



Richmond Kiwanis



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President: Marti Cowherd
President-Elect: Bill Dooley
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Treasurer: Steve Meyer
Secretary: Jerry McCarter

April 9, 2013 Kiwanis: " Changing the world one child and one community at a time." J. McCarter, Secretary

The meeting was called to order at the 19th Hole Restaurant by President-Elect Bill Dooley with 20 members present. Also present: Guest: Of Jerry, Bill



Lundsford, friend and neighbor who is spending time in Iraq training them on the M-16 for self defense and to maintain their independence from their aggressive neighbors.

Our traditional opening agenda went as follows:

John Richardson led the song; **Jim Rippy** led the Pledge and **John Johnson** the Prayer.

Announcements:

Key Club meets this Thursday, 7:10 and the following volunteered to attend: Jerry, JoEllen, Ed and John Richardson.

Teen Dance has been scheduled for the Mushroom Festival for grades: 6 thru 12 grade students. Our club voted to donate \$50 to the effort to help with the expenses.

In other business, the subject of City wide clean up was brought up and the club voted to clean Hwy 13 north from Main Street as we do each year on Saturday, April 27th. We will meet at the Church Parking lot and collect needed items and Bill advised more hands make less work and less time commitment for each of us.

Sergeant at Arms, Bob Swafford assessed the following fines:

Missed meetings: Bob Bond, Troy Pyle, Jim Rippy, Phil Powers, Ron Brohammer,

Took a trip: With her trunk lid open, JoEllen Dale,

Last one in: Don Kerin,

Badge Violation: Lynn Hicks,

Other fines: Steve Meyer for his insulting remarks, : >)

Today's Program

Program Chairman for April, Larry Goodloe, introduced Nancy Coleman, 4-H youth Development representing the University of Missouri Extension Office of Ray County. Nancy gave each of us a handout telling about the services of the Ray County 4-H. She talked about the number of **children** involved in Ray county alone amounts up to a very respectable 170 members not counting the parent involvement. There are about 150 projects available for the youth but they limit it to 6 or 8 projects a fiscal year which starts the first of September and ends with the last day of August. The top projects of Ray County 4-H are: Arts & Crafts, Photography, Foods, Shooting Sports, (the most popular one), Horsemanship, Swine and Clothing. There are 8 4-H Clubs in Ray County with a total number involved youths equaling 170 4-H members. 3 in Richmond, 2 in Lawson, 1 in Wood Heights and 1 each in Hardin and Orrick. This was a very meaningful Kiwanis program about activities many of our "**children**" are involved in. Thank you, Nancy, for sharing with us.

