



The Rotoreador

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COMING NEXT

March 15
 Dwight Sullivan Toast

March 22
 Road Trip to Five Points
 Rotary's Social Hour

MEETING NOTES

Past President **Pam Aultman** opened the meeting by leading us in the *Four Way Test*. **John Mees** gave the *Moment of Inspiration*. Then he led us in the *Pledge of Allegiance*. **Steve Easterday-McPadden** led us in *America The Beautiful*, accompanied by his guitar. Then he played and sang *I'll Fly Away*, as a tribute to Kathy Jurgens. .

Birthdays this week totaled 203 years and included **John Bauman, Ed Kanemoto,** and **Dick Richards.**

There was one club anniversaries for Don Wood (27 years)



provide school supplies to a high school in the Philippines. *Dauin High School* is in the City of Dauin, Negros Island, Philippines.

In past years, we have asked club members to buy school supplies which we could package up and send to Dauin High School. The last couple of years, we have bought supplies in bulk. Charlotte said that she found some pens on sale at ten pens for ten cents and she bought 1400 of them. (A little later she went back to that store and the pens were no longer on sale)

She showed us a map of Dauin and told us that it is a rural community with a population of about 21,000. Each year the school develops goals such as peer tutoring and remedial reading.

Last year, along with the supplies, we sent Dauin an LCD projector, and this year we included a CD player with out dictionaries and calculators. Charlotte told us that all together there are about 1400 grateful students in Dauin.

PROGRAM

Ryan Mason introduced our speakers **Rene Moquin** and **Jim Nussbaumer** from the *Marion Medical Mission (MMM)*. The organization builds shallow wells for clean waer in Africa.

They explained to us that they believe

HOSPITALITY

Dick Richards introduced his guest, "**Wil**" **Bishop**. **Marty Quigley** visited from the *St. Vrain club*. **Debbie Setlock** had a makeup at the E-Club, and Bob Parsons had four makeups in India.

FAMILY OF ROTARY

Diane Stowe announced there will be a toast /roast for Dwight Sullivan next week.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

It's time to register for the Rotary International meeting in New Orleans. Registration is at www.Rotary.org. Also the District Conference will be in Loveland on April 29-30, 2011.

LITERACY COMMITTEE

Charlotte Tyson represented the club Literacy Committee that is headed by **Edwina Salazar**. Charlotte reminded us that we



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community efforts to help those less fortunate can only help if the people who are impacted are involved in the solution. So MMM provides the materials, but the villagers have to provide the labor.

MMM is a Christian-based volunteer organization founded in Marion, Illinois. The volunteers work in central and northern Malawi, southern Tanzania, and eastern Zambia. All volunteers pay their own living expenses and travel. They work directly with those who benefit from the projects, working hand-in-hand with the families who need the water. A shallow well costs \$350. It can be built in the most remote areas and is easy to repair and maintain. The villagers are trained to maintain the well and must agree to do so.

People from the village dig the well, make the brick to line it, and

bring sand and stone needed for construction. MMM supplies cement, pipe, a pump, skilled labor, and training.

MMM has helped build more than 13,000 wells in Africa and they plan to help with at least 2500 this coming Fall before the rainy season begins.

Other Clubs in Area 8 Meetings

Carbon Valley: 7:00 AM Tuesday, Bella Rosa Country Club

Mead: 7:00 AM Friday, Mead Town Hall, 441 3rd Street

Erie: 5:30 PM Monday, Colorado National Golf Club

Twin Peaks: Noon Thursday, 1st Lutheran, Longmont

St. Vrain: 7:00 AM Wednesday, 1st Lutheran, Longmont

