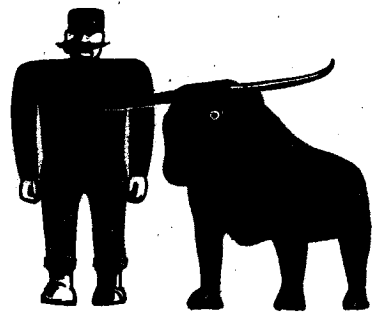


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THIS WEEK'S PROGRAM

County Smoke Free Ordinance – Mary Marchel

NEXT WEEK'S PROGRAM

Habitat for Humanity International – Dr. Steve Rith Najarian

Important Dates to Remember

Chicago, USA – Rotary International Conference
(Centennial Celebration) – June 18-25, 2005

Annual Goodwill Conference, February 4-6, 2005
Winnipeg, Manitoba – See President Warren for
Details

Event Alert

December 6 – Regular Noon Meeting – Hampton
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December 13 – Bemidji High School Choir

December 27 – Magic Act and Comedy Show by
Joe Delessandro

Playhouse Project Update

The first meeting for members interested in helping with this year's Playhouse Project is scheduled for Tuesday, November 23 at 7:30 a.m. at the Uptown Café. See Scott Turn to find out how you can help with this major fundraiser.

Holiday Gifts for Kids Program Underway

The United Way of Bemidji Area's Holiday Gifts for Kids Program has begun its annual effort to ensure that all needy children in the Bemidji area receive a gift this Christmas.

The Holiday Gifts for Kids program is intended for Parents or Guardians who are financially unable to provide a gift for their child at Christmas. This program is available to children living within the boundaries of School District 31. Registration forms are available at the following locations: Bi-County CAP, the United Way Office, First National Bank of Bemidji (all locations), and Beltrami

County Social Services in the Community Service Center. All children must be registered.

The Holiday Gifts for Kids program can't succeed without your help. You can help by donating a new gift for a boy or girl, ages newborn to 14. Because this may be the only gift some children receive, please consider a gift of \$15 to \$20 in value. Drop off your unwrapped gift at one of our convenient locations: First National Bank of Bemidji (all locations), Pamida, L&M Fleet, Picture This, Gander Mountain, Walmart or the Paul Bunyan Mall. Cash donations are also appreciated, and can be mailed to the United Way Office at PO Box 27, Bemidji, MN 56619.

Gift distribution will be December 16, 2004.

Bemidji Rotary in the News

On October 2, 2004, members of the Bemidji Rotary club provided the hard work and expertise necessary to construct a beautiful playground in the South Lake Irving neighborhood at Roger Lehmann Park. Installing equipment purchased by the City of Bemidji, Rotarians, as well as neighborhood residents, spent their day constructing playground equipment for area children.

Life Truths

Reprinted from the Governor's Newsletter of 5580 -

- An optimist thinks this is the best possible world. A pessimist fears this is true.
- There will always be death and taxes; however, death doesn't get worse every year.
- In just two days, tomorrow will be yesterday.
- I plan on living forever. So far, so good.
- It's frustrating when you know all the answers, but nobody bothers to ask you the questions.
- The real art of conversation is not only to say the right thing at the right time, but also to leave unsaid the wrong thing at the tempting moment.