

TRANSMISSION

Rotary Club of Hammond (Indiana)
Rotary District No. 6540 - Rotary Club No. 3362
www.hammondrotary.org

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Jeff Oesterle (2009) Lisa Woodruff (2010)
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Rick Schumacher (2009) Chuck Pintar (2010)
Mark Goldsmith (2010) Ted Karns (2010)
Nancy Machnikowski (2010)

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District Governor..... John J. Balvich

(Terms end June 30)

ROTARY FOUNDED
FEB. 23, 1905

MEETINGS:
Purdue Calumet Student Union
Tuesday - 12:05

HAMMOND ROTARY CHARTERED
MAY 1, 1920

Meeting Notes From AUGUST 12, 2008

President Judy presided. Tamara King visited from the Gary Rotary Club. She invited us to participate in their upcoming Skeet Shooting fundraiser.

Nancy Machnikowski presented the Rotary Moment. We should be excited about our upcoming Dictionary Project – we're going to provide dictionaries to all Hammond 3rd graders – public and private schools. About 2,000 dictionaries have arrived, and they will have Rotary labels attached. Distribution is tentatively set for October 16 kickoff. We hope to make it a yearly project that will demonstrate Rotary's commitment to education and kids in this community. We expect to receive some District grant money to reimburse some of the cost.

Bassam Abdallah and Lisa Woodruff did their extraction - all about CB radios. But fortunately the questions weren't too tough so they didn't raise much money. They are going to work on harder questions. We celebrated a few August birthdays.

Michelle Golden won the \$10 drawing, but failed to pick the Joker. Over \$400 now in the pot and only 19 cards!

Our speaker was Kelly Nissan from St. Catherine's Hospital. She is providing information about the Healthy Indiana Plan (HIP), which was started in January to provide health insurance coverage to Hoosier adults who aren't otherwise covered. Unfortunately, Indiana is not a healthy state – higher than average rates of smoking, obesity and cancer. People must meet certain low income requirements, not have insurance for at least 6 months (except in the case of losing a job), and no access to employer sponsored

THE FOUR-WAY TEST

Of the things we think, say or do

Is it the TRUTH?

Is it FAIR to all concerned?

Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?

Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

August 19	Andrea Wiese, Ambassadorial Scholar
August 26	Karen Maravilla, Downtown Hammond Council
September 2	
September 9	
September 16	Gail Rodovich, Hammond Education Foundation

insurance. Participants do pay part of the premium – 2-5% of their income on a sliding scale. The coverage is very good and comprehensive, and it is easy to enroll. Small employers who don't provide coverage can even agree to pay part of their employees' premium to participate in this plan.

The state estimates that 45,000 people in Lake County may be eligible to participate. Funding comes from the cigarette tax and Medicaid funds. Participants must do some preventative health activities in order to stay covered. The Plan is designed to encourage people to keep working rather than stopping work in order to qualify for Medicaid health coverage. The goal of Kelly and Community Foundation of NW Indiana is to alert people to this coverage so they can sign up if qualified.

Some announcements: Our condolences to the family of long time member, Dr. Bill Potasnik, who recently passed away.

Terry McCullough is at home after having been quite ill. We did not have an update, but wish him our thoughts and prayers.

Thank you to Rick Schumacher for taking these notes.

Rotary Attendance August 12, 2008

Bassam Abdallah, Bud Baker, Jim Buchanan, Jim Blackwood, J Calaway, Hans Enderlin, Cristina Figueroa, Michelle Golden, Mark Goldsmith, Ted Karns, Nancy Machnikowski, Phylis Mamula, Jim McNabney, Jeff Oesterle, Chuck Pintar, Chuck Sanger, Rick Schumacher, Kathy Tobin, Judy Walker, Lisa Wein, & Lisa Woodruff.

SPEAKER:..Kelly Nissan – Community Healthcare System

VISITING ROTARIAN: Tamara King Young (Gary)

Total Attendance 23

Note: Attendance for July 30 Picnic was 56 (28, Hammond; 28 Crown Pt.)

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Rotary Club of Hammond "Service Above Self"

2007 - 2008 COMMITTEES

"A" SCHOLARS LUNCHEON	<i>Nancy Machnikowski, Chairman</i>
AMBASSADOR SCHOLARSHIPS	<i>Mary Kaczka, Chairman</i>
.....	<i>Michelle Golden; Nancy Machnikowski</i>
ATTENDANCE	<i>Jim McNabney, Chairman</i>
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CHAPLAIN	<i>James Calaway, Chairman</i>
CHRISTMAS PARTY	<i>Phylis Mamula, Chairman</i>
CLASSIFICATIONS	
CLUB PICNIC	<i>Jeff Oesterle, Chairman</i>
ENVIRONMENT & BEAUTIFICATION	<i>Jeff Oesterle, Chairman</i>
FRIENDS OF ROTARY	<i>Chuck Sanger, Chairman</i>
GOLF OUTING	<i>Jim Prisby, Chairman</i>
GROUP STUDY EXCHANGE	<i>Mary Kaczka, Chairman</i>
MEMBER PRE-INDUCTION	<i>Cal Bellamy, Chairman</i>
MEMBERSHIP	<i>Phylis Mamula, Chairman</i>
MUSIC DIRECTOR	<i>Jim McNabney, Chairman, Lisa Woodruff</i>
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PROGRAMS	<i>Phylis Mamula, Chairman</i>
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ROTARY YOUTH LEADERSHIP AWARDS	<i>Nancy Machnikowski, Chairman</i>
SERGEANT AT ARMS	<i>Bassam Adballa, Chairman, Lisa Woodruff</i>
SERVICE PROJECTS	<i>Mary Kaczka, Chairman, Bud Baker</i>
.....	<i>Nancy Machnikowski</i>
STUDENT GUESTS	<i>Nancy Machnikowski, Chairman</i>
TRANSMISSION	<i>Mark Goldsmith, Publisher, Mary Kaczka, Barb Homolka</i>
.....	<i>Jim McNabney, Jeff Oesterle, Jim Prisby</i>
.....	<i>Rick Schumacher, Lisa Woodruff</i>
VOCATIONAL SERVICE AWARD	<i>Cal Bellamy, Chairman</i>
WEB SITE	<i>Jim Prisby, Chairman</i>

55 members as of July 1, 2008

ABDALLAH, Bassam — Clergy	932-3866
ANDERSON, Tim — Accountant-Certified Public	864-7300
BAKER, Bud — Accounting & Tax Service	845-5400
* BELLAMY, Cal—1979 — Investment Banking	933-2315
BLACKWOOD, Jim -- Mental Health	392-6001
BOLANOWSKI, Steve — Chemicals	937-2356
BOYAN, Greg — Education Administration	923-3538
* BRENNAN, Andy—2004 — Machine Shop	865-3897
* BUCHANAN, Jim—1974 — Retail Lumber	865-3673
CALAWAY, JAMES — Clergy	933-7013
CASTELLANOS, Dave — Steel Manufacturing & Construction	944-9040
COHEN, Howard — Education-Administration	306-2984
DEDELOW, Duane — Business Development	670-0818
* ENDERLIN, Hansjeorg—2006 — Restaurants & Hotels	616-8213
FIGUEROA, Cristina -- Banking	836-5500
GOLDEN, Michelle — Customized Recognition Awards	937-3737
GOLDSMITH, Mark — Office Machines & Systems	934-2800
GRAY, Dennis — Education	838-7039
GRYZBEK, Tom — Hospital Administration	933-2094
HEHEMANN, Bill — Physician-Family Practice	866-5800
HENKHAUS, Hank — Attendance-excused (Calculating Machines**)	(727) 797-4800
HENRY, Dick — Attendance-excused (Vacuum Cleaner Retailing**)	845-6800
HOMOLKA, Barbara — Human Resources	844-8950
* KACZKA, Mary—2005— Business Planning & Development	808-2700
KARNS, Ted -- Youth Services	836-1720
* KELLY, Tim—1986 — Labor Law	791-0606
MACHNIKOWSKI, Nancy — Education-Community Relations	933-2400
MAMULA, Phylis — Interior Design	932-2000
McCARTHY, Kevin — General Contractor	322-2272
McCULLOUGH, Terrence — Insurance-Health	838-8882
* MCHIE, Ed—1984 — Attendance-excused (General Law**)	931-1707
McLAUGHLIN, Mark -- Government, Municipal	853-6399
McNABNEY, James — Insurance-Consultants	924-5070
* MEYERS, Larry—1991 — Insurance-General	865-1777
MONBERG, Jeffrey — Lawyers-Banking Law	933-2320
MOORE-MORRIS, Rocharda — Education,-Public Affairs	218-2703
NAU, Peter — Machine Shops	933-0479
* OESTERLE, Jeff — Real Estate Investor	865-6275
OESTERLE, Jim — Electric-Contractors	347-6184
PINTAR, Charles — Banking-Commercial Loans	933-3822
POTASNIK, Bill — Dental Exodontia	838-0353
* PRISBY, Jim—2003 — Banking	865-2649
RANDOLPH, Linda — Education Consultant	742-7122
* RECTOR, Clyde—1981 — Insurance-Fire	931-4000
* ROBINSON, Bill—1992 — Higher Education	989-2538
ROMAR, Jim — Golf Pro	201-7081
SANGER, Charles -- Physical Fitness	845-1507
* SCHUMACHER, Rick—1989 — Utility Law	738-6504
* SMIDDY, Harry—1961 — Banking Investment Trust	865-2846
SUGGS, Michael — Public Affairs	568-5655
TOBIN, Kathleen — Education	989-3192
WALKER, Judith — Music	513-0549
WEIN, Lisa — Community Services-General	931-2090
WHITE, Thomas — Insurance-General	972-7575
WOODRUFF, Lisa -- Education-Development	932-4137

* Past President ** Previous Classification

Current e-mail listings may be found at www.hammondrotary.org/members

PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS

Multiple Fellows

- * Andy & Sarah Brennan
- * Jim & Corene Buchanan
- Duane Dedelow
- * Bill Hehemann
- Jim McNabney
- Jeff Oesterle
- Jim Prisby

In Memoriam

- A. C. Colby, Sr.
- A. C. Colby Jr.
- Cabe Davies
- Richard Devine
- Ray Elledge
- Jack Fox
- Joe Glotzbach
- Robert Heinze
- Al & Helen Kaye
- Emil Krejci
- John Kuppinger
- Burnham Lanham
- Jim McHie
- Dennis Gray
- Clare Oesterle
- Bill Parson
- Leo Pottlitzer
- Jack Rogers
- Henry & Helen Rosevear
- Fred Rowley
- Sam & Lilyan Sax
- Paul Stewart
- Theodore Thomas

- Bob Evans
- Richard E. Gardner
- Sally Gasser-Amber
- Frank Gorham
- June Hansen
- Kay Dell Knarr
- Dennis Kolacinski
- Bob Krumwied
- Bruce Lindner
- Chris Morrow
- Jim Oesterle
- Ken Osborne
- Susan Rehner
- Don Slattery
- Bob Sweet
- Cassel White
- Tom Yamada
- Phil Zoladz

Current Fellows

- Tim Anderson
- Bud Baker
- Cal Bellamy
- * Steve Bolanowski
- Howard Cohen
- Hans Enderlin
- Dennis Gray
- Hank Henkhaus
- ***Dick Henry
- Mary Kaczka
- Tim Kelly
- Nancy Machnikowski
- * Kevin McCarthy
- * Terry McCullough
- Ed McHie
- Larry Meyers
- Donna Prisby
- * Clyde Rector
- * Bill Robinson
- Rick Schumacher
- Harry Smiddy
- Tom White

Former Members

- Dave Allard
- Dale & Helen Anderson
- Mark Bader
- Rex Bucher
- Nate Carras
- Frank Chlebek
- Ave Colby
- Bruce Cook
- Lance Dodson
- Jim Donovan
- Gary Edwards

Sustaining Members

- Bassam Abdallah
- Mark Goldsmith
- Chuck Sanger
- Judith Walker
- Lisa Woodruff
- Lisa Wein

* PHF Continuing Giver
** PHF Benefactor

CONVENIENT MAKE-UP CLUBS

MONDAY

- LaPorte 5:30 Ramada Inn
- Valparaiso 12:15 Strongbow Inn

TUESDAY

- Chicago 12:00 Union League Club.
- Hobart 12:00 Brentwood Senior Com. Ctr.
- Munster 12:00 Center/Visual Perform. Arts
- Schererville ... 12:00 Briar Ridge Country Club

WEDNESDAY

- Crown Point 12:10 Youche Country Club
- Highland 12:00 Michael's

WEDNESDAY

- Merrillville 12:15 Radisson Hotel
- Portage 12:15 Stacy Hall Banquet Center

THURSDAY

- Gary 12:15 Miller Bakery Cafe
- Griffith 12:15 Bridge's Scoreboard
- Michigan City .. 12:00 Lubeznick Center.

FRIDAY

- Lansing 12:15 Papanalo's
- Lowell 7:30 a.m. Nellie Jaynes Cafe'