

The Swainsboro Kiwanian

July 14, 2009

Well, better late than never, they say, but in any case, here is your weekly Kiwanis bulletin. President Bobby Seamans called the meeting to order promptly at 7:00. He asked Jason Johnson to lead the Pledge of Allegiance, and Travis Garrett to offer the invocation. Attendance was a bit light for a hot summer evening.

Guests: Other than our speaker, the only guest was Jean Weise, who was the guest of L.H.

Next Tuesday is the third Tuesday, (if my counting is right), and Ron McCrosky, Jim Hendrickson, Gary Couse, Chip Durden, Charles Brewer, Raymond Hendrix, and Dwight Watt are invited to bring a spouse or a guest.

Sports: Tobe Karrh brought us the weekly sports update. The Tour de France is going on at the moment, and Lance Armstrong is running close behind the leader. The Braves are doing whatever the Braves do, being very Bravish, as Tobe likes to say.

Court: Judge Charles Brewer had a rather light docket, meting out only a single fine, to Bill Breedlove for his tardiness. Everyone else seems to be walking the strait and narrow!

Announcements: John Black reminded the club of the hot dog cookout at Franklin Memorial Library for the Summer Teen Reading Club. A report on this activity will be in next week's bulletin.

President Bobby reminded Board members of the meeting on Thursday evening at the home of L.H. and Jean Weise.

Program: Jim Dekle was Program Chair for the evening, and he introduced George Elder, President of Emanuel County Historic Preservation Society as the speaker. The Historical Society has just completed a restoration of Sam's rocket from the old Sam's Drive-in on South Main. The long time Swainsboro residents remember this as a popular place for the teens to go, and some of you probably went there. George discussed the restoration process and noted that the restored rocket will be available for local parades and can be rented for commercial use. George also stated that the Society will work to complete the Madison Dixon Livery Stable and the wheelwright museum. Thanks, George and Jim for an interesting program.

Door Prizes: Ron McCrosky provided a key lime cake, baked by Petite Garrett, and won by Tim Goodman. Debbie Jones, of Catered Creations, won the Domino's pizza, provided by Chris Cann. Jason Johnson and Jim Dekle won the takeout meals.

Coming up:	Program	Cake
July 21	Jason Johnson	Raymond Hendrix
July 28	Jim Daughtry	Caroline Harless
August 4	Carroll Gambrell	Jason Johnson
August 11	Jim Dekle	Chip Durden
August 18	Travis Garrett	Ron McCrosky
August 25	Chris Cann	Tobe Karrh

Note of Thanks: Thanks to Edwin Canady for providing me information to write this bulletin. Anything that is at variance with what happened at the meeting, I made up, so don't blame Edwin!

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