



SUNRISE SALUTE

Rotary International Charter No. 30735 – Chartered May 1, 1995 – Rotary District 7690

News from the the Rotary Meeting of June 28, 2010



2009-10 RI Theme

Leading the Way At San—Lee

President Marcy Santini opened the meeting with the 'Quote of the Week': "Have you ever noticed that anybody driving slower than you is an idiot, and anyone going faster than you is a maniac?" -George Carlin.

Andy Manhardt led the Rotary invocation.

Charles Oldham led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Club guest Harris Ray was recognized.

President Santini led the 'Four Way Test' to close the meeting.



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Good News

- Larry Mintz had high praise for NC State's choice of Debbie Yow as the University's new athletic director. Larry worked with Ms. Yow at the University of Maryland.
- Ashley Hinman gave a medical report on Dave Merriman, stating Dave is leaving his stint in rehab.
- Ashley reported he recently spent some time in the hospital due to an adverse reaction to medication.
- Mike Thomas reported a joyful reunion by email with a young lady from Belarus who lived with the Thomas family for a year after the Chernoble disaster. The young lady was eleven years old in 1998 when she came to live with them.
- Sheriff Carter reported the breakup of a theft operation in the County.
- Andy Manhardt reported he has completed the make-ready for renting of his daughter's condo in Myrtle Beach.

Club News

- President Santini shared two 'thank you' cards from Boys and Girls Club of Sanford/Lee County and Carolina Animal Rescue and Adoption (CARA).
- President Santini reminded the membership there will be no San-Lee Sunrise meeting on July 5th.
- San-Lee Sunrise Rotarian Paul Dauphin will present a program on deep water oil drilling on July 12th.

Community News

- President Santini put in a plug for "Function at the Junction" 2010 Summer Concert Series at Depot Park, every Thursday at seven p.m., June through September. The July 8th Junction Function will be the Heart of Carolina Jazz Band, and July 15th will be Swift Creek Revival bluegrass band.