



Jefferson City Breakfast Rotary

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This Week At Rotary

This Wednesday (August 16), Joan Kramer will be talking about Rotary membership. Joan just attending the district meeting this last weekend at the Lake of the Ozarks. I appreciate her dedication and ideas. I am sure she will have some new ideas to share with us and hope you will be able to attend.

Bill Cowell has indicated that he wishes to rejoin our club! Welcome back Bill! And please be sure to get to know our newest member - Winnette Swanson.

Prayer: Dan McPherson

Humor: Kit Freudenberg

We would like everyone in the club to participate by sharing a humorous story or offering the prayer. To signup sent Pam Copeland an email to:

pamc@homemakerhealth.org

Upcoming Programs:

August 23 - John Hutson - Exchange Student

August 30 - Stem Cell Ballot issue

If you have an idea for a program, send Kay Freidinger an email to:

KFreidinger@premierbank.com

Bring a friend to Rotary this week!

Livingstonia Water Project

Last year, our club participated in a water project in northern Malawi. The project involves construction of a water distribution system that will provide clean, safe drinking water to approximately 15,000 people that live in villages and rural areas in the vicinity of Livingstonia.

The Chehalis Washington Club has been doing all of the Rotary International grant preparation and the lion's share of the coordination with Water For People (headquartered in Denver), the project management group.

The Breakfast Rotary effort has been headed by **John Howland**, who has visited Malawi and seen first hand the need for quality water distribution systems. Last year, the four Jefferson City Rotary Clubs working together with District 6080 raised \$6,480 to support the safe drinking water project.

The donation went to the first phase of the project which involves construction of a stilling basin at the upper end of the distribution system. Phase 2 is anticipated to begin later summer to work on the the pipeline from the well to Livingstonia.

The Breakfast Rotary Board of Directors has voted to continue support of this important international project. John Howland will continue to lead our efforts to raise funds for this project and possibly receive grant assistance from the District as well. More information will be forthcoming.

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