

BECON 5-5-25

This morning there were several guests in attendance:

Wade Austin brought his good friend Dan Sedlacek for a look at the club. He is retired military and is looking for something to do in his spare time. Thank you for your service!!

Tonya brought her mom Laurie, who is visiting.

Kim brought her husband Pat to breakfast as well. This was Kim's last breakfast meeting, they are moving to Mexico. Good luck on their next adventure.

If you have an inclination, go to Yellowstonegives.org and donate to The Family Tree Nurturing Center.

Shawnee sent around signups for the upcoming bowling social... "Tacky Tourists" is the theme. There should be some interesting looks this year.

Also, committee signups went around. There are several committees with no names on them. If you desire to delve deeper into the background goings on in this club, this is the way to get started.

Tony also stated that the District will be in great hands the next few years, with Rene at the helm beginning in July, and Coco, from the Helena club to follow in 2026.

This morning our speaker was Dick Zier, who gave a great presentation on the Amend Park Recreation Campus and Courts Building. I have attached the site plan for this project, which includes two buildings, one with 4 multi-purpose courts and the other holding two ice arenas. This campus will be built using Southside Tax Increment District money, with no tax increases. Granted it will use tax money, but with no bond issue and no mil levy to pay for it. With a 36 Million dollar total budget, this will be quite an accomplishment. Signal Peak Mine has donated 6 million dollars and with another 6 million dollars already donated by the public, the project is well on its way. Groundwork is now being done, with project completion by fall, 2026.

Dave Staton's son Q is again undergoing cancer treatments, 35 days of radiation, followed by chemo treatments. Keep Dave, Q and the Staton family in your thoughts and prayers during this time. Dave said that Q asked Dave to drive him to Lockwood School for him to sign next year's contract, so Q's attitude is good, and he is looking forward to a bright future.

As a final note, Shawnee was the big raffle winner this morning.

Until next week,

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