



"The Bright Leaf"

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BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

Happy birthday to the following Rotarians and Spouses:

Ryan Bartholomew - January 4

Tom Smith - January 11

Happy anniversary to the following Rotarians:

Mary Jane & Wallace Horne - January 1 (4th)

PROGRAM SCHEDULE

January 8.....	Randy Cash
January 15.....	Mylene Powell
January 22.....	Jerry Reynolds
January 29.....	Business Meeting
February 5.....	Vin Montgomery
February 12.....	Agri-Business Night
February 19.....	Brad Johnson

ATTENDANCE REPORT

We had 31 Rotarians present at our **Spouse's Night** on **December 18th** with the following visitors: **Heather Chaney, Barbara Nanney, Patty Evans, Kaitlyn Bartholomew, Ann Fitzgerald, Jean Farrar, Marilyn Wright, Lisa Gawaltney, Ethel Klingenberg, Cat Watkins, Ann Montgomery, Sarah Reynolds, Jim Crough, Frankie Watters, Maggie Chalifoux, Hope Zincone, Pat Poteralski, Faye Moore, Perine Taylor, Becky Crowder, Charles Warren, Heather Chaney, Denise & Robbie Williams.**

RESIGNATION RECEIVED

It was with regret that the club received a letter from **Steve Watkins** resigning his membership in our club effective **January 1, 2009**. Steve was a member of the **South Hill Rotary Club** for nearly **46 years** and he will be greatly missed. His letter will be read at the meeting this week.

SUCCESSFUL AUCTION

The auction held at our **Spouse's Night** was a huge success. The following items obtained in **Haiti** were donated to the club by **Lee Warren**: **Metal Cross - \$35.00 (Tom Watters); Framed Print - \$70.00 (Mike Brooks); Wooden Boat - \$55.00 (Denise Williams); Wooden Vase - \$35.00 (Bruce Settle); and Chocolate Truffles - \$50.00 (Lee Nicholson).** A total of **\$245.00** was raised for the **Rotary Scholarship Fund**.

ROTARY RAFFLE UPDATE

There was no raffle drawing held at our **Spouse's Night** on **December 18th**.

Rotary Foundation on 12/18/08 - **\$.00**

Scholarship Foundation Fund on 12/18/08 - **\$245.00**

Queen's Pot on 12/18/08 - **\$.00**

Happy Dollars on 12/18/08 - **\$.00**

Fines on 12/18/08 - **\$.00**

CURRENT BALANCES

Rotary Foundation - **\$1,257.52**

Queen's Pot - **\$.00**

Scholarship Foundation - **\$5,166.99**

Happy Dollars - **\$494.00**

Fines - **\$169.00**

BIRMINGHAM 2009

Anyone interested in attending the **2009 Rotary International Convention** this year. It is scheduled for **June 21-24** in **Birmingham, England**. Applications are being accepted now and you have until **March 31st** to receive a registration discount. The keynote addresses at the **100th Annual Rotary International Convention** will be by two of the world's most influential humanitarians. **Mia Farrow**, actress and children's rights advocate, and **Jane Goodall**, renown primatologist, are set to speak during convention plenary sessions. Other keynote speakers at the 2009 convention will include **Rotarians Tom Henderson** and **Deepa Willingham**. **Henderson** is the **Founder & CEO of ShelterBox**, a disaster relief organization supported by Rotary Clubs worldwide that has provided emergency shelter to more than 600,000 people in 45 countries. **Willingham** is the founder of **PACE Universal (Promise of Assurance to Children Everywhere)**, which helps advance the educational, nutritional, health, social, and cultural development of impoverished girls in India and other parts of the world. If you are interested in attending this year, please let **President Herbert Farrar** or **Secretary Tom Smith** know.

DATES TO REMEMBER

Thursday, April 16 - Food Booth at **Affair On The Square**, Market Square - **"The Janitors"** concert - 6:00 to 10:00

Saturday, May 9 - Food Booth at **SpringFest**, Downtown - 10:00 to 3:00; also **MusicFest**, Centennial Park from 3:00 to 8:00

Wednesday, May 27 - **Beef Festival**, Centennial Park - 3:00 to 8:00; also **Affair On The Square**, Market Square - **"Casper"** concert - 6:30 to 9:30. Rotary Food Booth to be determined.

**The Rotary Club of South Hill
Brian's Steak House
625 East Atlantic Street
South Hill, Virginia 23970
Every Thursday, 6:00 PM**

NOTE: In the event of inclement weather, call **Brian's Steak House** (447-3169) to see if the Rotary meeting is cancelled or not.

OFFICERS, 2008-09

Herbert L. Farrar-----President
Charles C. Wright-----President-Elect
Randy L. Cash-----1st Vice-President
Judith A. Jacquelin-----2nd Vice-President
Thomas L. Smith-----Secretary/Treasurer

DIRECTORS, 2008-09

Mickey L. Sims-----Club Administration
Thomas G. Zincone-----Club Membership
Lisa E. Clary-----Club Public Relations
David A. Yocum-----Club Service Projects
Leland R. Nicholson-----Rotary Foundation

COMMITTEE CHAIRS, 2008-09

Community Service-----Mickey Smith
Group Study Exchange-----Thomas G. Zincone
World Community Service-----Jerry L. Klingenberg
Vocational Service-----Daniel C. Poteralski
Webmaster-----Randy L. Cash
District Conference & Events-----Bruce Settle
Service Above Self Award-----Frank L. Nanney
Agri-Business Night-----Herbert L. Farrar
Teacher Appreciation Day-----Mickey Moore
Rotary Scholarship-----Faye Matthews
School Involvement-----Jerry L. Klingenberg
Holiday Bazaar Booth-----Charles C. Wright
Farmer's Day Booth-----Bill Wilson
South Hill Rings In Christmas-----Suzanne J. Springer
Market Square Events (Concessions)-----David A. Yocum
Spring Fest Booth-----Steven C. Stanley
Monster Mash Booth-----Mickey Smith
Environmental-----John S. Evans
Nominating-----Thomas S. Watters
Fire-Police-Rescue Dinner-----Dwayne Gwaltney
Spouse's Night-----Judith A. Jacquelin
Rotary Auction-----Carol J. Crough
Family Picnic-----Mary J. Elkins
Rotary Directory-----Thomas L. Smith
Club Educator-----Bruce Settle
Bright Leaf-----Thomas L. Smith
Rotary Matters-----Randy L. Cash
Sergeant-At-Arms-----Beth Smith
Casino Night-----Randy L. Cash
Weekly Programs-----Charles C. Wright
Rotary Essay Contest-----Dan Poteralski
Picnic In The Park-----Dave Yocum
International Service Project-----Lee Warren
Rotaract-----Thomas G. Zincone

ROTARY BENEFACTORS

Thomas L. Smith, 1995
Jimmie K. Crowder, 1998
Leland R. Nicholson, 2007

PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS

Thomas W. Leggett, 1981
John Lenkey III, 1984
Charles H. Morgan, 1984*
C. Edward Vassar, 1987*
J. Walker Copley, 1987*
Sterling P. Anderson, 1987*
Robert D. Keeling, 1989*
Thomas L. Smith, 1990
W. Horace Clarke, 1990*
Leland R. Nicholson, 1990
Roger H. Higgins, 1990
John T. Riel, 1990
William P. Becker, 1992*
William E. Moore, 1992
Myra H. Quicke, 1992
William M. Warren, 1992
G. Randolph Crocker, 1992
Marvin H. Thomas, Jr., 1996
Jimmie K. Crowder, 1996
Thomas J. Fitzgerald, 1996
Stephen E. Watkins, Jr., 1997
W. James Ridout, 1997
E. Warren Matthews, 1998
Jack D. Ogilvie, 1998 *
Herbert L. Farrar, 2000
Charles C. Wright, 2004
Steven C. Stanley, 2004
Nicholas W. Gesell, 2004
R. Bruce Settle, III, 2004
Thomas G. Zincone, 2004
Thomas A. Saunders, 2005
Jerry L. Klingenberg, 2007
Lisa E. Clary, 2007
Martha M. Hall, 2007*
Randy L. Cash, 2007
Ann H. Fitzgerald, 2008
Mickey L. Sims, 2008

*Deceased

WHERE TO MAKE UP MISSED MEETINGS

Blackstone, Mitchell's Restaurant, 1st & 3rd Mondays, 7:15 AM;
Slaw's Restaurant, 2nd & 4th Mondays, 6:30 PM
Emporia, Southern VA Hospital, Tuesdays, 12:00 Noon
Lunenburg, Marino's Restaurant, Tuesdays, 12:00 Noon
South Boston, Ernie's Restaurant, Tuesdays, 12:00 Noon
Lawrenceville, Elm Acres Club, Thursdays, 12:00 Noon
Farmville, Cedarbrook Restaurant, Thursdays, 12:00 Noon
Henderson, Henderson Country Club, Tuesdays, 6:30 PM
Warrenton, Jacob Holt House, Tuesdays, 7:00 PM
Lake Country, Lake House Rest., Clarksville Thursdays, 12:00 Noon