

# 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..... Jim McNabney  
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 March 23, 2010

President Judy Walker led the membership in My Country 'Tis of Thee, Chuck Sanger led the Pledge of Allegiance, and Bill Robinson offered another thoughtful prayer. Cal Bellamy introduced his guest, Phil Taillon, the Executive Director for the City of Hammond's Department of Planning & Development, and Ted Karns introduced guest Dominic Posiadlik, staff member from the Calumet Council of the Boy Scouts of America.

Hans Enderlin then read an invitation from Gideon Falk to all members to attend a lecture on The 2008 Global Financial Crisis at 7:30 this evening at Purdue Cal. Nancy Machnikowski announced that our lunch server, Joyce, has retired from Purdue Cal and sends her regards to all Rotarians. Michelle Golden urged all Rotarians to attend the 9th Annual Essay Contest on March 30th at Morton High School. Refreshments will be served from 5:00 to 6:00 pm followed by the reading of some great essays for about an hour. President Judy then reported on the success of last week's World Affairs Conference attended by some very high quality students from our region. She also reported that she attended the PETS Conference in Kalamazoo, Michigan along with PE Chuck Sanger and VP Jim McNabney where they were reminded about the importance of the Every Rotarian Every Year program whereby every Rotarian is asked to donate \$100 every year to keep the fantastic work of the Rotary Foundation going from year to year. Judy also reminded new members that the Hammond Club matches the first \$500 given to help each member attain the prestigious status of becoming a Paul Harris Fellow which is bestowed on a Rotarian after having contributed an aggregate of \$1,000. Finally Judy provided details about the upcoming visit of the GSE (Group Study Exchange) team from South Korea. Included in the week's activities will be a joint meeting between the Munster and Hammond Clubs on April 13th at Centennial Park in Munster.

Extractor Bassam Abdallah then successfully stumped 4 tables with celebrity questions. Happy bucks were provided by: Hans Enderlin for his cousin's (in Germany) birthday; Bill Robinson for the happy visit he had in

### 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

March 30 Fire Safety, Chuck Pintar  
April 6 Sales Success, Leanne Hoagland-Smith  
April 13 GSE Team from Korea, Mary Kaczka  
April 20  
April 27 Musicians w/o Borders, Michael Greenwald

Colorado with his recuperating mother who is almost 95; Cal Bellamy for the promotion received by Michelle Golden's husband from the Social Security Administration; and Judy Walker for the help received by Bill Robinson in translating "Go With the Song" into French for the upcoming convention of Rotary International in Montreal.

Chuck Sanger then conducted the current events challenge game for a grand prize of \$49. Michelle Golden answered the question correctly but drew the Jack of Diamonds instead of the Joker from the remaining 49 cards. Rotarian Diane Arias then informed the members about the 29th Annual Bishop Noll Emporium, a fun evening of cocktails, dinner, dancing, numerous silent auctions and 10 live auctions, being held on Friday, April at 6:30 pm. The proceeds of the gala event will go entirely toward scholarships that will enable BNI to maintain the high standards it holds in both education and athletics. Of its 510 students, 87 currently receive scholarships, including assistance through the Principal's Scholarship for the top 10 students in each grade. Tickets for the event are \$100 per person, and for those who cannot attend, the donation of auction items, approximate value \$75, are appreciated. Sponsorship levels as high as \$2,500 are also available. The goal for the Emporium is \$40,000.

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

### Rotary Attendance March 23, 2010

**Basaam Abdallah, Diane Arias, Bud Baker, Cal Bellamy, Hans Enderlin, Michelle Golden, Ted Karns, Nancy Machnikowski, James McNabney, Bill Robinson, Charles Pintar, Jim Prisby, Charles Sanger, Judith Walker and Tom White. MAKE-UPS: Clyde Rector and Bill Robinson. GUESTS: Phil Taillon (Cal Bellamy), Dominic Podsiadlik (Ted Karns).**

**TOTAL ATTENDANCE: 18**

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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

## 45 members as of December 8, 2009

ABDALLAH, Bassam — Clergy	932-3866
ANDERSON, Tim — Accountant-Certified Public	864-7300
ARIAS, Diana — Educational Fundraising	932-9058
BAKER, Bud — Accounting & Tax Service	845-5400
* BELLAMY, Cal—1979 — Investment Banking	227-6101
BOLANOWSKI, Steve — Chemicals	937-2356
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	931-6850
* 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
MENTGEN, John — Hospital Administration	932-2300
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	923-6617
* 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
- Bumham 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 Rehner
- 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 ..... 12:00 Miller's Assisted Living

### 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'