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Joint Meeting West Hartford XC
Tunxis Plantation

6:00 PM Social Hour
7:00 PM Dinner

March 12, 2009
TBD

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Banking Night
Gristmill

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2009 Auction

**Needs your
support**

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**2008-2009
Carwash**

Tickets

Call Craig Fleming to get
yours today!

Membership Level

85 →

Invite a guest to the next
meeting !

The Info Exchange

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Exchange Club of Farmington

A word from the president.....



Kudos to Gino & his committee for a stellar comedy night.

You probably know by now that we'll have an auction on SAT APR 25 at the Farmington Community Center. We made about \$15,000 at the 2007 auction. Please donate an item if you can, and let me know if you know any businesses that you'd like to solicit. Please ask your friends and neighbors to attend. The Exchange Club Golf Tournament is set for THU JUN 25 at Tunxis Plantation. Golfers needed!

John Javaruski, President — Exchange Club of Farmington

Upcoming Meetings & Events

February 26 — Joint Meeting Tunxis Plantation Country Club

Come and meet our fellow Exchangites from West Hartford. Many past presidents have unsuccessfully tried to pull these two clubs together over the last several years. Division V director John Karwoski has managed to arrange this historical event. Kevin O'Connor will be the speaker, former US Attorney for Connecticut, recent Deputy Attorney General of the US (#3 guy at the Dept of Justice). He is now a partner at Bracewell & Giuliani in Hartford. A future Governor or Senator from CT? Please call John at 860-677-2147 to reserve your spot.

March 12 — TBD Farmington Woods

Come to perhaps one of the best meetings of the year! The committee is working on the speaker, the location is all set. Roland Kelsey always provides a nice meal for our club. Please call President John at 860-673-4749 today to reserve your spot.

March 26 — Banking Night Gristmill

Put on a jacket, maybe even dig out a tie, for a fancy dinner at the Gristmill restaurant on the Farmington River. New FSB President John Patrick, Jr. will be our guest speaker. FSB is one of our strongest supporters, let's show John what Exchange is all about! Please call President John at 860-673-4749 today to reserve your spot.

Past Meetings & Events

Gutterbowl 2009, Sixth Anniversary



After refreshments and a great carbo loading meal in the lounge, 16 hard hurling competitors were cheered on by a handful of non-bowling fellow Exchangites and guests in this year's tournament. 4 teams of 4 rolled for top team score after 2 sets. then Team 3 & Team 4; Devoe, Connole, Karwoski, Scully made the semifinals, and went head to head for 1 last



Team 4 is undefeatable, you might as well go home now! Oh yah, we'll see

set. **Congratulations to this year's winners: Team 3, Brian Gibbons, Ray Madorian, Mike Ziebka, and Jon Landry.** In addition to winning 11 take out meals, each winner received a gift certificate for future bowling at Spare Time in Bristol. As usual there was a lot of debate on the legality of the "ball brush" used by some members in the attempt to gain victory. Thanks to Pat Scully for setting up the teams and Joan Morin for organizing the meal



Team 3 gloating in their victory



Unsanctioned ball brush

UVIA part Duex, Stonewell Restaurant



A record setting 36 members and guests congregated in the lounge for social hour, then moved to the private dining room for an excellent sit down meal. Bread, fruit-salad, garden salad, London broil, vegetables, and baked potato, was a hearty meal for all. Farmington's new Economic Development Director Courtney Hedricson was President John's guest. Community leader Ted Lindquist brought several large posters of progress in Unionville as well as progress to come. He thanked the collation of residents, business owners, and town officials, for coming together and creating a Unionville that is satisfying to all.



This isn't what they showed the council!



Unfortunately, Ted reported the Hotel Worthy has been dropped from the plan, however, debate on the tunnel continues.

Thanks to Joan Morin for setting up the evening.



Pictures of Exchangites in Action



Never too cold or wet to sell wreaths!

What are those guys complaining about?

A few Carwash Tickets remain!

Craig reports good progress on sales of Car Wash Tickets, fortunately some tickets remain so you can get through the winter, clean. For each \$8.00 ticket that you buy, \$4.00 will go to XC charities. Just email Craig Fleming at: craig.fleming@comcast.net and he will send your tickets out to you. You will be billed by our treasurer.

Why is he pointing? He should just buy more tickets for that Jeep of his



I wonder if I can get a snowplow through that car wash?



I used to wash my car by hand in the winter, now I buy Exchange Club Car Wash Tickets and I rarely get sick!

Club Dues



Bless those who have paid their dues...

Reminder:

Please pay your club dues within 30 days of invoice receipt.

The club pays national and district dues of \$20.25 for each member per quarter. This must be paid out from our general fund as long as you are a member, regardless of whether you have sent in your dues or not Thank you, Ray Madorin— Treasurer

Check out the latest at: www.farmingtonexchangeclub.com

Exchangites: If any of your roster information is incorrect (see page 4 & 5), or you wish to change your Preferred Contact method, please send your corrections to: Exchange Club of Farmington, P.O. Box 452, Farmington, CT 06034 or email to zipmagoo@aol.com



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