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President Knoop asked Andy Livingston to spend a few moments discussing the Upper Arlington Rotary Foundation. At the outset, Andy thanked Brad Britton for the Columbus Foundation's help with the UA Rotary Foundation's funds and the giving process.

The Foundation is a 501(c) 3 organization. Requests for assistance come to the Foundation from various organizations (not individuals) – and many such requests are filtered through the club's Community Service Committee. Within the Foundation there are two types of funds – Unrestricted and Endowed funds. Unrestricted funds are the most flexible in that the monies can be used as necessary and as appropriate – as determined by the Foundation's leadership. Endowed funds are used strictly for the purpose(s) outlined in the endowment documents.

Any types of non-cash gifts received by the Foundation (e.g.: real estate, artwork) are converted to cash at what is deemed to be the best time to benefit the Foundation.

Typically, the amount of incoming funds comes close to matching the outflow each year. Last year, for example, the Foundation took in \$153,000 and issued \$143,000 in grants. Over the years, the UA Rotary Foundation has provided \$935,000 to various community projects.

Following Andy's presentation, the program turned to presentations by three UA Rotary committees about their plans for the 2016-17 Rotary Year.

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PROGRAM COMMITTEE

(JOHN KRAUSS AND DRAKE SNEED): John and Drake stressed the committee's intent to deliver speakers of general interest to the club each week. While there is a committee in place to work on the weekly programs, any member should feel free to suggest a topic or an individual speaker. The Program Committee regularly receives requests from various community groups to appear before the club. When this happens the committee stresses to the group that they should not look at their meeting appearance as a direct fundraising opportunity. Rather, club members are interested in learning about the organization's goals and objectives. Let John or Drake know if you are interested in helping out on the committee.



WEST BROAD STREET SCHOOL COMMITTEE

(TED FOSTER): Ted emphasized the importance of the West Broad Elementary School project to the children and the teachers at the school. He cited a recent thank you letter from the school that referred to UA Rotary as "our UA Rotary Angels". This year, club member support is again solicited for volunteer readers and for tutors. A new idea that the committee will work on this year is the feasibility of having a one day event where club members meet with students to talk about school and their educational and career experiences. Ted thanked the club for its ongoing financial commitment to this program by providing funding for various field trips and theater events. Sign-ups for West Broad School volunteers will be requested beginning next week.



WORLD COMMUNITY SERVICE COMMITTEE

(DAVE MCCURDY): Dave provided a handout for each table which outlined the committee's criteria for a project to be considered. New members were especially encouraged to review the outline. He highlighted the committee's ongoing commitment to their joint project with the Mayan Families Foundation in Guatemala. The project has focused on providing school facilities (pre-school and middle school), vocational schools (carpentry, computer lab, sewing). In addition, a water supply project has been successfully implemented. As the schools grow there is an ongoing need for additional facilities and supplies.

Following the reports, all members were asked to use the sign-up sheets on each table to indicate which two committees on which they would like to participate. Alternatively, let Dave Dewey know of your interest via email (ddewey2951@gmail.com).

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The Meeting

President **Chip Knoop** called the meeting to order and asked **Bill Mielke** to offer the Invocation and lead us in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Jim Hamilton introduced Assistant District Governor **Steve Heiser** (Columbus Club) and Catherine Friedman from the West Chester, PA club. There were no guests at today's meeting.

Chip reported the sad news that **Ginny Barney's** husband, Marshall, had passed away on Saturday, July 30. Services will be at 3:30 PM on Friday, August 5 at First Community Church on Cambridge Boulevard.

He also pointed out that a nice article honoring **Mark Shutt** had recently appeared in the Upper Arlington News. The article highlighted Mark's commitment to the law enforcement community and his posthumous receipt of the UA Police Division's Civilian of the Year award.

Next week's club meeting (8/9) will be at Schmidt's Reception House at Raymond Memorial. There will not be a regular meeting on Tuesday, August 16. In its place, a dine-around will take place on Friday, August 19. Details will be forthcoming soon. We will be back at Scioto Country Club for the August 23 and 30 meetings.

Bob Edler's son is with Honda Motors in Marysville and can help arrange factory tours. Tours will be offered on Thursday, October 27 and Tuesday, November 15. The tours will be in the morning and a catered lunch will be available. Given the expressed level of interest planning for the tours will go forward.

Notes and Announcements

Brad DeHays reminded us of the August 4 Taste of Tri Village. He distributed sign-up sheets for assistance with the UA Rotary booth. Those who help out (and everyone else, for that matter) are encouraged to wear a UA Rotary shirt – available from Mike Brady for \$10.00. Proceeds go to the Polio Plus campaign.

Phil Glandon announced that volunteer drivers are still needed for next week's U.S. Senior Open at Scioto. Drivers will use provided cars with pre-programmed GPS routes from Don Scott Field to local hotels and from the hotels to Scioto Country Club. The primary hotel is the Hilton Columbus downtown. Enough additional volunteers are needed to fill 20 shifts. Contact Phil if you are interested (pglandon@gmail.com).

The Homeless Families Foundation is in the midst of its back-to-school drive for backpack supplies. Monetary contributions are not needed at this time. UA Rotary has been asked to provide the following three items: regular size boxes of Kleenex, regular size bottles of hand sanitizer and inexpensive calculators. There will be a one-time collection of these items at next week's club meeting (8/9). Please bring the items to the meeting. **Herb Gillen** will collect and deliver them to HFF.

Norm Essey reminded us of the September 4 Golden Bear Bash which benefits the Upper Arlington Education Foundation. Invitations are out and a reply is requested. New club members were especially encouraged to participate.

Andy Livingston thanked club members and the community for their ongoing support of Pelotonia which occurs this weekend. (8/5-8/7)