

TRANSMISSION

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

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(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 31, 2009

Judith lead the group in "God Bless America" the pledge of Allegiance

Ted Karnes led the "Pledge of Allegiance" and Rev. Abdallah lead the prayer.

Guest
Linda Gajewski from Calumet College attended the meeting.

Announcements

Mark Goldsmith read an email from a friend of Mary Kaczka from India who thanked the organization for the work that it was undertaking.

Chancellor Cohen announced the "Building Community Through the Arts" event to be held on April 4, 2009. The event will celebrate the culture of countries in Eastern Europe.

Judith Walker made the following announcements

1. Linda Randolph has been appointed as Group Study Leader to Korea. Congratulations....
2. Jim Prisby is at home recovering from pneumonia.
3. April is Hospitality Month in the District. Our club board has planned quarterly luncheons for club members to invite guest to lunch to fellowship and to learn more about Hammond Rotary. The cost of the luncheon will be paid for by the club.
4. District Conference is May 1st and 2nd at Swan Lake Resort. The keynote speaker is Jim Dreyer who's talk is "Quitting is Not an Option".
5. Thursday evening, May 28th is the "Dollars for Dictionary Fundraiser" at the home of Andy and Sara Brennan in Briar Ridge. This event will replace our regular Tuesday meeting the last week of May.
6. Tuesday April 14th, Hammond Rotary will be hosting the five GSE team members from Turkey for the day. The group will be the program at our Tuesday luncheon. The group will visit the Challenger Center after lunch. Mary Kaczka is looking into the Hammond Marina and Horseshoe Casino for the remainder of the afternoon.

Program

Jim Adduci, Calumet College, Guatemala Mission Work
This is a mission that Calumet College has been undertaking for a while and involves from 8-10 people. This mission is the out growth of the Catholic philosophy that there must be an action to ones belief. His talk involved the presentation of the most telling photos from the last mission. As he began to speak he indicated that he was not go-

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

April 7	Jewish Federation, Michael Steinberg
April 14	GSE Team, Turkey
April 21	Indiana Update, Morton Marcus
April 28	Guest Luncheon, 1st guest free
May 5	Honors Scholars, Dynasty @ 11:30

ing to recruit persons for the next mission but just tell the stories of the photos displayed around the room. Jim emphasized that you cannot think about this country from an American perspective.

As he talked about the mission, he highlighted the photos that surrounded the room, to help illustrate his feelings about the experience. The basic quality of life issues that he felt were important for the development of this county were; clean water, air and providing careers for the women of the villages.

He emphasized that the saddest stories came from the mothers in the villages. These mothers care for their children and want more for them than they could provide. His photo example and story was that of Miguel was very touching. Miguel had cancer and because there was little medical help for the child the mother asked that a member of the mission take the child ... The mother felt that he would have a better chance in the United States than staying in the village.

His talk highlighted some of the basic needs that the children need which we consider simple pleasures kids receiving dental supplies (tooth brushes) and tools for schools. One of the stories he told was the "pass the pencil". This involved the children in the village passing the one pencil around so that everyone could get a chance to use the pencil. He indicated how Mayor Dedelow had provided Elect Dedelow Pencils for their mission. Because of the fear of items not getting to the people in need Jim indicated, that they carry the items and do not rely on the government for distribution.

From The Publisher... Thank you to Rocharda Moore and Linda Randolph for providing the meeting notes, and Jim McNabney for the attendance figures.

Rotary Attendance March 31, 2009

Bassam Abdallah, Jim Blackwood, Greg Boyan, Andy Brennan, Howard Cohen, Hans Enderlin, Cristina Figueroa, Mark Goldsmith, Ted Karns, Jim McNabney, Rocharda Morris, Jeff Oesterle, Chuck Pintar, Linda Randolph, Charles Sanger, Rick Schumacher, Judy Walker, Lisa Woodruff.

Speaker: James Aducci, Calumet College Guests: Linda Gajewski, Calumet College.

Make-ups: Clyde Rector March 31), Greg Boyan and Linda Randolph (for March 24).

TOTAL ATTENDANCE: 21

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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
	Michelle Golden; Nancy Machnikowski
ATTENDANCE	Jim McNabney, Chairperson
BUDGETS & FINANCIAL REPORTS	Tim Anderson, Chairman, Bud Baker
CHAPLAIN	James Calaway, Chairperson
CHRISTMAS PARTY	
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
	Nancy Machnikowski
STUDENT GUESTS	Nancy Machnikowski, Chairperson
TRANSMISSION	Mark Goldsmith, Publisher, Mary Kaczka, Barb Homolka
	Jim McNabney, Jeff Oesterle, Jim Prisby
	Rick Schumacher, Lisa Woodruff
VOCATIONAL SERVICE AWARD	Cal Bellamy, Chairperson
WEB SITE	Jim Prisby, Chairperson

48 members as of February 10, 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	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
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	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
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
McCARTHY, Kevin — General Contractor	322-2272
McCULLOUGH, Terrence — Insurance-Health	322-8274
* 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	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
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 Dedlow
- * 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 Zadacz

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