

TRANSMISSION

Rotary Club of Hammond (Indiana)
Rotary District No. 6540 - Rotary Club No. 3362
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Bassam Abdallah (2012)
Tom Donovan (2012)
Rick Schumacher (2012)
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Mike Repay (2014)

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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 October 18, 2011

President Jim opened our double barreled program with "My Country 'Tis of Thee," then Michelle Golden led the Pledge, visitor Dave Bell provided an invocation, and Mark Goldsmith led the 4-Way Test.

We welcomed visiting Rotarian Milford Christensen (always welcome), and guests Cory Frank and Cindy Goldsmith (with Mark).

Michelle provided thank you notes from Hammond 3rd graders, for the Dictionary Project. It has been very well received in the schools and by parents. The project is already making a "huge difference," and special thanks are due to Nancy Machnikowski for leading the charge on this.

Kudos to Mike Repay for finishing the Chicago Marathon in 4 hours. He's on to NYC next year!

Our first program was provided by Dave and Jen Bell, the CSI Kenya missionaries who help administer our Water Project. They brought slides of their program, "Mahali pa Maisha," or "A Place of Life." It is focused on several ways to improve life in Kenya, including the water project, and greenhouses for children's homes (they produce both food and income from sale of produce). They have instituted no-till farming that is greatly increasing yields from the land. Their infant rescue center has taken care of 12 infants since January. Water is provided especially to HIV+ groups. They also help with hand pumps for villages. Our \$1500 contribution last year provided 300,000 liters of clean water. This year, Rev. Bassam challenged the Club to contribute \$2000 this year, which was given to the Bells at the meeting. It's a true humanitarian, international project we can be proud of.

Our second program was new Purdue Calumet Chancellor Tom Keon. He expressed his enthusiasm for the university and also Hammond. Tom focused on 2 new initiatives. First, the Center for Innovation Through Visualization and Simulation (CIVS). This facility has research 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

October 25

November 1

November 8 Nursing the Children, Eric Graham

November 11 Dictionaries Cocktail Party, Andy Brennan

November 15

education components, including a 70-seat theatre with 3D screens and a lab. They are able to simulate physical scenarios that could not easily or economically be done "live". An example is improving the performance of local blast furnaces, to expand the life span, be more efficient, and decrease pollution. US Steel has saved \$8.9 M through the CIVS work! NIPSCO has improved power production efficiency to save \$1.9 M annually. Overall CIVS has produced over \$30 M savings for local industries, and provided education for scientists and engineers at the same time.

The White Lodging Center for Hospitality and Tourism has transformed the former conference facility south of 173rd Street into a state of the art training center for hospitality. They have classrooms, computer lab, a "beverage lab", first class kitchen and dining room. Lunches and dinners are served to the public on Wednesdays. They hope to reopen for public banquets, etc. Tom said it is providing a real boost to the Purdue hospitality program.

There are 10,300 students enrolled at PUC now, including about 800 international students. Keon intends to keep PUC serving an important role in the area, including undergrad, grad, and associates degrees. Tom wants to continue the community-industry partnerships that have served the campus so well.

Thank you to Rick Schumacher for the Transmission notes, and Jim McNabney for he attendance figures.

Rotary Attendance October 18, 2011

Bassam Abdallah, Andrew Brennan, James Buchanan, Tom Donovan, Hans Enderlin, Linda Fullilove, Michelle Golden, Mark Goldsmith, Mary Kaczka, Nick Loxas, Dan Magura, David Mays, James McNabney, Rocharda Moore-Morris, Jeffrey Oesterle, Jim Prisby, Rick Schumacher, Mike Repay, Irma Torres-Cantu, Thomas White.

**VISITING ROTARIANS: Milford Christenson GUESTS: Cindy Goldsmith & Cory Frank
SPEAKERS: Thomas Keon, Chancellor -Purdue Calumet; Dave and Jen Bell - Kenya, Africa**

TOTAL ATTENDANCE: 26

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“Service Above Self”

2011- 2012 COMMITTEES

“A” SCHOLARS LUNCHEON	Nancy Machnikowski, Chairperson
AMBASSADOR SCHOLARSHIPS	Mary Kaczka, Chairperson
	Michelle Golden; Nancy Machnikowski
ATTENDANCE	Lisa Woodruff, Chairperson
BUDGETS & FINANCIAL REPORTS	Tim Anderson, Chairperson
CHAPLAIN	Bassam Abdallah, Chairperson
CHRISTMAS PARTY	Chuck Pintar, Chairperson
CLASSIFICATIONS	Lisa Woodruff, Chairperson, Cal Bellamy
CLUB PICNIC	Jeff Oesterle, Chairperson
CURRENT EVENTS CHALLENGE	Tom Donovan, Chairperson
	Jim Prisby, Hans Enderlin
DOLLARS FOR DICTIONARIES	Nancy Machnikowski, Chairperson
	Andy Brennan, Lisa Woodruff
FELLOWSHIP	Hans Enderlin, Chairperson
FRIENDS OF ROTARY	Mark Goldsmith, Chairperson
GOLF OUTING	Jim Prisby, Chairperson, Tom Donovan
	Hans Enderlin, Mark Goldsmith, Dan Magura, Chuck Pintar
	Chuck Sanger, Phil Taillon, Lisa Woodruff
GROUP STUDY EXCHANGE	Linda Randolph, Chairperson, Mary Kaczka
	Judy Walker
INTERACT	Rocharda Moore-Morris, Chairperson
	Linda Randolph
MEMBER PRE-INDUCTION	Cal Bellamy, Chairperson
MEMBERSHIP	Jim McNabney, Chairperson, Tim Anderson
	Jeff Oesterle, Rick Schumacher
MUSIC DIRECTOR	Jim McNabney, Chairperson, Lisa Woodruff
NOMINATING	Rick Schumacher, Chairperson; Jim Prisby
PILOT PROGRAM	Chuck Sanger, Chairperson, Michelle Golden
	Mark Goldsmith, Mary Kaczka, Dan Magura
	Chuck Pintar, Jim Prisby
PROGRAMS	Michelle Golden, Chairperson
PUBLICITY	Chuck Sanger, Chairperson
ROOM SETUP	
ROTARY FOUNDATION & PAUL HARRIS FELLOWSHIPS	Jim Prisby, Chairperson
ROTARY YOUTH LEADERSHIP AWARDS	Nancy Machnikowski, Chairperson
SERGEANT AT ARMS	Irma Torres-Cantu
STUDENT GUESTS	Nancy Machnikowski, Chairperson
TRANSMISSION	Mark Goldsmith, Publisher, Editors, Rocharda Moore-Morris
	Jeff Oesterle, Jim Prisby, Linda Randolph
	Rick Schumacher, Lisa Woodruff
VETERANS DAY LUNCHEON	Larry Meyers, Chairperson, Jim Buchanan
	Bill Robinson
VOCATIONAL SERVICE AWARD	Cal Bellamy, Chairperson
WATER PROJECT	Bassam Abdallah, Chairperson, Bud Baker
WEB SITE	Jim Prisby, Chairperson
WORLD AFFAIRS CONFERENCE	Mary Kaczka, Chairperson, Rocharda Moore-Morris

49 members as of August 1, 2011

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
BOLANOWSKI, Steve — Chemicals	937-2356
BRENNAN, Andy—2004 — Machine Shop	865-3897
* BUCHANAN, Jim—1974 — Retail Lumber	865-3673
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
FULLILOVE, Linda — Education - Services	934-2400
GOLDEN, Michelle — Customized Recognition Awards	937-3737
GOLDSMITH, Mark — Office Machines & Systems	934-2800
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
LOXAS, Nick — Bowling Alley Management	933-6677
MACHNIKOWSKI, Nancy — Education-Community Relations	933-2400
MADISON, Stephanie — Credit Union Manager	659-5800
MAGURA, Dan — Commercial Loan Officer	753-7500
MARLOWE, CHUCK — Attorney	844-6372
MAYS, Dave — Youth and Community Service	845-1507
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
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 — Attendance excused (Insurance-Fire**)	574-658-9372
REPAY, Mike — Realtor	313-3911
* ROBINSON, Bill—1992 — Higher Education	989-2538
SANGER, Charles -- Physical Fitness	895-0706
* SCHUMACHER, Rick—1989 — Utility Law	708-418-2121
* SMIDDY, Harry—1961 — Banking Investment Trust	865-2846
SUGGS, Michael — Public Affairs	568-5655
TAILLON, Phil — Local Government	853-6334
TORRES-CANTU, Irma — Banking, Business Relations	853-3850
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
- Jim McNabney
- Jeff Oesterle
- Jim Prisby
- Judith Walker

Current Fellows

- Bassam Abdallah
- Tim Anderson
- Bud Baker
- Cal Bellamy
- * Steve Bolanowski
- Howard Cohen
- Duane Dedelow
- Hans Enderlin
- ** Dick Henry
- Mary Kaczka
- Tim Kelly
- Nancy Machnikowski
- Larry Meyers
- Donna Prisby
- * Clyde Rector
- * Bill Robinson
- Chuc Sanger
- Rick Schumacher
- Harry Smiddy
- Tom White

Sustaining Members

- Michelle Golden
- Mark Goldsmith
- Rocharda 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
- Hank Henkhaus
- Al & Helen Kaye
- Emil Krejci
- John Kuppinger
- Burnham Lanham
- Jim McHie
- Ed Meyer
- Clare Oesterle
- Bill Parson
- Leo Pottlitzer
- Jack Rogers
- Henry Rosevear
- Fred Rowley
- Sam & Lilyan Sax
- Paul Stewart
- Theodore Thomas
- Bruce Cook
- Lance Dodson
- Jim Donovan
- Gary Edwards
- Bob Evans
- Richard E. Gardner
- Sally Gasser-Amber
- Frank Gorham
- Dennis Gray
- June Hansen
- Bill Hihemann
- Kay Dell Knarr
- Dennis Kolacinski
- Bob Krumwied
- Bruce Lindner
- Kevin McCarthy
- Terry McCullough
- Ed McHie
- Chris Morrow
- Jim Oesterle
- Ken Osborne
- Susan Rehrer
- Don Slattery
- Bob Sweet
- Cassel White
- Tom Yamada
- Phil Zoladz

Former Members

- Dave Allard
- Dale & Helen Anderson
- Mark Bader
- Rex Bucher
- Nate Carras
- Frank Chlebek
- Ave Colby

* PHF Continuing Giver
** PHF Benefactor

CONVENIENT MAKE-UP CLUBS

MONDAY		Merrillville	12:15	Radisson Hotel
LaPorte	5:30	Ramada Inn		
Valparaiso	12:15	Strongbow Inn		Miller's Assisted Living
TUESDAY		Gary	12:15	Stadium Grill Buffet
Chicago	12:00	Union League Club.		Griffith
Munster	12:00	Centennial Park Clubhouse		12:15 Bridge's Scoreboard
Schererville ...	12:00	Briar Ridge Country Club		Michigan City ..
WEDNESDAY				12:00 Lubeznick Center.
Crown Point	12:10	Youche Country Club		FRIDAY
Highland	12:00	Michael's		Lansing
WEDNESDAY				12:15 Papalano's