



If You Missed the Meeting...




... on Wednesday, December 21, 2022, **PEN, Jason** promptly opened our meeting at 7:10 a.m. Our Greeter this morning was **Abbie**. **President Elect Nominee, Jason**, led us in the Pledge. **Kevin** was absent this morning, so we wished each other Merry Christmas as the inspiration. **Jason**, being on top of things, jumped right in and asked members to introduce guest at their table.

President's Announcements:

- **President Elect Nominee Jason** welcomed all who joined us live and who logged in via Zoom this morning.

Other Announcements:

- **Rich** reminded us to ask your friends to join our club.
- **Loren**, our Secretary of the Treasury at the World Headquarters building of the **EarlyWord** Communication and Financial Groups, reminded us that members need to get their **2nd Quarter dues paid**. 
- **Ed** told us about the Armenian exchange program coming to Westminster in January. Call **Ed** if you can be a host family for one night on January 28th. You would have to take two of these students.
- **Brian** reminded us about the socials coming up. The 1st event is our **Annual Club President's Holiday Party** at their residence. This will be at David and Nancy Janak's home, 10023 Irving St., on Saturday 1/14 at 6PM. This is a fun potluck style social event, so please sign up on the [attached sheet](#) and select if you would like to bring a Heavy or Light Appetizer or a dessert. Please email me your signup sheet to bhall@tbkbank.com. The Janak's will be supplying beverages. The 2nd event is the **Rotary Night at the National Western Stock Show and Rodeo**. This will be on Wednesday 1/18 at 5PM for dinner and 7PM for the **Rodeo or the Dancing Horse** show. Please indicate on the [signup sheet](#) which show you would like to attend, and if you would like to enjoy dinner prior to the show. Please email me your signup sheet to bhall@tbkbank.com. Roger Gudenkauf will be purchasing these tickets next week, so let me know by next Wednesday 12/28 if you would like to join us. The cost is on the attached sheet at \$15 for the show only, or \$46 which includes dinner.
- **Randy** urged those with dictionaries to get them delivered after the Christmas break
- **Roger** needs help with Imagination Library to get the word out. Call Roger for more information.
- **Bill** accepted **Matt** into the Polio Plus Society and awarded him the certificate and coin.

Our program this morning was a highly informative presentation by **Nancy Smith, PhD**, from the Nature Conservancy gave us some insight about how the [Colorado River is affected by climate change](#).

Ryan, our Sgt. at Arms this week, made some sizable extractions from the few, but very energetic, Rotarians who attended the meeting. 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.

James gave us a cogent Rotary Moment.

Rich had a [Thought for the Day](#). Watch your Holiday eating!

We closed the meeting right on time with a short [Christmas Carol video](#) then a rousing rending of The Four Way Test.

Yours in Rotary Service,

Loren, Missed the Meeting Editor
The Westminster Rotary Club

Have a Merry Christmas!

And a Happy New Year!

