



Downtown Rotary Club

Service Above Self

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Rotary News June 2003

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District 6580 - Club # 84
Organized September, 1913
Meets Tuesday Noon at the Holiday Inn

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Upcoming Programs and Events:

June 3 Art Feinsod: ISU Summer Theater

June 10 Gail Geshell: Indiana Small Business Administration.

June 17 Rotary Picnic at Deming Park

June 21 Habitat for Humanity

June 24 Passing the Gavel and Awards Ceremony

New James E. West

Frances Campbell Dan DeBard Mike
Hopper Craig McKee Steve Son-
ger Bill Tromble.



New Theme for 2003-2004

The theme for Rotary in 2003-2004 is "**Lend a Hand**". In keeping with that theme, our club will be awarding a Paul Harris Fellowship to a member who volunteers their time to help improve our community through a Rotary Project! Each time you volunteer for a club project, your name will be added to "the hat" and on November 11, at the club birthday party, a name will be drawn and a Paul Harris Fellowship will be awarded to that person. You can have several entries by November 2003.

Did you Know?

The clubs average attendance year to date is 70.3%. The average for May was 68.7%.

Downtown Rotary Club has 142 active members, 31 exempt members, and 4 honorary members.

Take Note ...

NEW MEMBER INDUCTED THIS MONTH:

Ed Niemeyer
Sherri Mahurin

Rotary Foundation Grants:

Application deadline is June 30, 2003. Members knowing of an organization who wishes to apply should inform them to direct requests to Rotary c/o Stephanie Welsh.

Downtown Rotary Club Turns 90!

A special birthday party will take place on November 11, 2003!

Special Congratulations to: **Ms. Tara Hobson** who is the 2003 recipient of the James Rentschler Scholarship. Tara graduated this year from Terre Haute North High School was chosen because of her dedication to Interact. This scholarship is for \$1000 and will be paid directly to her chosen institution of higher learning.

Guests and Visitors:

May 6, 2003 Ed Niemeyer—Arvada, CO, Sherri Mahurin—Guest of Nick Mahurin, Charlie Williams—Guest of Ray Rickert, Mike Cline—Guest of David Hannum, Jim Bertoli—Guest of Bob Menge, Tony Mauk—Guest of John Lukens, Chris Doll—Guest of Gary Schomer

May 13, 2003 Ed Niemeyer—Arvada, CO, Micah Songer—Guest of Steve Songer, Charlie Williams—Guest of Ray Rickert, Grant Franklin—Guest of Don Schroeder, Rick Shagley—Guest of George Brittan, Interact: Roseanna Simmers and Mackenzie Valandingham



Membership Attendance Policy

Club members must attend a minimum of 60% of meetings. Committee meetings and volunteering for service projects count towards the attendance requirement. Members who have 95% or better attendance are: David Bolk (98%), Ray Brauer (106%), Michael Collins (104%), Ralph Cutter (98%), Mike Hopper (120%), Don Jordan (120%), Mark Kester (109%), Rick Kohr (107%), Sherri Mahurin (100%), Ed Niemeyer (100%), John O'Day (107%), Barbara Passmore (102%), Mary Caye Pfister (98%), David Piker (102%), Ray Rickert (98%), Gary Schomer (165%), Tom Siefert (109%), Steve Soner (98%), Bill Tennis (128%), Beth Tevlin (111%), Stephanie Welsh (154%), Jean Williams (107%), David Mitchell (126%)

Year-to-date we have raised

\$1698

in the Happy Jar.

Thank you!

May 20, 2003 Charlie Williams—Guest of Ray Rickert, Max Miller—Guest of Rod Henry, Shelly Shearer—Guest of Chuck Shutt, Jim Owens—Guest of Bill Aubin, John Heintz—Guest of Bill Trombel, Ed Niemeyer—Arvada, CO

May 27, 2003 Charlie Williams—Guest of Ray Rickert, Jim Owens—Guest of Bill Aubin, Andi Myers—Visiting Rotarian from South Rotary Club

Bring a Friend to Rotary

TH Rotary Club Committees

<p>Club Service</p> <p><u>Bulletin</u> Lee Akers, Joyce Keenan, Wendy McCormick, Ray Brauer</p> <p><u>Fellowship Program</u> Sally Stewart</p> <p><u>Public Relations</u> Barbara Passmore</p> <p><u>Web Site</u> Brian Krawiec</p>	<p>Chair: Kim Ingalsbe</p> <p>Chair: Don Jordan</p>	<p>Foundation/Paul Harris</p> <p><u>Ten-For-One Club</u></p> <p><u>Paul Harris Awards</u></p> <p><u>Community Grants</u></p> <p>International Service</p> <p><u>Rotary Youth Exchange</u></p> <p>Membership</p> <p><u>Membership Growth</u></p> <p><u>Classifications</u></p> <p><u>Orientation</u></p> <p>Vocational Service</p>	<p>Chair: Craig McKee</p> <p>Craig McKee</p> <p>Stephanie Welsh</p> <p>David Bolk</p> <p>Chair: David Mitchell</p> <p>Libby Cieciora</p> <p>Chair: Lisa Pepperworth</p> <p>Mike Kuckewich</p> <p>Tom Dever</p> <p>Lee Ann Crooks</p> <p>Chair: Jeff Pittman</p>
<p><u>Interact</u></p> <p><u>Environmental Protection</u></p> <p><u>Blood Drive</u></p> <p><u>Christmas in April; Salvation Army</u></p> <p><u>Habitat for Humanity</u></p> <p><u>Goodwill Drive</u></p>	<p>Chair: Don Jordan</p> <p>Libby Cieciora</p> <p>Adrian Tudorica</p> <p>Rick Kohr</p> <p>John O'Day</p> <p>John Adkins</p> <p>Mel Krueger</p>		

May Meeting Updates...

May 6th—Rotarian John O'Day spoke about “*Water for People*”, a worldwide program designed to provide safe, clean water to undeveloped countries. Over 1 billion people worldwide lack a safe drinking water supply and nearly 2 billion lack adequate sanitation systems. *Water for People* helps improve impoverished people worldwide by supporting sustainable drinking water, sanitation, and hygiene products.

May 13th—Andi Myers, Athletic Director of ISU, spoke to the club pertaining to her role as a member of the NCAA Infractions Committee. Out of 318 Division 1 schools, only 10 active cases and 20 schools serving probation. Each school has its own committee that reports infractions to NCAA. Committee meets 6 times a year.

May 20th—Jim Eifert gave an update on Rose-Hulman Ventures. They have had conversations with 400 prospective clients, of which

about 1/3 have merited further pursuit, They have 34 clients to date. Approximately 250 students from Rose-Hulman, ISU, Purdue, IU, and St. Mary’s have worked on the project. 25 full time employees. About 16% of all engineering degrees are awarded in the US are from IN and “doughnut” states.

May 27th—Craig McKee spoke about the importance of giving to the Rotary foundation either by writing a \$1000 check and becoming a Paul Harris Fellow or by joining a 10 for 1 Club. Don’t wait, Don’t procrastinate, do it today!

PROGRAM IDEAS?

If you have an interesting topic idea or know a person who would give a presentation at our club meeting, please contact Program Chairperson Steve Songer



Board Members

2001 - 2003

David Bolk, Rick Risinger,
Don Jordan, John O'Day,
Susi Willis, Barbara Brugnaux

2002 - 2004

Bill Tennis, Rick Kohr,
Kim Ingalsbe, Dave Piker,
Mary Caye Pfister, Rick Risinger

Board of Director's Monthly Meeting Update

Monday, June 3, 2003

- Charlie Williams has been approved as a new member. Chris Doll has ask that his name be removed from consideration as a new member because of time constraints. David Wulf as asked for a leave of absents.
- Rotary eClubone from District 5450 has a location to do make up online if you are unable to attend a meeting. Can be checked out at www.rotary5450.org.
- Change of Bylaws for both the foundation and club was approved at the May 27th meeting of the club.
- Club Budget for 2002-2003 will be income equaling \$22,890 and total expenses equaling \$20,506 (+\$2383.44).
- Club Budget for 2003-2004 was approved. Total income for the club is budgeted at \$20,364, total expenses at \$19,499.50 (+864.50).
- Foundation Budget for 2002-2003 will be income equaling \$18,750 and total expenses equaling \$16,410 (+2340).
- Foundation Budget for 2003-2004 will be income equaling \$17,610 and total expenses equaling \$16,410 (+\$1200).
- Rotary Picnic will be held at Deming park on June 17. Food will be from Baesler's Market.
- Grant deadline for the Rotary Foundation is June 30.
- Next club service project is June 21 for Habitat for Humanity.

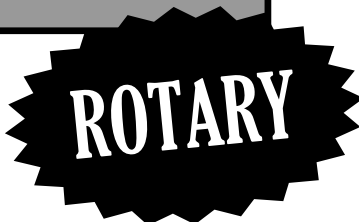
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Thank you for your time and energy to make our club a success!

2002-2003 Officers

President.....Gary Schomer
President-elect.....Mike Hopper
V. President.....Lisa Pepperworth
Secretary.....Stephanie
Treasurer.....Susi Willis
Attendance.....Kim Ingalsbe
Past President.....Beth Tevlin
Sergeant-At-Arms....Mike Collins

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Member Birthdays

June

- 8 Luke Dever
- Tom Newlin
- 10 Paul Stanley
- 14 Greg Gibson
- 15 William Tromble
- 17 Todd Pepperworth
- 21 Gary Morris
- 23 Susi Willis
- 24 David Anshutz
- William Rourke
- 25 David Grimes
- 27 Janice Adkins
- 30 Bob Griffin
- Tom Thornton



Club makeup locations:

- Monday:**
Paris 12:00 p.m. Cafe` France
Princeton 12:00 p.m. Gibson General Hospital
- Tuesday:**
Marshall 6:45 a.m. Marshall Family Restaurant
Casey 12:00 p.m. Richards Farm
Indianapolis 12:00 p.m. Athletic Club
Sullivan 12:00 p.m. Sullivan Elks Club
- Wednesday:**
Rockville 7:15 a.m. Terre Vin Winery
Brazil 12:00 p.m. Come and Get It Restaurant located in Knightsville
Linton 12:00 p.m. Elks Club
Plainfield 12:00 p.m. Kristy's Club
- Thursday:**
Terre Haute 7:00 a.m. Holiday Inn