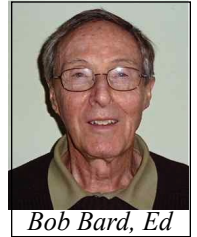


Having fun helping others... "watering the rosebuds"

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Bob Bard, Ed

Early morning rituals

We pledge, pray, and sing(?) The Coal Mine Song (16 Tons.)

McPherson Rewards Quiz

Your editor guesses "Over the Rainbow" when Pres. Jim reads lyrics and wins genuine McPherson Crane & Rigging ruler-calculator.



Gary gives Jim Mac stylish biker cap.

Guests

We welcome, Ken Haskins and Jan Vick.

PHF+1

Congratulations, Linda Lannon! Welcome back, Jack!

It's great to see Jack Krebs, again. Although wheel chair bound, he looks fit as a fiddle. Pres. Jim awards Jack New Member Sponsor and Veteran's Pins.

Announcements

RVPD to hold Family Safety Fair, Saturday, Sept. 6, 10-3 p. m. at Police Department, 50 Poppy House Rd. Please volunteer to help.

R. V. Rams send thank you note for dirt we gave to improve baseball diamond.

August is month to bring a guest

to Rotary.

World Polio Day is Oct. 24.

Gary Laz grand entrance

Arriving late and disrupting our important meeting, Gary claims, "Two bridges were open. Two." Careful, or he might try to sell you one of them.

Noteworthy brags

Lee says RVFD honoring Jack Krebs at movie in park, this evening. Sunday is Rio Vista day at Fair; see Lee for tickets & parking pass.

Jack pays a couple hundred dollars to PHF honoring granddaughter golfer, but he sadly can't resist touting success of obscure SoCal baseball club.

Dan says next Tuesday evening is National Night at Bruning Park. RVPD, RVFD, USCG, Sheriff personnel will be honored.

Betty & Larry will be grandparents, again, January. She pays \$20 to PHF.

Committee Reports

Hector hangs head low for exposing his darker side at Tequila Y Más. (We thought he held his cool remarkably well and did a fantastic job.) He thanks everybody he can think of who helped. This was a record year, netting \$5,000+! Lee will chair, next year.

THANK YOU, HECTOR!

Lee says Hog August Bites, Aug. 23, looks good, with car show, vendors, food, arts, crafts; volunteers needed for beer booth; Lions will help; Chili & Ribs cook-off; proceeds to local youth.

Recess in Reno

Pres. Jim says attend District Conference Oct. 31-Nov. 2.

Milestones

Jack, 20 years in Rotary; Tim, wedding; Eddie & Hank, birthdays; Kelley & Derek, club anniversaries.

Medallion

Pro-autioneer Wayne gets price up to \$60, and Tim's the winner.

Confessions

Jim McCracken misses Tequila tasting, Rotaryanne Sue attends, gets attractive tattoo. Jim pays \$25.

Jim Lira misses Tequila event, enjoys trumpet concert instead and donates all beer to event.

Tim misses Tequila event while taking Terry to Napa, forgets 40th anniversary, attends family reunion and donates \$75 to general fund.

Gary misses Tequila, makes up Rotary in Hoquiam, Warshington. He pays \$100 to Dictionary Fund.



Jan Vick speaks on old Army base.

Lee gallantly volunteers to pay Evelyn's fine for her having been booted out of the Point because she didn't know good guacamole.

Linda pays \$25 to TIP411 for 4 nights at Tahoe with family.

Program

Jan Vick brings us up to date on future of old Army Base property.

50/50 Raffle

Jan picks wrong marble for Bob.

COMING ATTRACTIONS

<u>DATE</u>	<u>SPEAKER/EVENT</u>	<u>PROGRAM CHAIR</u>
Friday, August 8	Tim Chapa, City Manager	Linda Lannon, Galt Chief Bowen
Friday, August 15	Hopefully, Camp Venture Students	To Be Announced
Friday, August 22	No Meeting Today	Nobody
Saturday, August 23	Hog August Bites	Lee Williams
Friday, August 29	To Be Announced	Tom Donnelly