



# "The Bright Leaf"

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## BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

Happy birthday to the following Rotarians and Spouses:

Dr. Tom Saunders - December 22<sup>nd</sup>

Garland Baird, December 22<sup>nd</sup>



Happy anniversary to the following Rotarians:

Drs. Graham & L'Jan Powers - December 23<sup>rd</sup> (20<sup>th</sup>)

## PROGRAM SCHEDULE

December 18.....	Spouse's Night
December 25.....	Christmas Day
January 1.....	New Year's Day
January 8.....	Randy Cash
January 15.....	Mylene Powell
January 22.....	Jerry Reynolds
January 29.....	Business Meeting



## ATTENDANCE REPORT

We had 33 Rotarians present last week with the following visitors:  
Heather Chaney, guest of Bud Chaney.

## SALVATION ARMY REPORT

John Evans reported that a total of \$1013.78 was collected from the Salvation Army Kettle Drive last Saturday, December 13<sup>th</sup>. The stations were manned by some of the local churches.

## SALVATION ARMY BELL RINGING SCHEDULE THIS SATURDAY

The bell ringing schedule for the Salvation Army this Saturday, December 20<sup>th</sup> is as follows:

### MAIN AREA ENTRANCE:

- 9:00 to 11:00 - Tommy Zincone & Mary Jane Elkins
- 11:00 to 1:00 - Carol Crough & Bud Chaney
- 1:00 to 3:00 - Jimmie Keith Crowder & Charles Wright
- 3:00 to 5:00 - Buffy Allgood & Jo Ann cage (SVCC folks)

### FOOD AREA ENTRANCE:

- 9:00 to 11:00 - Randy Cash & Mickey Moore
- 11:00 to 1:00 - Tom Watters & Bill Wilson
- 1:00 to 3:00 - Jerry Reynolds & Sarah Reynolds
- 3:00 to 5:00 - Dan Poteralski & Tom Smith

## ROTARY RAFFLE UPDATE

Raffle winner on 12/11/08 - DAVE YOCUM won the raffle of \$24.00. Dave donated his winnings to the Rotary Scholarship Fund.

- Rotary Foundation on 12/11/08 - \$23.00
- Scholarship Foundation Fund on 12/11/08 - \$24.00
- Queen's Pot on 12/11/08 - \$24.00
- Happy Dollars on 12/11/08 - \$3.00
- Fines on 12/11/08 - \$0.00



## CURRENT BALANCES



- Rotary Foundation - \$1,257.52
- Queen's Pot - \$99.00
- Scholarship Foundation - \$5,202.33
- Happy Dollars - \$494.00
- Fines - \$169.00

## QUEEN'S POT WINNER LAST WEEK

Congratulations to DAVE YOCUM, who drew the Queen of Hearts and won the Queen's Pot of \$99.00 last week.



## The History of St. Nicholas

St. Nicholas was born in 280 AD, in Patara, a city of Lycia, in Asia Minor. He became a gift giver of Myra. His gifts were given late at night, so that the gift giver's identity would remain a secret. St. Nicolas was a Christian priest, who later became a bishop. He was a rich person, and traveled the country helping people, giving gifts of money and other presents. He did not like to be seen when he gave away presents, so the children of the day were told to go to sleep quickly or he would not come! Nothing has changed and Santa Claus will not arrive this Christmas unless the children go to bed early. A famous story about St. Nicholas, is about a poor man who had no money to give to his 3 daughters on their wedding day. St. Nick dropped bags of gold into the stockings, which the girls had left to dry by the fire. The sisters found the gold and ever since children have hung up stockings on Christmas Eve hoping they will be filled with presents by Christmas morning. In the eyes of the Catholics, a saint is someone who has lived such a holy life that after dying and going to heaven, he or she is still able to help people on earth. They often become a patron to different groups of people - one such were children and many legends sprang up to explain his presence.

**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-----1<sup>st</sup> Vice-President  
Judith A. Jacquelin-----2<sup>nd</sup> Vice-President  
Thomas L. Smith-----Secretary/Treasurer

**DIRECTORS, 2008-09**

Mickey L. Sims-----Club Administration  
Thomas G. Zinconne-----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. Zinconne  
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. Zinconne

**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. Zinconne, 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, 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Mondays, 7:15 AM;  
Slaw's Restaurant, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> 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