

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 NOVEMBER 3, 2009

President Judy presided, with the Pledge of Allegiance led by Linda Randolph, and prayer by Bill Robinson. Bud Baker introduced his guests: our speakers Jen and Dave Bell, Bud's brother Pete and his sister Geneva Mence. We also welcomed guest and prospective member Diane Arias from Bishop Noll.

Hammond Area YMCA has formally thanked our club for the \$4700 donation for their playground project. Kudos to Jim Prisby and committee for pulling off such a successful golf outing.

Congratulations to Marty Hollingshead for his award from IDEM for running such a clean recycling yard. Marty is paying ice hockey in a game with former Blackhawk players this weekend!

We bid farewell for a few weeks to Linda Randolph, who leaves Nov. 8 for the Group Study Exchange tour of Korea. Linda is the team leader. We can't wait for her safe return and details of what must be a very interesting tour. You can keep up to date on their progress by visiting their blog at "www.gsekorea2009.blogspot.com" Bassam was in fine form as he extracted with questions about Kenya. He managed to raise \$88 for the water project and about the same for other purposes – quite a haul. Amid lots of happy bucks, Bill Robinson's is most memorable – he rejoices that his mother's health has improved so much she has "flunked out" of Hospice in Colorado.

Clyde Rector won the \$10 raffle but didn't pick the Joker.

Our program was Jen and Dave Bell, new members of the Machakos, Kenya, Rotary Club. They are our partners in the water project. On their annual visit home, the Bells report on the depths of HIV/AIDS incidence in Kenya. Their efforts to promote clean water are now centered on this most at-risk population, along with young children. One 5 cent sachet of PUR can produce

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

November 10 Tribute to Veterans, Jim McNabney
November 17
November 24
December 1
December 8 Club Assembly

2.5 gallons of water, enough for a family's 2-3 day use. The \$10 combination of bucket and sachets is beyond the price of most Kenyans – it's 2-3 months' wages! The Bells live in a village in the country, where a government clinic provides the only health support for hundreds of miles. Many children are orphaned and abandoned. Now with the help of the Machakos Rotary Club, they are literally saving and changing lives through the water project. Our club was grateful to be able to present a check to the Bells for \$1500 – enough for 28,000 packets, or 70,000 gallons of clean, safe water. Thanks to Bud Baker for initially supervising this Club project, and for Bassam for now taking it over. We're in need of some Directors and Officers – It's time for an annual election of choosing people who will help guide and lead this club. While our membership is down from previous years, we are certainly focused on several very important projects that impact our community and world (Dictionaries, YMCA playground, clean water, Haven House holiday benefit, etc.) And we need your help to continue these efforts. Please consider carefully if you can serve as a director or officer. If you are interested please let Judy or Jim Prisby or Rick Schumacher know.

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

Rotary Attendance November 3, 2009

Bassam Abdallah, Diane Arias (Proposed Member), Bud Baker, Andy Brennan, Jim Buchanan, J Calaway, Tom Donovan, Hans Enderlin, Cristi Figueroa, Marty Hollingshead, Jim McNabney, Rocharda Moore Morris, Jeff Oesterle, Chuck Pintar, Jim Prisby, Linda Randolph, Clyde Rector, Bill Robinson, Chuck Sanger, Rick Schumacher, Harry Smiddy, Judy Walker, Lisa Wein & Tom White. Guests: Peter Baker & Geneva Menze (Bud Baker's brother and sister) Guest Speakers: David and Jennifer Bell (from Machakos Rotary, Kenya, Africa)

TOTAL ATTENDANCE: 28

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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

45 members as of August 19, 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
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

PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS

Multiple Fellows

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

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

Sustaining Members

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

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

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

- 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

* 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'