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ATTENDANCE

Members attending the February 18 meeting were: **GAUGHAN, D & J HARTMANN, HOYLE, KING, MANGOLD, MILLS, and WOLF.**

NEWS, NEWS, NEWS

- **HyVee** came thru with a good meal this week! And we have received a bill for the meals that had never been charged to us after Lori had a long visit with the store bookkeeper!
- The **baseball** schedule will be set in April. Games will begin the **2nd week of May**. We have been asked to man the concession stand again this year. Be ready to volunteer once the schedule is set!
- The Chamber invited non-profit organizations to a meeting of **Sunrise Solutions** to meet and share ideas and allow collaboration on projects in our local community. There will be several meetings that we can attend. **Thanks to Diana and John** who volunteered to attend this first meeting. They will report back to the club at our next meeting.
- Mark your calendars for **April 18**. Next newsletter will have a volunteer need!

Y'S MEN NEWS

The 100th Anniversary of Y's Dom will be next year! The International Convention will be held in the summer in Hawaii. It appears that **Alycia** and husband, Jeff are confused about when this is as they are currently spending 10 days in Hawaii visiting their son, Ben who is currently stationed there. There should be a good program for an upcoming meeting on how they are spending their time!

UPCOMING EVENTS

March 17 — **King**
April 7 — **Gaughan**
April 21 — **Wolf**
May 2 — Need a program
May 16 — Lake Darling Cleanup

July 19-24 — County Fair
October 2-4 — Regional Convention

PROGRAM NOTES

John Hartmann provided the program. He is Coordinator of 3 upcoming events: **National Day of Prayer** May 7, **Iowa Bible Reading Marathon** in September and **7:14** on July 7 at 7:14 am. As the Coordinator of the **National Day of Prayer**, **John** will be calling upon the churches and the people of Washington County to join together in prayer for one hour at noon on May 7 to "Pray God's Glory Across the Earth" at the Central Park bandstand. He is looking for up to 14-20 people to lead prayers for various issues the USA is facing. President Lincoln called for a day of prayer in 1863. President Reagan amended a law in 1988 designating the first Thursday of May each year as the National Day of Prayer. As the Washington County Coordinator of **Iowa 99 County Bible Reading Marathon**, **John** will be calling upon people of all ages from beginning readers to seasoned readers to stop by the Central Park in downtown Washington to participate in the Bible Reading Marathon. In 2016, Governor Branstad signed a proclamation encouraging all Iowans to join in the historical Iowa 99 County Bible Reading Marathon to take place in front of all 100 courthouses and/or parks. Please join **John** as he continues the journey of connecting every county in Iowa through the reading of His Word, out loud. Final dates will come in July. You might ask, what is "**If 7:14**"? It will be a local event on **July 7 at 7:14 am** joining with all 99 counties and across the time zones of the world to read the Bible simultaneously. Join the growing network of God's people today with a simple promise. By committing to pray for revival twice a day, once at 7:14 am and once at 7:14 pm, you'll be joining thousands worldwide already in prayer. For more information on these events, please contact **John** at johnhartmann42@gmail.com. **Thanks so much, John** for sharing what you are doing in your spare time!

Bob's Quiz: Why are there 99 counties in Iowa but 100 Courthouses?

THOUGHT OF THE WEEK

"I know that there is nothing better for people than to be happy and to do good while they live. That each of them may eat and drink, and find satisfaction in all their toil—this is the gift of God."

Ecclesiastes 3:12-13