



"The Bright Leaf"

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BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

Happy birthday to the following
Joseph Taylor - May 16

Happy anniversary to the following Rotarians:
There are no anniversaries to report this week.

ATTENDANCE REPORT

We had **34** Rotarians present at last week's meeting. Our visitors included was **Rick Shoop**, guest of Warren Matthews; and **Dr. John Bergland**, who presented a most interesting program on the origins of the **St. Tammany's** region within the Bracey community and a book he has just had published on **Robert Williams**. **Dr. Bergland** was the **Associate Dean** at **Duke University**. The presentation was enjoyed by everyone who attended.

PAUL HARRIS PRESENTATION

There will be a **Paul Harris Fellows** presentation in the home of **Bud and Heather Chaney** on **Thursday, May 27, 2010**. The conferees of this prestigious Rotary honor will be **Rotarians Bud and Heather Chaney**. The meal will be picnic style with **Rotarian Mickey Smith** leading with his culinary talents on the Rotary grill. We hope everyone will be able to make it. Specific directions will be available to those who do not know how to get to the Chaney's farm.

SOME SOUTH HILL ROTARY HISTORY

<>>> On **June 12, 1936**, the South Hill Rotary Club held their Annual Ladies Night at the Hotel Nordan followed by a dance at the Big Exchange Warehouse with **Johnnie Phills** and his Vagabond Orchestra performing.

<>>> The club initiated its first female member on **June 9, 1988**. Her name: **Myra Quicke**.

<>>> Our club sent a telegram to President **Lyndon Baines Johnson** in **February 1968** expressing it's concern over the capture of the U. S. Intelligence Ship, **Pueblo** and its crew by North Korea and support all necessary action to obtain release of the ship and its crew.

<>>> **Frank Nanney, Jr.** was named the editor of **The Bright Leaf** on **July 5, 1962** and was given a budget of not less than \$1.50 and no more than \$2.00 per week.

<>>> On **September 10, 1981**, Rotarian **Tom Fitzgerald** presented a program entitled "The Federal Reserve System and Sex."

<>>> The South Hill Rotary Club participated in its first "Arts & Crafts Show" sponsored by the **R. T. Arnold Library** on **November 9 & 10, 1985**. The booth rental was \$20.00 and a profit of \$176.00 was realized. Rotarian **Tom Smith** was the chairman of this project.

ROTARY RAFFLE UPDATE

Charles Wright won the raffle of **\$26.00** last week. Charles donated his winnings to the **Rotary Foundation**.

Rotary Foundation on 5/6/10 - **\$26.00**
Scholarship Fund on 5/6/10 - **\$.00**
Queen's Pot on 5/6/10 - **\$26.00**
Happy Dollars on 5/6/10 - **\$19.00**
Fines on 5/6/10 - **\$4.00**
Haiti Water Filter Project on 5/6/10 - **\$.00**

CURRENT BALANCES

Rotary Foundation - **\$730.00**
Queen's Pot - **\$619.00**
Scholarship Foundation - **\$381.00**
Happy Dollars - **\$384.25**
Fines - **\$59.00**
Haiti Water Filter Project - **\$3,391.00**

PROGRAM SCHEDULE

May 13----- (**Highway Clean-up**)-----**John Evans**
May 20----- (**Essay Winners**)-----**Dan Poteralski**
May 27----- **Business Meeting**
June 3----- (**Affair on the Square**)-----**Tom Watters**
June 10----- (**Scholarship Winners**)-----**Faye Matthews**
June 1----- **Business Meeting**
June 24----- (**Awards Night**)-----**Charles Wright**
July 1----- (**Installation of Officers**)-----**Randy Cash**

HIGHWAY CLEAN-UP THIS WEEK

Please be reminded that we will have our **Annual Highway Clean-up** this week. Those who can and will should be at **Kahill's Restaurant** at **5:00 PM**. We will have our dinner and meeting at Kahill's following the clean-up activity at 6:00 PM.

TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK

Rotarian **Susie Brack**, Chairperson of **Teacher Appreciation Week** thanked the following Rotarians for helping her to distribute doughnuts to our area schools last week: **Tom Leggett, Clyde Wilson, Tommy Zincone, Mickey Moore, Mary Jane Elkins, Ryan Bartholomew, Joseph Taylor, Mickey & Beth Smith**.

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

"Rotary is Fellowship. Real Fellowship is frank, spontaneous, full of warmth, and if you want to gauge its depth you will find it is the difference between "Mister" and "Bill" --- "Reverend" and "Jack".....Call Him "Bill," THE ROTARIAN, May 1915.

**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, 2009-10

Charles C. Wright-----President
Randy L. Cash-----President-Elect
Judith A. JAcuelin-----1st Vice-President
Fred A. "Mickey" Smith-----2nd Vice-President
Daniel C. Poteralski-----Secretary
Thomas G. Zincone-----Assistant Secretary
Carol J. Crough-----Treasurer
S. Ryan Bartholomew-----Assistant Treasurer

DIRECTORS, 2009-10

Jerry L. Klingenberg-----International Service
Herbert L. Farrar-----Vocational Service
David A. Yocum-----Community Service
William E. "Mickey" Moore-----Club Service
Lisa E. Clary-----Public Relations
Leland R. Nicholson-----Rotary Foundation

COMMITTEE CHAIRS, 2009-10

Rotary Foundation-----Leland R. Nicholson
Group Study Exchange-----Thomas G. Zincone
World Service Project-----Lee W. Warren
Teacher Appreciation-----Susan F. Brack
Webmaster-----Randy L. Cash
4-Way Test Essay Contest-----Daniel C. Poteralski
Service Above Self Award-----Frank L. Nanney
Rotary Youth Leadership-----Joseph E. Taylor
Rotary Scholarship-----Faye Matthews
Emergency Services Dinner-----Dwayne N. Gwaltney
Holiday Bazaar Booth-----S. Ryan Bartholomew
Farmer's Day Booth-----Peter C. Chalifoux
Classifications-----Daniel C. Poteralski
Spring Fest-----Duane R. Harper
Service Above Self-----Frank L. Nanney
Monster Mash Booth-----Steven C. Stanley
Environmental-----John S. Evans
Nominating-----Nicholas W. Gesell
Reverse Raffle-----Fred A. "Mickey" Smith
Spouse's Night-----Heather M. Chaney
Rotary Auction-----Carol J. Crough
Picnic-In-The-Park-----David A. Yocum
Family Picnic-----Mary J. Elkins
Rotary Directory-----Daniel C. Poteralski
Food Concessions-----David A. Yocum
Club Educator-----R. Bruce Settle, III
Bright Leaf-----Thomas L. Smith
Rotary Matters-----Randy L. Cash
Sergeant-At-Arms-----Elizabeth B. Smith
Sergeant-At-Arms-----Fred A. "Mickey" Smith
Weekly Programs-----Randy L. Cash
Public Relations-----Lisa E. Clary

ROTARY BENEFACTORS

Thomas L. Smith, 1995
Jimmie K. Crowder, 1998
Leland R. Nicholson, 2007
Charles C. Wright, 2009
Lee W. Warren, 2009
David A. Yocum, 2009
R. Bruce Settle, III, 2009

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
Lee W. Warren, 2009
Charles E. Chaney, 2009
***Deceased**

WHERE TO MAKE UP MISSED MEETINGS

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