

Rotary Matters



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Scholarship Winners Announced

This year the South Hill Rotary Club presented six \$1000 scholarships. Pictured (L-R) are Club President Charles Wright, Scholarship Committee member Dan Poteralski, committee member Sue Springer, Erin Timberlake from Park View High school who won the Gini Nicholson Scholarship, Emily Hightower, from Brunswick Academy, Leslie Clark from Park View, Kelsey Thomas from Kenston Forest, Harriet Cao from Kenston Forest who won the Jack Ogilvie Scholarship,

Meredith Reamey from Park View who won the Rotary Website Scholarship, Faye Matthews Scholarship Committee Chairperson, and committee member Nick Gsell. Not pictured: committee members, Tommy Zincon and Lee Nicholson. Funding for these scholarships comes from the efforts of the membership of the South Hill Club and donations from the community. Volunteers work in the Rotary Food Service Booth at numerous public functions in South Hill such as Affairs on the Square, Farmer's Day, Spring

Fest and more. Also, funding comes from the Rotary Annual Auction and our newest event a Reverse Raffle to be held September 18, 2010. New fund raising ideas are being sought by the club in an effort to accomplish the continued awarding of scholarships to these deserving local students.



New Rotary Officers Installed

The South Hill Rotary Club installed new officers and directors for the 2010-2011 year at the meeting on July 1, 2010, which begins the new Rotary year. Pictured are Club President Randy Cash, outgoing Assistant District Governor Bruce

Settle who installed the officers, Service Projects or Fund Raising Director - Charlie Mort Taylor, Club Service Director - Jimmie Keith Crowder, Lisa Clary - Public Relations Director, 1st Vice- President - Mickey Smith, Lee Warren - Inter-

national Service Director, Charles Wright - Vocational Service Director, Lee Nicholson Rotary Foundation Chair and Joseph Taylor - 2nd Vice President. Not Pictured Judy Jacquelin - President - Elect.



Chamber Installs New Officers

The South Hill Chamber of Commerce recently installed the new officers and new Board of Director members that will serve for 2010- 2011 at the annual dinner held at Days Inn in South Hill. Pictured are the new board members (L-R) Michelle Taylor with BIT, Randolph Hite with Crowder- Hite -Crews Funeral Home, President-Elect Michael Carter with Vulcan Mate-

rials, Chamber President and Rotarian Lisa Clary with The Mecklenburg Sun, Treasurer and Rotarian Mickey Smith with Virginia Carolina Appraisal, and new board members Rotarian Ryan Bartholomew with Edward Jones Investments and Kenny Chinualt with South Hill Market Square Committee. The South Hill Chamber of Commerce boasts a membership in excess of 300 and

the current Director is Frank Malone. This year the Chamber celebrated its 20th year in "The Depot" which was covered in the June issue of Rotary Matters. The South Hill Rotary Club is a member of the Chamber.



Legionnaire Of The Year Named



American Legion Post 79 in South Hill recently held their annual awards dinner and named Cecil R. Hodges as Legionnaire of the Year. Honorary Life Memberships went to David C. Fogg, Jr. and James E. Haskins. Samuel Lewis Wells was named Honorary Post Commander. This is the first time this honor has

been given at the Post Level and only the third time it has been given within the State. Boyd Brooks was honored with two awards during Banquet. He was "Sons of the American Honorary Life Membership" recipient and "Squadron 79 Man of the Year". Also receiving honorary life membership was Wade

V. Crutchfield. Special recognition went to E. B. Reese as new member recruiter of the year and William "Bunky" Warren for Most Renewals of the Year. Special Certificates of Appreciation were presented to those in the community who support and help the Legion with their events.

Lions Club Installs New Officers



The South Hill Lions Club elected and installed their new 2010-2011 officers and directors at their meeting on June 28, 2010. Pictured (L_R) are Debbie Poythress - Director, Steve Bailey-Director,

Ed Taylor - 3rd Vice President, Charles Butts - 2nd Vice President, Jim Hoffer - Treasurer, Otis Thomas - Secretary, Dean Marion - President and back row: Randy Cash Lion Tamer, John

Gallo - 1st Vice President. Not pictured Ben Young- Tail Twister, and directors Ken Sims and Jimmie Crowder. These offices will serve from July 1, 2010 to June 30, 2011.



Picnic In The Park

For the first time the South Hill Market Square Committee of the South Hill Revitalization Committee provided a band for Picnic in the Park on July 2 at Parker Park. The "Fast Lane Band" performed on stage until time for the fireworks at dusk. The crowd arrived with lawn chairs and set-

tled in for the festivities. Food and beverages were be sold on site. As an added bonus Aerial Adventures Demos, Inc., who have been thrilling crowds for ten years at both large and small events, provided parachute jumpers who made a landing on the field just before the fireworks

show. These professional skydivers, with a passion for adding excitement to any event, were a special treat for this celebration of the 4th of July. The crowd has been estimated at over 2,000 and even the weather cooperated and made for a very pleasant evening to celebrate our Independence.

2 New Paul Harris Fellows

The South Hill Rotary Club inducted two new Paul Harris Fellows during the Club's regular meeting on June 17th. Rotarians Dwayne Gwaltney and Beth Smith (who was surprised by husband Mickey Smith with the award) were the honorees. The ceremony was conducted by Assistant District Governor Bruce Settle. Paul Harris Fellow recognition was created in memory of Paul Harris, the founder of Rotary as a way to show appreciation for contribu-

tions to the Foundation's charitable and educational program. A Paul Harris Fellow is an individual who contributes \$1,000 or in whose name that amount is contributed. Every Paul Harris Fellow receives a pin, medallion and a certificate when he or she becomes a Fellow. This identifies the Paul Harris Fellow as an advocate of the Foundation's goals of world peace and international understanding. A sustaining member is an individual who contributes

or in whose name is contributed a minimum of \$100 with the commitment to contribute \$1,000 within a ten-year period. The club was truly fortunate to have inducted a total of 4 new Paul Harris fellows during meetings in June. The other induction ceremony is in another article in this issue. There are currently 22 active club members out of the total 55 active members who have been recipients of this prestigious award



Girl Scouts Recycling Campaign

Girl Scout Troop 3263 is now doing a Recycling campaign and will be collecting several different items to help raise money and awareness for recycling. A company will pay the Troop for the items which are then recycled into usable carry bags and lunch bags (pictured with the scouts on

far left and far right) as well as many other items such as fire logs and school supplies. The Troop will also have a recycling day for those who want to help with this project on July 17th from 8 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. at the Market Square Farmers Market lot. Some items being collected are as follows:

used drink pouches (ex Capri Sun), candy wrappers, chip bags, cookie wrapper, Gum Packages, Cell Phones, Scott Toilet Paper wrappers, Kashi Packages, Used Neosporin tubes, Huggies Diaper wrappers, Malt-o-Meal cereal packages, Used Colgate Toothpaste tubes and much more.



2 New Paul Harris Fellows



The South Hill Rotary Club recognized two new Paul Harris Fellows during a special picnic at Old Colley Farm in South Hill. Rotarians Charles "Bud" Chaney and his wife Heather were presented with the special honors at their home recently by Assistant District Governor Bruce Settle who presided over the induction. Paul Harris Fellow recognition was created in memory of Paul Harris,

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the Foundation's goals of world peace and international understanding. A sustaining member is an individual who contributes or in whose name is contributed a minimum of \$100 with the commitment to contribute \$1,000 within a ten-year period. The South Hill Club currently has 22 active Rotarians who are Paul Harris Fellows and 7 who are Rotary Benefactors.



Did You Know??

Over its 82 year history the South Hill Rotary Club has had 4 members that have served as Assistant District Governors. The job requires a substantial amount of travel between the 4 Clubs that constitute "Area 9". The term of office is

generally 2 years but can be extended. The 4 Clubs in Area 9 are South Hill, South Boston, Lawrenceville and the newest addition Lake country (located in Clarksville, VA). The members who were selected and accepted the position were Tom

Leggett, 1991-1993: Tom Smith (who served 3 terms), 1993-1999: Jimmie Keith Crowder, 1999-2001 and Bruce Settle who served 1.5 terms at the request of the District Governor, 2007-2010.



Henrico East Rotary Joins Filter Project

South Hill Rotarians Lisa Clary and Randy Cash recently travelled to the Henrico East Rotary Club in Sandston, VA to make a program presentation about the Haiti-Bio Sand Filter project. In 2009, South Hill Rotary Club began a project for purchasing bio-sand water filters for community

members associated with Haiti Outreach Ministries. Lee Warren, who is the Virginia Director of "Stop Hunger Now" and a member of the South Hill Rotary Club, initiated this project as a result of the strong partnership HOM has with "Stop Hunger Now". Lee also serves on the board of

HOM. At the end of the presentation a donation of \$1,000.00 to the project was made on behalf of the Henrico East Club. Pictured (L-R) Lisa Clary, Randy Cash, Henrico East President Bets Stevens and Program Chair Betty Parker. A hearty thank you to the members of the Henrico East Rotary Club.

Schedule of Events

- ◆ **July 1** New Officers Installed
- ◆ **July 2** Picnic In The Park
- ◆ **July 4** Holiday
- ◆ **July 6** Chamber Luncheon
- ◆ **July 8** Meeting
- ◆ **July 15** Meeting
- ◆ **July 22** Meeting
- ◆ **July 29** Business Meeting

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 Meeting New Officers	2 Picnic In The Park	3
4 	5	6 Chamber Luncheon	7	8 Meeting	9	10
11	12	13	14	15 Meeting	16	17
18	19	20	21	22 Meeting	23	24
25	26	27	28	29 Board Meeting	30	31

Upcoming Rotary Events Calendar



- ◆ July 2 Picnic In The Park (July 4th Celebration)
- ◆ August 28 La Crosse Fest
- ◆ September 18 Reverse Raffle
- ◆ Sept 25 Farmer's Day
- ◆ October 30 Monster Mash
- ◆ November 20-21 Holiday Bazaar
- ◆ December 1 Tell Santa

- ◆ December 5 Christmas Parade

