



"The Bright Leaf"

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BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

Happy birthday to the following Rotarians & Spouses:

Steven Stanley - November 5
Bhatki Thanawala - November 13
Felicia Sledge - November 15

Happy anniversary to the following Rotarians:

Tommy & Hope Zincone - November 11 (42nd)

PROGRAM SCHEDULE

November 12-----**Scott Burnette, CMH**
November 19-----**Business Meeting**
November 26-----**Thanksgiving (No Meeting)**
December 3-----**Chris Riddick, Gleaning For The World**
December 10-----**Heather Chaney**
December 17-----**Spouse's Night**
December 24-----**Christmas Eve (No Meeting)**
December 31-----**New Year's Eve (No Meeting)**
January 7-----**Bruce Settle**
January 14-----**Lee Nicholson**
January 21-----**Emergency Services Dinner**

ATTENDANCE REPORT

The attendance figures for the business meeting on **October 29th** & the **Family Picnic** on **November 5th** are not available for this week's **Bright Leaf**. Attendance for those dates will be listed in next week's **Bright leaf**.

PROGRAM THIS WEEK

This week's **Program Chairperson, Beth Smith**, has arranged for a most informative program and one that promises to be very interesting. The guest speaker tonight will be former **Rotarian, Scott Burnette**, CEO and **President** of the **Community Memorial Healthcenter**. Scott will bring us up to speed on health reform and other critical health service issues. Please welcome Scott to our meeting tonight.

SALVATION ARMY SIGN-UP

As most of you know our club has for many years manned the **Christmas Kettle** for the **Salvation Army** during the month of **December**. We have 2 locations at **Wal-Mart** (Main Entrance & Food Entrance) where we set up the kettles. The date this year is **Saturday, December 19**. A sign up sheet will be circulating tonight and each week up until we can fill all of the slots that are vacant.

ROTARY RAFFLE UPDATE

Information for the **October 29th** meeting is not available for this week's **Bright Leaf**. It will be included in next week's.

Rotary Foundation on 10/22/09 - **\$27.00**
Scholarship Fund on 10/22/09 - **\$.00**
Queen's Pot on 10/22/24 - **\$28.00**
Happy Dollars on 10/22/09 - **\$21.00**
Fines on 10/22/09 - **\$.00**

CURRENT BALANCES

Rotary Foundation - **\$604.00**
Queen's Pot - **\$28.00**
Scholarship Foundation - **\$221.00**
Happy Dollars - **\$177.25**
Fines - **\$16.00**

AMONG OUR SICK

Bud Chaney continues to recover at his home. **John Evans** is home recuperating after a brief hospital stay in Richmond. **Hebert Farrar** had double-hernia surgery Tuesday and remains in Richmond. **Frank Nanney** continues to recuperate at home. **Jim Crough** remains in Richmond recuperating from recent surgery. **Bunky Warren** is recuperating at home. Please remember these Rotarians in your thoughts and prayers.

NOVEMBER IS ROTARY FOUNDATION MONTH

In these troubled economic times, we are faced with so much uncertainty. The conventional wisdom of financial planning no longer seems to apply. So much is in flux, and it sometimes seems that nothing can be predicted safely. Yet even in a period of many unknowns, some things do not change. The U.S. writer and philosopher Henry David Thoreau once wrote, "*Goodness is the only investment that never fails.*" We know that when we invest in goodness, we will see a return on our investment – not in dollars or euros or yen, but in health, happiness, and hope. When we invest in our **Rotary Foundation**, we are investing in our future – in a better world for the needy, and for us all. Our Foundation's strength lies in Rotary's membership. We are not a foundation like many others, established by a single corporation or wealthy individual. We are instead a family foundation – one created and supported by the entire family of Rotary. Our Foundation relies not on the great wealth of the few but on the regular contributions of the many. It relies on *Every Rotarian, Every Year*. It relies on an annual contribution from every single member, based on each person's ability to give, with an average gift of \$100. For most Rotarians, \$100 is not a great financial burden; for some, however, it is.

**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. JAcquelin-----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

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

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