



The Cornpicker

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2010 - 2011 Officers

President Charlie McDonald
 Pres. Elect Becky Whitfill
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DATE/TIME/PLACE: July 13, 2010 - 12:00 noon at Marchelloni's

ATTENDANCE: 20 plus Jonnita Vogel, Lucas Diller, Brianna Ifft, Kassadee Ifft, Ryan Steidinger and Tyler Wahls

LOTTO: Mark Steffen and Tyler Wahls

ACTION ON THE AVENUES

CLUB SERVICE

Programs:

7/20 - Mark Steffen - Retired Air Force Mechanic
 7/27 - OPEN

Membership:

Dues will be sent out as soon as I get them from the District - hopefully soon!

8/31 - Dist. Gov. Ropp will be here. Mark your calendar. Board will meet with Gov. Ropp before or after meeting.



Josh Clemons handed the gavel to new President, Charlie McDonald and President McDonald awarded the Rotary service pen to Josh.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Deb Moran announced the Brian Munz Golf Tournament which will be held July 24. Call Deb immediately if you would like to play or sponsor a hole. The firewives are making cookies and a meal will also be served.

Bit's & Pieces

A good leader inspires men to have confidence in him; a great leader inspires them to have confidence in themselves.

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

IAJHSC Leadership Camp

Jonnita Vogel, Lucas Diller, Brianna Ifft, Kassadee Ifft, Ryan Steidinger



The IAJHSC Leadership Camp is held at the Memorial 4-H Camp in Allerton Park, Monticello. The camp is for 7th and 8th grade students who are or will be involved in student council in their home schools. The purpose is to provide opportunities for the delegates to gain leadership skills, a deeper understanding of the democratic process and to participate in the exchange of ideas which will, in turn, help improve Student Councils in the delegates' home schools.

Students come from 36 schools in the State of Illinois. Delegates are placed in a council with students from other schools in order to meet new friends and have new experiences. No cell phones are allowed. They need to focus on the other



Every activity had a dual purpose - it was fun but also taught the delegates to rely on and trust in each other.



Prairie Central Campers and JCs

delegates. In one exercise, delegates had to look another person in the eye and give them a complement. A ribbon was received for each complement.

The JCs (high school) are there to facilitate activities, motivate the kids and set an example. They are in charge of a cabin of 6 or 7 delegates and are in charge of decorating their cabin with a theme and making it homey.



Prairie Central JCs

The JCs enjoy watching the delegates make friends, step out of their comfort zone and grow into better leaders. By the end of the week, these kids can work together to do almost anything. Students are encouraged to "Be Who You Are"

Mrs. Vogel was asked about one of their service projects "Operation Mend". Students have had several fund-raisers to make money for this very worthy cause. Many servicemen and servicewomen return from war with disfiguring injuries. This program helps them get the care they need free of charge.



Steve Weeks introduced his nephew, Tyler Wahls. Tyler is a Senior Airman in the Air Force. He joined the service in November 2008. He is currently stationed in Mountain Home, Idaho. He does radar work with aircraft and also air to ground communications. He was first deployed to Kitar and will leave July 25th for Iraq. Usually his shifts are 12 hours on and 12 off. In his spare time he is taking college classes on line. Tyler hopes to finish his bachelor's degree in about a year. He has been a Squadron Leader for sometime and has received several awards.

Rotarians thanked Tyler for serving our Country!