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Corn Bugs in Rock County Corn

Guests:

Donna Cavey and Becky Hayes of KANDU Industries joined us, on behalf of Janesville AKTION Club who brought carnations to sell as a fundraiser for their club. They are also buying fleece to make blankets to distribute at the local Nursing Homes

Students of the Month:

Introduced by Past President Dave were:
Parker – Katie Petersen
Craig – Felicia Hornby and Anthony Nguyn.

Announcements:

Kiwanis Annual Pancake Breakfast to be held 4/12/08 at First Lutheran Church (near the fairgrounds). Please get placemat ads and 4 packs sold and turned in to Andy or Dr. Jim.

Andy has some extra businesses to contact, so if you have some extra time, please call him and he'll get you some more businesses to contact.

There will be a board meeting next week following the noon meeting.

50/50 drawing:

Dave Fleig drew the 4 of Diamonds to continue the suspense. The pot is now at \$248.00, with 32 cards remaining in the deck

Happy Dollars:

Irene Stewart - For all who helped out with Meals on Wheels –
Dave Calverley, Randy Borman, Harvey Miller, Chris Isackson, George Mark, Ben Coopman, Kevin O'Leary, Rob Terry, Jim Damrow, Andy Frelich, Tom Waller, and Irene Stewart.

Dr Kevin O'Leary - Parker girls win on Friday and Tom Waller did Meals on Wheels for him.

Ben Coopman - 750,000th ton of blacktop has been distributed to local potholes.

Andy Frelich - Tom Waller did Meals on Wheels for him.

Pres Harvey Miller - Rob Terry did Meals on Wheels for him.

Harvey Miller - Daughter actually enjoyed her visit to a dentist when she had an appointment with Dr. Kevin.

Ed Pulliam – offered a dollar of apology because he couldn't think of anything insulting to say about Dr. Kevin.

Program:

Jim Stute, Crops/Soils Agent, Rock County UW-Extension was today's speaker. Jim provided a most interesting program on rootworms, more specifically the Western Corn Rootworm.



Rootworms have existed for years but have been controlled through crop rotation. The rootworm lives in corn and lays eggs in the soil. The following spring, these eggs hatch and feed on the roots of the new corn crop. By growing soybeans in this soil the following year, the rootworms could not survive.

The clever rootworm however has figured out that if they lay their eggs in the soil where the soybeans are, there will usually be corn there next year to feed on.

It is believed that this pest began in Illinois and now covers most of Illinois and Indiana. There are 90,000 acres at risk in Rock County.

It would take 75 tons of pesticide to treat these acres. The problem is that pesticides are much more toxic than herbicides. 100 pounds of Counter, a pesticide that was once used widely, in Janesville's drinking water would kill any person or pet that drank it.

Jim, through the UW-Extension, and others are trying to find ways to help more corn producers to recognize the risks and safely treat at risk acres.

Thanks to Jim Holmstrom for taking the notes. Members having information for future newsletters can email editor@janesvillekiwanis.org.

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