

October 12, 2016

It was the middle of October, and the new Regime was in full force. Presidente' Linda was Ringing her bell like Chuck Barris on the "Gong Show". Ding Dong, Ding Dong. She is following Alice Cooper's Advice, "No more Miss Nice Girl." President Linda is also our nominee for the "InterService Person of the year."

Anyway, it was a pretty good crowd with Raymount Scorbora leading the singing of GBA, and Pastor Pat Abbott giving the evening's grace. New Sheriff in town, Walt Mueller was collecting the fines. Treasurer Holmes had the 1st hand up, and fined his pal Dr. Goeke for his attire. Then Al gave a happy buck for being able to scrap the "McGovern/Eagleton" political sticker off his car and replace it with a "Clinton/Kane" message. Daisy then fined "anyone who has a \$0.00 next to their name on the Peanut sheet". There was a red headed guy at my table that qualified for that fine.

PP Don Killion was not at the head table, where he has resided for the past three years, and it was good to have him back among the membership. Prez Linda did bring Don up to the dais for his President's Plaque and his Lifetime membership in Kiwanis.

President Linda wanted to celebrate the Octo Birthdays. Dr. Paul was the first to celebrate, by having the duo of Skip & Frank render a ear splitting duet of "Happy Birthday", a painful experience to all who had their ears uncovered. Then Walt Mueller wanted a better act to follow, and choose to have the Ladies of the evening belt out a rousing rendition of "Happy Birthday". The "Shangri-Las" consisted of Linda, Pat, Mrs. Killion, and the guest speaker for the evening Miriam Holland.

With the absence of Ms. Big Goober Renea, who was excused because she was attending the Kiwanis Leadership Conference in Indianapolis, Al Holmes took the podium to update the Peanut Sale Progress. We are currently at \$22,800.14 in donations and Al says we need a good push to raise the additional \$12,000.00 for our budget.

The evening's program was presented by Ms. Holland, who is Director of the "Fish & Loaves" food program. She explained how they provide food to many residents of Wayne counties Downriver communities. They provide assistance to over 3000 people per month. She was thankful for all the volunteers who help with this program. Besides giving a great program, she also gave the club happy \$ for being who we are. Amy won the 50/50 and gave the winnings to Ms. Holland for the "Fish & Loaves" program.

Mr. October,
Reggie Jackson

Upcoming meetings

October 19th-Speaker from Professional 4th Street Bridge.-Meeting @ KofC

October 26th-PEANUT COOKOUT @ Ray Scorbora's-22741 Heinze- Last Day to turn in \$ for Team Competition.

Monday, November 21st-Volunteers needed for "Festival of Trees"-Sign-up sheet @ Treasurer's table

December 7th-CHRISTMAS PARTY @ Dearborn Country Club. \$50.00 per person & cash bar. Signup at Treasurers Table