



"The Downtowner"



KIWANIS CLUB OF ROCHESTER

ROCHESTER, MN.

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Coming Programs

March 8 Steve Borchert—update on affordable housing.

March 15 Lou Kastner, Insurance ??

March 22 Students of the Month

March 29 All Club Board Meeting



The Circle of Service for February is Bob, Dick and Ron.

Circle of Service for April Austin Jorgenson, Don Borcharding & Colleen Maddox (Circles should send Clare their programs as quickly as possible so they can be included in the Downtowner.)

Stay alert for signup opportunities online at www.kiwanisroch.org



Expense Report:
Paid \$2000 to Food For Kidz. We took in an

additional \$120 for Peanut Income.

We continue to pay for meals and take in nearly enough to cover that.

Meetings will be at the Hilton next door to Saints on Second. This is the 'Default' meeting room.



March 1 program was by our member, Al Lun. He showed a PowerPoint presentation along with his verbal description on a project he has been working on for months (years?). "Beam Me Up Scottie" was the reference he used when describing what he had done in organizing the search for Non-Profits in our area.

All the interaction of the groups can be accessed on our Kiwanis web site, www.kiwanisroch.org

Al showed us how we, or anyone, can get access to these other similar non-profits. You can search and sort according to your interest. My interpretation is to minimize 're-inventing the wheel.'

Al did a great job on the detail and the slides were large without a lot of distraction on each individual slide.

He tried to show us the impact on Diversity this large number of non-profits has on the community.

Well Done All!

Pancake Breakfast May 5 at the American Legion again.

Pizza Ranch work night coming this month. (March 28, I think) Watch for signup sheet!

Students of the Month



Caroline Utz from Mayo H.S. was introduced by Scott Oesterle. Caroline is the daughter of Mark and Julia. She was selected by the English Dept. She was selected because of her wide variety of experiences related

to the Humanities. Caroline has been active in Mayo Stage Door as actor and student Director. She is currently working on the Civic Theater's production of the "Addam's Family". Caroline is active with Students Against Sexual Assault, Student Government and Bella Voce Women's Choir. She is also a counselor at YMCA Camp Olson. Caroline hopes to make it into adulthood with grace and idealism. She hopes to study humanities, mathematics and theater in college.



Amanina Abdul Rashid from Century H.S. was the 4-H Student of Month. She had to take a little

kidding about the length of her essay with the application. As has been the case with other 4-H SOM, they have had help in being more than 'filling in the blanks' on an application. They have written very complete descriptions and quality content.

Amamina is a very active young woman. She is a competitive swimmer, and a student of Taekwondo preparing for the black belt test.

Her community service is as busy as her athletics. She has worked with the Reading Center/Dyslexia Institute of MN.

I guess her main project in 4-H has been horses. She cites 1 ½ pages of activities.

Amanina's hobbies include traveling, riding roller coasters, watching Big Bang Theory, going to movies, playing with her pets, doing arts and crafts, crocheting, writing, and reading. She is the daughter of Stacey Vanden Heuvel and Roshid Kadir.



Clare Brunn from Lourdes H.S. is the daughter of Gregory and Lois.

Clare has exhibited the skills needed to succeed at and excel in the Social Studies for her high school career. She has taken

all the Advanced Placement offerings, and in fact ALL the offerings, and has enthusiastically participated in many Social Studies related discussions. She pursues social studies related content on her own, furthering her knowledge of other peoples and areas of the world. She wants to pursue a career in some related field, and has the ability to see complex social issues from a variety of perspectives. Clare has been active in Student Council, Women's Lacrosse, Lourdes Women's Hockey SADD Club and Campus Ministry. She hopes to attend Loras Honors College to study psychology and play lacrosse.

(I can enjoy being a widower,)

WOMEN'S REVENGE

'Cash, check or charge?' I asked, after folding items the woman wished to purchase. As she fumbled for her wallet, I noticed a remote control for a television set in her purse.

'So, do you always carry your TV remote?' I asked.

'No,' she replied, 'but my husband refused to come shopping with me, and I figured this was the most evil thing I could do to him legally.'

WIFE VS. HUSBAND

A couple drove down a country road for several miles, not saying a word.

An earlier discussion had led to an argument and neither of them wanted to concede their position.

As they passed a barnyard of mules, goats, and pigs, the husband asked sarcastically, 'Relatives of yours?'

'Yep,' the wife replied, 'in-laws'

WORDS

A husband read an article to his wife about how many words women use a day. 30,000 to a man's 15,000.

The wife replied, 'The reason has to be because we have to repeat everything to men...'

The husband then turned to his wife and asked, 'What?'

CREATION

A man said to his wife one day, 'I don't know how you can be so stupid and so beautiful all at the same time.'

'The wife responded, 'Allow me to explain.'

God made me beautiful so you would be attracted to me;

God made me stupid so I would be attracted to you!

WHO DOES WHAT

A man and his wife were having an argument about who should brew the coffee each morning.

The wife said, 'You should do it because you get up first, and then we don't have to wait as long to get our coffee.'

The husband said, 'You are in charge of cooking around here and you should do it, because that is your job, and I can just wait for my coffee.'

Wife replies, 'No, you should do it, and besides, it is in the Bible that the man should do the coffee.'

Husband replies, 'I can't believe that, show me.'

So she fetched the Bible, and opened the New Testament and showed him at the top of several pages, that it indeed says 'HEBREWS'

THE SILENT TREATMENT

A man and his wife were having some problems at home and were giving each other the silent treatment.

Suddenly, the man realized that the next day, he would need his wife to wake him at 5:00 AM for an early morning business flight.

Not wanting to be the first to break the silence (and LOSE), he wrote on a piece of paper,

'Please wake me at 5:00 AM. He left it where he knew she would find it.

The next morning, the man woke up, only to discover it was 9:00 AM and he had missed his flight. Furious, he was about to go and see why his wife hadn't wakened him, when he noticed a piece of paper by the bed.

The paper said, 'It is 5:00 AM. Wake up.'

Men are not equipped for these kinds of contests.

