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PROGRAM : Meeting on Wednesday March 08, 2006

PDG Larry Jorgensen installed new member Bill Carman III. Bill Carman III (Bill) was introduced by his father Bill Carman Jr.

Larry congratulated and welcomed Bill to the Rotary club. He said that Bill should be proud to be joining an organization with about 1.2 mil Rotarians in 168 countries.

Larry said that Bill could go to any club in the district, country or anywhere in the world if he could not attend the Lunch Club meeting.

Bill got involved with the activities of rotary early in his life as someone from the Carman family has always been a member of the Rotary Club for the past 75 years.

He was sent to Brazil on a student exchange program. He lived in a small town with 4 families. He had a wonderful time in Brazil.

Bill graduated from the Fordham university school of Law. He then worked in the county attorney's office. Later he joined a law firm in Mineola. He specializes in negligence cases, estate planning etc.



Installation of new member Bill Carman III By PDG Larry Jorgensen. Bill Carman Jr. pins a Rotary Lapel Pin on Bill Carman III.

Bill lived in Mineola from 1993. He came back to Farmingdale in Apr 2004. Coming back to Farmingdale was a wonderful move for him. He has 3 children, ages 7, 10 and 12. His wife keeps herself busy with house, kids, PTA and the Girl Scouts. Bill plays softball for recreation.

Lenny responded for the club and said that it's always a pleasure to welcome a new member. He wished him all the best.

Upcoming Programs

DATE	SPONSER	SPEAKER	Title/TOPIC
Mar 29, 2006			
Apr 5, 2006			
Apr 12, 2006			
Apr 19, 2006			
Apr 26, 2006			
May 3, 2006			



Announcements!

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GSE incoming team from India will arrive on 9 Apr 06. Yesh is looking for volunteers to host the members.

Gift of life baby from Honduras had heart surgery last Monday. Doing well.

Farmingdale Relay for Life (ACS) Walk :
Bob Chapman will coordinate the Rotary team

for this fund raiser at SUNY Farmingdale on May 5 and 6.

Ruth Betz has been selected to be on the **nominating committee for Governor 2007-2008.**

Ford Motor Books...

Yasuo has the history of the Ford motor company books for sale for \$25 Ea. Only 53 books are left. This collector's edition would normally cost at least \$50. More volunteers are needed to sell these beautiful books, which actually sell themselves. We will donate the unsold books to the district book project.



Calendar

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16 March 2006. Rescheduled from 3/2. Gift of life dinner at Swan Club.

23 March 2006. 6:00pm (Thursday) : **Board Meeting** will be held in Prakash's office at 399 Conklin St. April meeting will be on 4/20. (Third Thursday).

3 April 2006. 6:30pm (Monday) : **Daleview Nursing Home Sing-a-long** . First Monday of every month.

11 May 2006. (Thursday): Farmingdale Summit.

26 May 2006. (Friday) : **Our district conference** will be held in Montreal, Canada during May 26-28, 2006.

Rotary Club Meeting: General

The Farmingdale Rotary Club held its weekly luncheon meeting at Anabella Restaurant in Farmingdale, New York. President Ruth Betz opened the meeting at 12:10 p.m. Invocation was given by Barry Bhasin, followed by the pledge of allegiance.

ATTENDANCE

Secretary Robert Diaz calculated today's attendance at 68%.

Guests: Nancy Fritsche and Marie Rafter. Both were invited by Nancy White.

HAPPY BUCKS!

Yesh collected the Happy Bucks. Most of members were happy for the new member Bill Carman III. On his installation. Nancy white was happy about going to the sing-along at Daleview.



YESH

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HAPPY BUCKS !!

Birthdays and Anniversaries: (3/16/2006– 3/22/2006)

Happy Birthday to Alex
Matera (3/16)

**Birthdays
And
Wedding
Anniversaries**

Rotary International / Rotary Foundation / District 7250 News

2006 RI Convention in Malmö-Copenhagen
97th Rotary International Annual Convention
Malmö, Sweden and Copenhagen, Denmark
11-14 June 2006****

The Øresund Region: easy to get to, easy to get around, and hard to forget.-- Carsten Dencker Nielsen, 2006 Host Organization Committee, Chair***

REGISTER BY 31
MARCH 2006 and SAVE!
WHY Attend an RI Con-

vention?

To be inspired? informed? entertained?
Make new friends? Re-new ties with old ones?

All good reasons, but the most important is to experience that moment of clarity when you not only understand, but also feel the scope and strength of Rotary. During the flag ceremony or even before, you suddenly realize that you are one of 1.2 million persons in 168 regions of the world with

the collective goal of fostering international peace and understanding. Why does this goal seem possible? Because it happens on a small scale at every convention where men and women of all ages, races, ethnicities, religions, educational and economic levels, and political beliefs manage to meet in harmony for four days in the spirit of service to others.



TIDBITS

WE VOTE

While looking at a house, my brother asked the real estate agent which direction was North because, he explained, he didn't want the sun waking him up every morning. She asked, "Does the sun rise in the North?" When my brother explained that the sun rises in the East, (and has for sometime), she shook her head and said, "Oh, I don't keep up with that stuff."

She ALSO votes!

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I used to work in technical support for a 24/7 call center. One day I got a call from an individual who asked what hours the call center was open. I told him, "The number you dialed is open 24 hours a day, 7 days a week." He responded, "Is that Eastern or Pacific time?" Wanting to end the call quickly, I said, "Uh, Pacific" . . .

He ALSO votes!

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My colleague and I were eating our lunch in our cafeteria, when we overheard one of the administrative assistants talking about the sunburn she got on her weekend drive to the shore. She drove down in a convertible, but "didn't think she'd get sunburned because the car was moving". . .

She ALSO votes!

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My sister has a lifesaving tool in her car It's designed to cut through a seat belt if she gets trapped. She keeps it in the trunk. . .

My sister ALSO votes!

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My friends and I were on a beer run and noticed that the cases were discounted 10%. Since it was a big party, we bought 2 cases. The cashier multiplied 2 times 10% and gave us a 20% discount..

He ALSO votes!

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I was hanging out with a friend when we saw a woman with a nose ring attached to an earring by a chain. My friend said, "Wouldn't the chain rip out every time she turned her head?" I explained that a person's nose and ear remain the same distance apart no matter which way the head is turned...

My friend ALSO votes!

(. . .Contributed by Ruth Betz)

The Four Way Test

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

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