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Tagos Leadership Academy

Guests:

No guests today.

Announcements:

Jayme Roth reported on the Janesville Golden K Club's Flag Burning ceremony today and that her father-in-law, Marvin Roth, long-time member of our club, was honored. The Golden K Club has taken on the responsibility of properly destroying used or damaged American flags. There were 600 flags honorably destroyed at the ceremony.

Pat Weberpal encouraged members to sign up for the June 26 Golf Outing at Glen Erin Golf Club. Contact Pat if you have not signed up and plan to attend. There's a steak cook-out about 4 pm, following the golf game.

Spring Flower planting at Kiwanis Community Park was completed on Tuesday June 10 by members of our Club. Praise and glory to those who helped.

Ed Pulliam reported our Club had purchased 50 Site of Senses blue carrying bags and small items for the kits, which we donate to help handicapped children.

Kiwanis International Convention, Orlando, June 25-29. Nancy Verhoven and Michele Zimmerman will be attending as our club's delegates.

Happy Dollars:

Don Chapin thanked those who planted flowers on June 10 at Kiwanis Park.

Ben Coopman is happy Rock County escaped the flood damage this week which occurred in Sauk County at Lake Delton. Roads, bridges, houses and trees are gone.

Our Program:



Three representatives of the Tagos Leadership Academy spoke about their school. This is a Charter School, which is located in Arrow Park on North Parker Drive.

Al Lindau is the school administrator, and Val Maxon and John Woloshin are teachers.

The academy is part of Janesville School District and reports to the School Board.

The 2007-08 school year has been the first year for the Tagos Leadership Academy. There were 36 students, and they are planning on adding 40 students next year in grades 7-12, mostly in ages 13-18. This is a project based school, and class periods are not used.

In most instances their students have struggled with acquiring study skills or behaving appropriately in their previous school experiences. Some have difficulty in fitting in at regular schools, and some have been expelled from regular schools due to misbehavior. The students are taught to respect each other by self-discipline rules, follow a dress code, and learn to complete projects using research and study. Tagos Leadership Academy's purpose is to teach these students how to be responsible citizens while earning a high school diplomas.

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

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