

The meeting was called to order and opened with the Pledge of Allegiance by Sunrise Rotary Club President Sandy Christenson. Guy Olson presented the Invocation. Our Greeter, Guy Olson, introduced these guests; Dee Fritz (host for a student from Northern Ireland) and Shannon Mitchell (exchange student from Northern Ireland) both guests of Rod Scheel. Welcome!

BRAGS and FINES Jeanne Jensen will be absent next week as her mom and sister are coming for a visit from Texas! Rud Wasson told about the success of the MS Tram in Fergus Falls with the assistance of Rotarians and told about the success of the Mosquito Run at the Prairie Wetlands Center! John Richards bragged about the Minnesota Twins! Gay Folden related that his daughter and her 3 children are here visiting from France! Harry Olson is taking his mom down to the Lake Lillian area to visit relatives! Karen Terry also bragged about the MS Tram and fined herself for being a little late in getting out the perfect attendance awards! Stan Satre enjoyed watching his grandson play in a championship baseball game in Bloomington! Kim Embretson enjoyed a trip to his place in Canada as they are building an extra cabin on the place! Bruce Money told about 8 physicians finishing the Hoot Lake Triathlon and told that he and 18 others are going on a Boy Scout back packing trip in the mountains!

BUSINESS President Sandy Christenson thanked the volunteers that helped with the MS Tram Tour. President Sandy requested volunteers to assist with the clean-up following the Relay for Life. Karen Terry presented Perfect Attendance Awards for 2006-

2007 to Bob Wasson, Mike Smith, Paul Fjestad, Guy Olson, Harry Olson, Jim Mason, and Matt Bucher. Sandy Christenson presented the Past President Pin and Plaque to Matt Bucher. Matt Bucher presented Sandy Christenson with his President's Pin. Guy Olson presented the Rotary Moment concerning exchange students as Shannon Mitchell from Northern Ireland.

ATTENDANCE The attendance for the meeting was 21 (56.76%). Those not present were Tim Bakken, Dave Bjork, Randy Carlson, Dusty Christenson, Paul Fjestad, Doug Gray, Barry Heinen, Peter Jacobson, Reed Mahlke, Paul Nelson, Cathy Peterson, Donovan Rasmusson, Dave Schneeberger, Mike Smith, Jan Trosvig, and Bob Wasson.

PROGRAMS July Programs are brought to us by Dream Team #1. (Rud Wasson, Rod Scheel, Derrick Jones, Peter Jacobson, and Harry Olson). Programs for August are; 8/7—Landscape Technology and 8/14—Membership.

TODAY'S PROGRAM Guy Olson introduced the program which featured our own Kim Embretson speaking about the "Big Idea. Kim and several members of our club including Guy Olson, Harry Olson, Karen Terry, and Rud Wasson have been discussing what projects and or fund raising our club will do in the future. Perhaps we could have one big idea for a local need and one big idea for an international need. Several future meetings are scheduled. Thank you Kim Embretson for the great program.