

# TRANSMISSION

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

## OFFICERS

President ..... Judith Walker  
President-Elect ..... Chuck Sanger  
Vice President .....  
Secretary ..... Jim McNabney  
Treasurer ..... Tim Anderson

## DIRECTORS

Mark Goldsmith (2010) Ted Karns (2011)  
Nancy Machnikowski (2010) Bassam Abdallah (2012)  
Lisa Woodruff (2010) Jim Blackwood (2012)  
James "J" Calaway (2011) Rick Schumacher (2012)  
Chuck Pintar (2011)

Past President ..... Duane Dedelow  
Club Adviser ..... Jim Buchanan  
Rotary Int'l Pres. .... John Kenny  
District Governor ..... Floyd Lancia

(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 JULY 10 & 14, 2009

Transmission 7/10/09

Hammond Rotary held its first joint golf outing with the Hammond Area YMCA at the beautiful Lost Marsh Golf Course in Hammond. The outing was delayed about 40 minutes by light rain and threatening clouds, but the overcast sky quickly passed and turned into a beautiful afternoon for 80 golfers.

First place for the tournament was won by the team from Strack & Van Til's, with second going to Mayor McDermott's team and third to the Pepsi group. Defending champion Jim McNabney and his boys missed by one stroke and came in fourth. The men's long drive was won by Rick Calinski, the women's long drive went to Lynette McDermott, and closest to the pin was won by Munster Rotary's Roger Sims. The raffle which netted about \$2,000 provided a set of Big Bertha irons and a beautiful golf bag to "Gene" from Preferred Auto.

After golf approximately 90 golfers, Rotarians and guests enjoyed cocktails, dinner and door prizes. The long but thoroughly enjoyable day ended about 8:00 pm, and all of the participants seemed pleased with the event.

Outing chairman Jim Prisby wishes to thank the Committee of Hans Enderlin, Mark Goldsmith, Ted Karns, Jim McNabney, Rochard Moore-Morris, Chuck Pintar, Linda Randolph, Chuck Sanger, Rick Schumacher, Judy Walker and Lisa Woodruff. It was a great day of fellowship and raised over \$4,000 for new playground equipment at the Y.

Transmission 7/14/09

After opening with America the Beautiful, President Judy Walker asked Michelle Golden to introduce her guest, Lisa Sobilo, and Hans Enderlin to introduce his guest, Gideon Falk. Judy then read a congratulatory letter she wrote to the Schererville Rotary Club on its 25th anniversary and

### 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

July 21 Newton to America, Jim McNabney  
July 28 Rotary Picnic, Jeff Oesterle  
August 4  
August 11 Hutton & Assoc., Bill Hutton  
August 18

noted that the Hammond Club, under the guidance of Past District Governor Jim Buchanan and long-time secretary Tom Yamada, was very instrumental in the founding of the Schererville club.

PE Chuck Sanger then asked the members to fill out a form which he created to let him know of potential speakers for future meetings and noted that we have a number of openings for meetings in August and September. Michelle Golden then announced that Books, Brushes and Bands was accepting donations to "Keep the Music Playing this Summer", a concert on July 30 at the Rotunda in downtown Hammond. Acceptable donations include instruments for the students other than pianos and organs. Jeff Oesterle then reminded everyone that our annual picnic on July 28 from 4:30 to 7:30 is also a Guest Day meaning any Rotarian's guest would be free. Rick Schumacher then announced that \$800 in donations to the Foundation from 9 members had been collected in the last 3 weeks of June helping to close the June 30 fiscal year on a positive note. Finally Jim Prisby announced that preliminary numbers indicate that the golf outing, with 80 for golf and 90 for dinner, would net over \$4,000.

Michelle Golden then won the weekly raffle but missed the joker for the huge pot of \$41. A presentation and discussion then ensued about various religions of the world.

Thank you to Jim Prisby for providing the meeting notes and Jim McNabney for the attendance figures.

## Rotary Attendance July 14, 2009

**Bassam Abdallah, James Buchanan, James Calaway, Hans Enderlin, Cristina Figueroa, Michelle Golden, Mark Goldsmith, Mary Kaczka, Nancy Machnikowski, Jim McNabney, Rocharda Morris, Jeff Oesterle, Chuck Pintar, Jim Prisby, Linda Randolph, Chuck Sanger, Rick Schumacher, Judy Walker, Tom White and Lisa Woodruff. Guests: Lisa Sobilo (Golden). Visitors: Dr. Gideon Falk**

**TOTAL ATTENDANCE: 22**

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## Rotary Club of Hammond "Service Above Self"

### 2007 - 2008 COMMITTEES

"A" SCHOLARS LUNCHEON .....	Nancy Machnikowski, Chairperson
AMBASSADOR SCHOLARSHIPS .....	Mary Kaczka, Chairperson
ATTENDANCE .....	Michelle Golden; Nancy Machnikowski
BUDGETS & FINANCIAL REPORTS .....	Jim McNabney, Chairperson
CHAPLAIN .....	Tim Anderson, Chairman, Bud Baker
CHRISTMAS PARTY .....	James Calaway, Chairperson
CLASSIFICATIONS .....	
CLUB PICNIC .....	Jeff Oesterle, Chairperson
ENVIRONMENT & BEAUTIFICATION .....	Jeff Oesterle, Chairperson
FELLOWSHIP .....	Chuck Pintar, Chairperson
FRIENDS OF ROTARY .....	Chuck Sanger, Chairperson
GOLF OUTING .....	Jim Prisby, Chairperson
GROUP STUDY EXCHANGE .....	Mary Kaczka, Chairperson
MEMBER PRE-INDUCTION .....	Cal Bellamy, Chairperson
MEMBERSHIP .....	Duane Dedlow, Chairperson
MUSIC DIRECTOR .....	Jim McNabney, Chairperson, Lisa Woodruff
NOMINATING .....	Rick Schumacher, Chairperson, Jim Prisby
PEARL HARBOR RECOGNITION LUNCHEON .....	Larry Meyers, Chairperson, Bill Robinson
PROGRAMS .....	Chuck Sanger, Chairperson
PUBLICITY .....	Michael Suggs, Chairperson
RAFFLE .....	Chuck Sanger, Chairman, Jim Prisby
ROOM SETUP .....	Jim Blackwood, Chairperson
ROTARY FOUNDATION & PAUL HARRIS FELLOWSHIPS .....	Tom White, Chairperson
ROTARY YOUTH LEADERSHIP AWARDS .....	Nancy Machnikowski, Chairperson
SERGEANT AT ARMS .....	Bassam Abdalla, Chairperson, Lisa Woodruff
SERVICE PROJECTS .....	Mary Kaczka, Chairperson, Bud Baker
STUDENT GUESTS .....	Nancy Machnikowski, Chairperson
TRANSMISSION .....	Mark Goldsmith, Publisher, Mary Kaczka, Barb Homolka
VOCATIONAL SERVICE AWARD .....	Cal Bellamy, Chairperson
WEBSITE .....	Jim Prisby, Chairperson

### 46 members as of July 1, 2009

ABDALLAH, Bassam — Clergy .....	932-3866
ANDERSON, Tim — Accountant-Certified Public .....	864-7300
BAKER, Bud — Accounting & Tax Service .....	845-5400
* BELLAMY, Cal—1979 — Investment Banking .....	227-6101
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
COHEN, Howard — Education-Administration .....	306-2984
* DEDELOW, Duane — Business Development .....	670-0818
DONOVAN, Tom — Electronic Equipment and Supplies .....	
* ENDERLIN, Hansjeorg—2006 — Restaurants & Hotels .....	616-8213
FIGUEROA, Cristina -- Banking .....	228-2078
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
HENRY, Dick — Attendance-excused (Vacuum Cleaner Retailing**) .....	845-6800
HOLLINGSHEAD, Martin — Recycling .....	937-3960
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
McLAUGHLIN, Mark -- Government, Municipal .....	853-6399
McNABNEY, James — Insurance-Consultants .....	924-5070
* MEYERS, Larry—1991 — Insurance-General .....	865-1777
MANTGEN, John — Hospital Administration .....	
MONBERG, Jeffrey — Lawyers-Banking Law .....	227-6111
MOORE-MORRIS, Rocharda — Education, Public Affairs .....	218-2703
NAU, Peter — Machine Shops .....	933-0479
* OESTERLE, Jeff — Real Estate Investor .....	865-6275
PINTAR, Chuck—Banking .....	972-7412
* 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
SANGER, Charles -- Physical Fitness .....	895-0706
* SCHUMACHER, Rick—1989 — Utility Law .....	738-6504
* SMIDDY, Harry—1961 — Banking Investment Trust .....	865-2846
SUGGS, Michael — Public Affairs .....	568-5655
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](http://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
- Ed Meyer
- Clare Oesterle
- Bill Parson
- Leo Pottlitzer
- Jack Rogers
- Henry & Helen Rosevear
- Fred Rowley
- Sam & Lilyan Sax
- Paul Stewart
- Theodore Thomas

- Richard E. Gardner
- Sally Gasser-Amber
- Frank Gorham
- June Hansen
- Hank Henkhaus
- Kay Dell Knarr
- Dennis Kolacinski
- Bob Krumwied
- Bruce Lindner
- Kevin McCarthy
- Terry McCullough
- Ed McHie
- Chris Morrow
- Jim Oesterle
- Ken Osborne
- Susan Rehrrer
- Don Slattery
- Bob Sweet
- Cassel White
- Tom Yamada
- Phil Zoladz

### Current Fellows

- Bassam Abdallah
- Tim Anderson
- Bud Baker
- Cal Bellamy
- \* Steve Bolanowski
- Howard Cohen
- Duane Dedelow
- Hans Enderlin
- Dennis Gray
- \*\*\*Dick Henry
- Mary Kaczka
- Tim Kelly
- Nancy Machnikowski
- Larry Meyers
- Donna Prisby
- \* Clyde Rector
- \* Bill Robinson
- Rick Schumacher
- Harry Smiddy
- Judy Walker
- 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
- Bob Evans

### Sustaining Members

- Jim Blackwood
- Mark Goldsmith
- Rocharda Moore-Morris
- Linda Randolph
- Chuck Sanger
- Lisa Woodruff

\* 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 Papalano's
- Lowell ..... 7:30 a.m. Nellie Jaynes Cafe'