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## KIWANIS KEY

Weekly Newsletter of the Kiwanis Club of Green Bay – Downtown KIWANIS MEETING OF September 18, 2023

If you wanted a satisfying lunch, Kiwanis was the place to be on this Monday! Enjoying perfectly cooked slices of roast beef, a vegetable medley, salad, rolls, and strawberry shortcake were Anne, Pat, Ben W., Bob R., Ann, and Rick. Thanks to the Hyatt Regency chefs for doing a marvelous job!

After the pledge of allegiance and a prayer from Ben, we belted out a strong version of the "Packer Fight Song" (loud enough to stop the Rotary meeting next door, we figured). Happy dollars came from Ann (her dad's successful surgery), Pat (trip to Ireland, more on that later), and Anne. She told a scary story about con artists that targeted her mother and almost got away with a significant amount of money. Thankfully, the scam fell apart in the end. Please keep an eye on your elderly and vulnerable friends and relatives, this type of activity is very prevalent!

Regarding the people of Ireland, they survived a recent visit by Pat and friends. Pat cheered Notre Dame to a football victory over Navy, toured much of the country (making sure to drive on the correct side of the road), and learned that for many years he's been missing out on the wonderful taste of Guinness beer. He pledged to return as soon as possible!

We regretfully accepted the resignation request of Bob Fahres, an active and loyal member for 57 years. Bob was our president in 1984. Long

before my time, his wife Ann did the weekly meeting minutes. Bob will become an "honorary" member and we'll keep him informed on club activities. Thank you, Bob, you have truly been a gift to our Kiwanis club.

In the few meeting minutes we had left, we discussed a donation request from the Boy Scouts, a new advisor to the Southwest High School Key Club, read thank you letters from the DePere Kiwanis Club and scholarship winner Ella VanPrice, and authorized Pat to submit our 2023-24 club officers list with no changes (for now).

Next meetings at the Hyatt Regency — mark your calendars now!

Monday, October 2 at noon and Monday, October 16 at noon.

By: Rick Satterlee