tour Party on July 12, Saturday

Rtn Dick Binau, PP Kay Reiter,
PP Jim Jackson

Opening Ceremony on July 13, Sunday

PP Al Gorman, Rtn Julie Kreilick,
Rtn Dave Farhbach, Rtn Jerry Clark

Closing Ceremony on July 19, Saturday

Rtn Steve Gruner, PP Ralph Oxley

Hosting Organizing Committee

IPP Helene Horvath Zielinski
PP Ken Berlekamp
PP Tom Hoffman
PP Al Gorman
Rtn Steve Gruner
Rtn Connie Durdel
Rtn Jim Toews
Rtn Sarah Pietrykowski
Rtn Angelica Rinehart
PP Bill Goad
Rtn Linda Havens