 … on Wednesday, November 15, 2017, **President Mark** opened the meeting promptly at 7:10 a.m. **Rick Fuller,** our Family of Rotary Rotarian, led us in the Pledge.

**Caitlin** presented a very meaningful and thankful invocation.

**President Mark**, being on top of things, then jumped right in and introduced our very efficient Assistant Secretary, **Ryan Holocher,** who introduced guest speaker, and other guests.

**President’s Announcements:**

* **Mark** announced a Club Board meeting at 7:00 a.m. at Legacy Ridge Golf Club.
* **Mark** welcomed **Yolanda Gotier**, our Area Assistant Governor, to our meeting this morning

**Other Announcements:**

* **Garth** thanked the number of Rotarians who helped with the C4K distribution last week. He really needs some help doing some cleaning. Please volunteer to help clean on Saturday, Dec. 2nd. Please be there at 8:00 am to start cleaning.
* **Wayne** announced that the Foundation Request Committee will meet today right after the meeting.
* **Martin** gave us an update about our Exchange Student. She is doing very well in Brazil.
* **Chuck** informed us that the Community Service Award and Service In Action Award are coming soon. Please give Chuck your nominations for these two awards.
* **John** talked about The Rotary Foundation. Our goal for this year is $4,000. This works out to about $100 per member per year. Please consider achieving your next Paul Harris Fellow Award by donating.
* **Brian** updated us about the 7:10 Foundation. He talked about the Grocery Card fundraiser. He also updated us about the HMH Foundation match. Please join the H. Michael Hayes Fellow Award by giving $710.00. This will be matched by the HMH Foundation.

At our **Club Assembly** this morning were very informative talks by **Each of our Club Directors** who gave a summary of the progress they are making this quarter. Members also gathered to assemble Thanksgiving Baskets. There was a total of 37 baskets made that will be going to the Sr. Hub for distribution to qualified families for Thanksgiving.

**Blaine**, our Sgt. at Arms this week, was unable to make some sizable extractions from the few, but very energetic, Rotarians who attended the meeting. The Thanksgiving Basket drive took up all the time. Don’t forget, you can makeup missed meetings at any of the Rotary Clubs in our area. Get the app, **Rotary *Club Locator***, for your smart phone. You will find clubs you can attend located all over the world.

**Rick Fuller** was extolled by **President Mark** who thanked him for being an important member of the 7:10 Rotary Club and who has shown us the Service Above Self motto. His prolific profile as the Family of Rotary Rotarian can be found on the front page of the Bemis award winning, Frameable, Ineluctable, ***EarlyWord*** newsletter which was profusely available on all of the tables in its elegant 11x17" format. It can also be found on the 7:10 web site at: [www.westminster710rotary.org/newsletter.cfm](http://www.westminster710rotary.org/newsletter.cfm).

**President Mark** presented our next Rotary Moment. **Click or tap here to enter text.** Click or tap here to enter text.

**Joe T.** had a Thought for the Day.

We closed the meeting right on time with a rousing rending of The Four Way Test.

 Yours in Rotary Service, Loren