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“Call and Pump” Increases Survival Rate

Opening:

Prez. Elect Jayme Roth led the meeting today.

Students:

Craig Students: Mike Haen and Maddie Stearns

Parker Students: Zach Chekouras and Breanna Blair

Announcements:

Strategic Planning Meeting - to be held Saturday, March 21 at Prez. Ben's home, 5310 N. Sable Ct., Milton, beginning at 8 AM.

Please RSVP to Jamie, Jim or Ben

Dave Wiman announced a Key Club meeting at Craig High. 7:30, Wednesday in Room 519.

This is for ideas for a drive to benefit Camp Waubeek.

Newsletter writers are needed, many hands make light work. Takes about 15-20 minutes 8-10 times a year. Contact Dave Fleig at 756-3666 if interested. Seriously contact him.

Ace pot drawing:

Don Chapin drew a card but not the Ace of hearts. The pot grows for next week

Happy Dollars:

Rob was happy that he knew 2 of the students and used to work with one's Mom

Dave Green was happy to get a tax refund this year. Unfortunately it was a result of the significant drop in the value of investments. (a lot of us can painfully relate to that Dave)

Our Program:



Our speaker today was Chad Hanson with the Janesville Paramedics. He spoke about the somewhat new CPR method which is "Call &

Pump". This refers to Call 911 and Pump (do chest compressions) while you wait for help to arrive. This method of compression only CPR was started about 25 years ago in Arizona. The method was brought to Walworth and Rock Counties about 5 years ago. It is now being used in Dane county also.

The survival rate has improved from 10% - 15% with the old CPR to around 40% with the Call & Pump. These numbers are based on 'witness arrest', which means someone actually saw the person go into arrest and began compressions.

The goal is to keep the heart and the brain alive. The compressions are administered to equal 100 beats per minute of the heart. The oxygen is in the blood already and the compressions keep the blood moving to provide the oxygen to the muscles.

Chad gave a very interesting program and one that could save a life. This is something all of us should be able to do if needed.

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

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