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STAMFORD KIWANIS CLUB
MEETING MONDAY October 19, 2009

Welcome: President John James

Good to see out--- PP RAY MATTHEWS

Greeters tonight, Linda and Don

18 Kiwanians were out for the fun and a most interesting speaker; we missed the rest of you.

Birthdays for Oct. – Steve Laramee, Gerry Sheahan, Cindy Papineau

Anniversaries for Oct. – Gary and Pat, Leon and Phyllis, Craig and Patti

Note to the Pres for future reference, trying to sing simultaneous happy birthdays and anniversaries to 9 people at once is not a good idea for a group of vocally challenged and slightly forgetful Kiwanians.

Happy \$ - Ray for finally being here to pay the fine for his birthday, and for getting a ride from a past Lion because a Kiwanian neglected to pick him up

Edd – just to see Ray out because his answering machine has selective hearing.

Gerry – happy he is finally old enough to get the flu shot

Steve- car repairs, but less expensive than Don's

Marj – Terrific Kids program starting up at Orchard Park

Mike – another car story of woe

Don – sad for car, happy for golf trip

Sunshine: our thoughts are with Guy, at home, and Bill Sauder in hospital.



Lt. Gov. Marj introduced our guest speaker, Sarah Mae Dagleish, who spoke on her recent experience as a Rotary exchange student for a year in France.

- attended a French high school
- had 3 French families she lived with
- spoke to several Rotary Clubs in France and helped with fundraising
- Spent time with the 9 exchange students in her district, and 400 others at a convention.
- Bus tour with 30 other students covering southern Europe
- Spent Xmas eve at the memorial of WW1 battle of Vimy Ridge

Our speaker was thanked by Pres. John.

UPCOMING Meetings:

Oct. 26 – Halloween meeting – we are asked to “dress up “for this ghoulish gathering.

Nov. 2 –Key Clubs and the induction of their officers

Nov. 9 – Remembrance Day special speaker, Jamie Martindale on a pivotal battle.

Nov 16 – Speaker from Ronald McDonald House

50/50 Draw Won by Don and Gerry, and as the Queen still lives, we have proven you can be a winner and a loser at the same time.

Have a great week.

Scribe {off to Myrtle Beach} Don