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KIWANIS KEY

Weekly Newsletter of the Kiwanis Club of Green Bay – Downtown KIWANIS MEETING OF July 18, 2022

Today's newsletter writer will admit to getting special treatment during our only club meeting in July. Hard to deny that a 70th birthday isn't a big deal, so Kiwanis love appeared in the form of chocolate cake and the birthday song. Thanks everyone!

Our lunch group was Bob R., Cheri, Anne, Maria, Bob F., and Rick (the target of the birthday attention). Lunch was a chicken breast, carrots, salad, and chicken wild rice soup. Everyone but Rick had sweet potato pie for dessert. Happy dollars came from Maria (kids are visiting), Cheri (club members met at Zambaldi's for a beer last week), Anne (very successful rummage sale), and Rick (birthday, of course). We should have put one in for Ole, we read a Press Times article about the Kress Inn winning "Best of Choice" and "Ring of Honor" awards from Choice Hotels International. Next time we will do so, Pat ... congratulations!

We spent much of the meeting enjoying our mail! We all smiled and laughed at the cards made by Becky Taylor's Nicolet School 3rd grade class thanking us for the trip to the zoo in May. Every one of them included an expression of appreciation for Kiwanis "paying" for the food and zoo admission. Becky had used the trip to teach the kids about money. Anne said she talked to one student who didn't believe we could have paid for all of the day's activities because "nobody has that much money"!

We also had notes of appreciation from two scholarship winners (Giselle and Kaitlyn) and the YMCA describing the positive impact of our recent donation.

Maria described her recent deliveries of the six iPads we purchased earlier this year and shared a thank you note from 11 year old Nathan. Autistic children have trouble expressing their feelings, forming words, and just communicating in general. iPads have unlocked the communication barrier for many children, allowing them to put words and symbols together and eventually even creating sentences.

Upcoming meetings (please note the changes):

Monday, August 15 - noon at the Hyatt Regency. We will not have a meeting on Monday, August 1st.

Monday, September 19 - noon at the Hyatt Regency. We will not have a meeting on Monday, September 5th which is Labor Day.

by: Rick Satterlee



Rick enjoying his birthday cake. Happy 70th Rick!