



SUNRISE SALUTE

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News from the the Rotary Meeting of April 26, 2010



2009-10 RI Theme

Leading the Way At San—Lee

San-Lee Sunrise Rotary President Neal Jensen , opened the meeting with the 'Quote of the Week': "Whoever said the pen is mightier than the sword, obviously never encountered automatic weapons." - General Douglas MacArthur.

Leslie Cox led the Rotary invocation.

Hayden Lutterloh led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Club guest Jennifer Rothkopf, counselor at Grace Christian School, was recognized.

President Jensen led the Four Way Test to close the meeting.



San-Lee Sunrise Rotary President Neal Jensen (left) introduced fellow San-Lee Sunrise Rotarian Ashley Hinman who presented a program, including a video, that reviewed the distinguished career that his father Col. Richard H. Hinman had as a bombardier in the Army, Army Air Force and United States Air Force during World War II.

President Jensen introduced Ashley Hinman for a program in which Ashley described his father's career in the Army, the Army Air Force and the United States Air Force. In World War II, Lieutenant Hinman flew 35 missions over enemy territory as a bombardier aboard a B17 Flying Fortress. Lieutenant Hinman's planes were shot down three times and in one of those events Lieutenant Hinman received the Distinguished Flying Cross for helping to keep the plane flying with only one functional engine and, therefore, saving the crew of the plane. Ashley presented a video tape of his father relating the story of some of his war experiences including the Army Air Force participation in the Battle of the Bulge.

Good News

- Leslie Cox gave a short description of his GSE trip to 'Rotary Down Under' in Australia and will provide a complete program for San-Lee Sunrise at a later date.
- Leslie gave great mention to the Australian team's praise for Ashley and Mary Ann Hinman's hosting duties while they were in Sanford.
- President Jensen gave a short report on District Conference held at the Grove Park Inn in Asheville and made a special mention of Leslie and the other 2010 GSE team members dancing on stage.
- Dave Merriman complimented the San-Lee Sunrise members for maintaining good attendance.
- Terry Mullen announced his daughter has taken a vacation from work with the Durham planning department for a trip around the U.S. in a 29-foot recreational vehicle.
- Larry Mintz had high praise for the newly-expanded North Carolina Art Museum and alerted the membership about the upcoming production of *South Pacific* at the Temple Theatre (April 29-May 16).
- Ashley Hinman bragged on Dave Merriman's electrician skills in helping him repair the sound system at Carolina Trace.
- Charles Oldham had high praise for the 3rd Annual Downtown Sanford Criterium bicycle race.

Club News

- San-Lee Sunrise Rotary Charter Night will be held May 17th at the Buffalo Lake Club House starting at 6:30 p.m.
- President Jensen reported from the District Conference that there are now 8 Triple-Crown Clubs in the world of Rotary, and all eight are in Rotary District 7690.