



# Downtown Rotary Club

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## Rotary News September 2002

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

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### Upcoming Programs:

Sept 3: Brian Hartke, US Government

Sept 10: Dr. Lloyd Benjamin, United Way of the Wabash Valley

Sept 17: Ron Green, ISU School of Business

Sept 24: Meet Mary Ann Cunningham, Rotary District Gov.

Oct 1: Dr. Mitch Cordova, ISU Athletic Training.

Oct 8: President of Ball State University, Dr. Blaine Brownell.

### Rotary Factoids:

30,000 Clubs are located in 160 countries.

1.2 million members

First club established in Chicago, 1905

The Four Way Test Formulated in 1932.

### Upcoming Events...

**November 9**  
Goodwill Drive

### Treasurer's Request:

If you pay for your lunch using a check, please make it payable to the Holiday Inn. Thank you!

## Congratulations...

*Honorary Membership Conferred on David Turney for his long and selfless service to fellow Rotarians.*

*Bill Kauffman & Mark Kester have earned a blue badge.*



### TAKE NOTE

Membership classifications will be reviewed and updated as needed. Please contact Tom Dever to report any change in your employment or classification.

### NEW MEMBERS THIS MONTH:

*Brian White, Senior Pastor at United Methodist Temple Church.*

In 1985 there were 375,000 cases of polio. Last year there were fewer than 500 in the world in just 8 countries. Polio is 99% eliminated. Rotary International has committed \$8 million to the campaign.

Our Happy Jar donations will go towards Polio Plus. Your contributions are appreciated.

Year-to-date we have raised \$235.10 in the Happy Jar. Thank you!

### Guests and Visitors:

August 6: Shirley Hughes, guest of Beth Tevlin; Rudolf and Elizabeth Ullrich, guests of Rick Kohr; Darrell Jutte, guest of Barry Powell, Diane Michelfelder, guest of Bill Tromble; Jim Deal visitor from Brazil, IN club and Larry Wheelock, visitor from Raymondville, TX.

August 13: Rudolf and Elizabeth Ullrich, guests of Rick Kohr; Marty Bridges, guest of Bill Shriner. Larry Wheelock, visitor from Raymondville, TX.

August 20: Rudolf and Elizabeth Ullrich, guests of Rick Kohr; Craig Galloway, guest of Rick Risinger; Tim Cottrell, guest of Don Jordan and Ray Brauer, guest of Gary Schomer. Visiting was Larry Wheelock, TX.

August 27: Ray Brauer, guest of Gary Schomer; Tim Cottrell, guest of Don Jordan.

*Bring a guest who will be a potential member and help our club grow!!*

*Our members are our best advertising for new membership.*

## Rotary Club Make-up locations and times

### Monday:

Princeton - 12:00 pm Gibson General Hospital  
Paris - 12:00 pm Cafe` France

### Tuesday:

Marshall - 6:45 am Marshall Family Restaurant  
Casey - 12:00 pm Richards Farm  
Indianapolis - 12:00 Athletic Club  
Sullivan - 12:00 Sullivan Elks Club

### Wednesday:

Rockville - 7:15 am Terre Vin Winery  
Brazil - 12:00 pm Come and Get It Restaurant located in Knightsville, IN.  
Linton - 12:00 pm Elks Club  
Plainfield - 12:00 Kristy's Club

### Thursday:

Terre Haute - 7:00 am Holiday Inn

## August Meeting Updates...

Aug 6: Becky Buse, Executive Director YWCA 100th anniversary in Wabash Valley. YW former building (1908) held areas first indoor pool. YTEENS program begun in 1916 as Terre Haute Girls Reserve is one of 8 in nation.

Aug 13: Lynn Van Etten, pilot, participated in the Women's Cross-Country Air Race. First race was 1929 in which Amelia Erhart competed. Competitors fly low as possible to conserve fuel. Lynn's team included an octogenarian. They finished in 6th place.

Aug 20: Vigo Cty Prosecutor Bob Wright said his office has a budget of \$1.2 million, 30 employees and 14 lawyers. Cases number around 577/yr and each last about 4 days. Because only 104 could be scheduled annu-

ally, plea bargaining keeps jails from becoming overcrowded and is used with lesser, non-violent crimes. Bob's guiding principle is to do no more harm than is necessary, and to try to get an individual to stop repeating an offense.

August 27: Joint meeting with Kiwanis at the Elks Club. Chuck Shutt invited National Guard Master Sergeant Jim Chesterson and his Crossroads Brass ensemble to entertain. Chuck also performed along with Kathy Sponsler and Russ Howard. Following lunch, 24 golfers played a mixed scramble. Each club agreed to donate \$250 to Riley Children's Hospital.

**Service  
Above  
Self**

## Board Members

### 2000-2002

Mike Hopper  
Rick Kohr  
Barbara Passmore  
David Piker & Bill Tennis

### 2001-2003

David Bolk, Rick Risinger,  
Don Jordan, John O'Day,  
Lisa Pepperworth, Gary  
Schomer, Susi Willis

## Board of Director's Monthly Meeting Update

- Attendance for August was 66.7% with YTD at 64.4%. The number of active members is at 168.
- Designated as Attendance exempt were Ralph Fowler and Dave Mitchell.
- Approved for membership are Tim Cottrell II who was proposed by Don Jordon; and Elizabeth and Rudolf Ulrisc both of whom were proposed by Rick Kohr.
- Tom Clark resigned as a club member. Mike Dinkel has requested an extension of his medical leave of absence.
- A motion passed to commit a total of \$12,000 to Polio Plus, \$1,000 of which as already been donated out of the Happy Jar Funds.
- There will be no club meetings on December 24th and December 31st.

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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 Hoper  
Vice-President--Lisa Pepperworth  
Secretary---Stephanie Welsh  
Treasurer---Susi Willis  
Attendance---Kim Ingalsbe  
Past President---Beth Tevlin  
Sergeant-At-Arms---Mike Collins**

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**Member Birthdays**

September Birthdays...

Ralph Fowler	Sept 1	Steve Arnold	Sept 22
Jan Harmening	Sept 2	Frank Crawford, Stephanie Welsh	Sept 25
Al Finch	Sept 3	Joyce Keenan	Sept 27
Tom Clark	Sept 4	Ron Rich, George Pitt	Sept 28
Sondra Cress, Loren Raines, Neil Garrison	Sept 6	Donald Schroeder	Sept 30
Julius Loeser	Sept 8		
Bill Maxam, Barry Powell	Sept 10		
Bill Shriner	Sept 11		
Howard Junker	Sept 12		
Rick Kohr	Sept 13		
Pat Heaton	Sept 17		
Carolyn Kelly	Sept 21		



