



The Cornpicker

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DATE/TIME/ PLACE: Feb 5, 2008 - 12 noon at Marchelloni's

ATTENDANCE: 24 plus Mark Myer, Chuck Goodwin, Dawn Phillips

LOTTO: Dawn Phillips & Steve (Dean) Weeks

PERFECT ATTENDANCE



Steve Weeks

ACTION ON THE AVENUES

CLUB SERVICE

Programs:

- 02/12 - Bill Fugate
- 02/19 - Carl Borngasser (Trent Proehl, M.D. General Surgeon, OSF)
- 02/26 - John Capasso
- 03/04 - OPEN
- 03/11 - Dr. Capasso
- 03/18 - OPEN
- 03/25 - OPEN

Membership:

1st and 2nd Notice for Dawn Phillips - Sponsored by Mike Petersen.

Bits & Pieces

It's easy to get people's attention; what counts is getting their interest.

A. Philip Randolph (1889-1979)
 Labor leader and civil rights activist

AREA CLUB MEETINGS

Bloomington	12:00 Noon	Thursday	Elks Club
Gibson City	6:45 a.m.	Wednesday	The Country Kettle
Gilman	6:05 p.m.	Tuesday	Gilman Lounge
Lincoln	11:50 a.m.	Wednesday	Elks Country Club
Normal	12:00 Noon	Wednesday	Bone Student Center
Piper City	6:15 p.m.	Monday	Azz Izz Tavern

Mark Myer



Mark recalls talking with Bobby Knight in a clinic when Bobby explained how you remember a teacher. You can remember the name of a demanding teacher but can you remember any others and their name? Mark at 4 years

old was watching the Cubs with Jack Brickhouse announcing the game. He asked his dad if he got paid to do that. When his dad said yes, that is when he decided he was going to be an announcer. In 8th grade, in his class of eight kids, his motto soon became . . . *"If it is to be, it is up to me!"* In his high school of 180 students, he had to have a C average to play basketball so "I hit the books!" But, he didn't mean to study. His coach called him a "meat-head". He had to teach him the *"Game of*

Life". His senior year he did not start but was the 6th man on the team. The coach needed him in this position to win because he knew Mark's desire to win. As his coach would say, *"the more I yell, the more I love you!"* The one way to go a long way with the Refs was to be polite and say please and thank you. Polite got calls. The coach made you "ready to go in Life". He found out when going to Lincoln College It's "Not what you know, but who you know". He did volleyball games, basketball and even a P.A. announcer for pregame. ISU was his worst move. They expected him to do everything like weather and D.J. records. Not for him! Next, he went to St. Frances and came out with his first job that paid by pizza. There is one thing you have to learn "Coaches demand Respect!" Mark came to Pontiac in 1990 and started working with Mark Edwards.

😊 *Leroy laid down his pen at this point and just listened!*



Bits & Pieces

LIVING BY THE GOLDEN RULE

In what economists call the "ultimatum Game," two people each exercise a powerful choice. At stake is \$100. Only one person is given the money and allowed to determine how to divide it with the other person. Each knows that if the second person does not agree to the amount being offered, the first person must forfeit the money and both parties leave empty-handed.

Some consider the second player to be the more fortunate of the two, for it's the second player who has nothing and benefits simply by agreeing. But more often than not, anything other than an equitable division of the money is refused by second

players. Researchers theorize this refusal stems from the desire of most people for life to be fair - even if it creates disappointment for someone.

It's encouraging to know that in many instances worldwide, when the "ultimatum" scenario is played out, the first players holding the money usually offer their counterparts a 50-50 split. And the offer is always graciously accepted. And why not? When given the chance, wouldn't you treat someone the way you'd like to be treated?

Adapted from You, Inc.
Harry Beckwith and Christine Clifford Beckwith
Warner Business Books

CONFIDENTIAL MEMBERSHIP NOTICE

Date 2/5/08

The following individual(s) has(ve) been proposed for membership into the Fairbury Rotary Club and is/are hereby being published as required by Article XI, Section 1,(5) of the Fairbury Rotary Club By-Laws. Written objections to membership admittance, stating reasons, must be received by the Club Secretary not later than 10 days following publication.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Proposed Classification</u>	<u>Membership</u>	<u>1st/2nd Publication</u>	<u>Proposer</u>
Dawn Phillips	Physical Therapy Clinic Mgr.	A	1st	Mike Petersen

Leroy McPherson, Secretary