

March 21, 2018

It was the annual steak dog night, and that's not a new breed of canine companion. It's the night the Peanut Sale winning team gets a steak dinner and the rest of us get dogs and beans.

This year Don Killion's Passionate Peanut Peddlers were the winning team and Dons wife Lynn, who bought Don dinner all year long, came along for a steak dinner with the rest of the team. Leon Bergeron braved the cold March winds to grill the steaks /dogs and did a damn fine job of it, that man does love to Bar-B-Q. President Renea even turned down a steak dinner in favor of hot dogs, a political maneuver if I ever saw one.

Our Circle K president was in attendance with her mother, who came along to make sure we weren't a bunch of dirty old men (I think we fooled her) and they both turned down steak in favor of hot dogs and beans. Now that I think of it, there's a lot more Coney island restaurants than there are steak houses in this area, maybe were giving the wrong meals to the winners.

Apparently the Circle K Club at U of M Dearborn has made a big turn around. Their membership has doubled and volunteer activities have gone from 4 or 5 a year to 8 or 9 a month, one hell of an increase.

Spring Divisional is on Saturday, April 7th at the K of C and Lt. Governor Linda is counting on a good turn out from our membership. There are Kiwanis members coming from 10 or 12 other Clubs in the area and we need to show them that we support our Lt. Governor. The affair goes from 9 am till noon, A continental breakfast will be served and it cost \$15.

If you haven't already signed up let me know by answering this newsletter or there is a sign up sheet at the Treasurers desk.

This coming week will be the drawing date for our first monthly "Lotto Ticket Raffle". For those that do not know, we sell raffle tickets each week for 4 weeks and on the 4th week we draw out one winner who gets \$100 worth of scratch off lotto tickets in different denominations, \$1, \$2, \$3, \$5 & \$10. The drawing will be at the end of the meeting this week and you do not have to be present to win. For the 4 meetings in April we will be doing the same thing.

Plans are firming up for our 90th Anniversary meeting. It will be a picnic on Wednesday, July 18th at Ford Field. We have rented one of the big shelters, plan on having our normal cook-out bar and most of the food will be catered.. We're hoping to keep the cost at \$25, only \$5 more than a regular cook-out.

Up-Coming Events:

March 28th – Our own Ed Chielens will give a presentation on his resent trip to Viet Nam, complete with Ho Chi Minh City, a cruse up the Mekong River and a side trip to Cambodia. Don't miss hearing about an American tourist destination that 50 years ago was a red hot war zone. Board of Directors Meeting to Follow the regular meeting.

April 4th – Our special guest will be a Skadegamutc, a ghost witch from the Wabanaki, a Native American tribe from the southwest who will perform a

series of death dances designed to bring on the spring weather. War paint and feather headbands are appropriate for this meeting.

April 7th – Spring Divisional at the K of C, 9 am till noon, come support Lt. Governor Linda.

April 14th – Come observe the anniversaries of three very tragic events: President Abraham Lincoln is shot in Ford's Theatre in 1865, the RMS Titanic hits an iceberg in the North Atlantic in 1912 and the first Volvo car premieres in Gothenburg in 1927.

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