

# Reynolda Rotary Review

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August 2, 2002

## UPCOMING MEETINGS . . .

**REYNOLDA** - *Meets Fridays at 12:30 p.m. in the Winston Room of the LVM Coliseum*

August 9 Kernersville Rotarian and Past District Governor Arnold King. Host: Bill Rose  
August 16 Congressman Richard Burr and his "Washington Update". Host: Emmett McCall  
August 23 Nathan Cook, President of United Way 211, "United Way 211 Program". Host: Mike Wells  
August 30 TBA. Host: Gordon Jenkins  
September 6 TBA. Host: Don Hayes

**STRATFORD** - *Meets Thursdays at 12:30 p.m. at Forsyth Country Club*

August 8 Rence Callahan, Update on Soccer in the Triad  
August 15 Ricky Perkins from the Woodbine Agency  
August 22 Judy Briggs from the Mental Health Association  
August 29 Classification talks

**CLEMMONS** - *Meets Wednesdays at 7:00 a.m. at the Village Inn - Clemmons*

August 7 Sandra Pennington, "Adult Literacy"  
August 14 Tom Looby, President/CEO of YMCA  
August 21 Dr. Pat Schreiber, "Taking Charge of Change"  
August 28 Clemmons Rotarian John Stewart reports on the recent International Conference.  
September 4 TBA  
September 11 District Governor Henry Brown's visit

**WINSTON-SALEM** - *Meets Tuesdays at 12:30 p.m. at the Benton Convention Center*

August 6 Nan Griswold, Executive Director of the Second Harvest Food Bank, "Mission & History"  
August 13 Tommy Payne, Exec. VP of Governmental Affairs at RJR, "Current Status of RJR"  
August 20 Dr. Robert Ferguson of Forsyth Medical Center, "New Medical Procedures"  
August 27 Marye Anne Fox, Chancellor of NCSU, "Update on the University"

## PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS . . .

July 26 - Barry Faircloth, Associate Athletic Director for Development at WFU was today's speaker. Barry is a 1993 WFU grad, so feels completely comfortable on campus. Why? He knows WFU and what is needed (monetary wise) to keep the sports facilities in top shape. Therefore, his main duties are to raise capital/funds for scholarships and facilities. More than sports make up Wake Forest, however. Non-traditional sports such as volleyball, soccer, field hockey, track and field and so much more are readily available to the community. Travel with the Deacons! Deacon Club Road Trips are an exciting way to support your favorite team. Barry also pitched the soon to be WFU vs ECU home opener at 6:30 p.m. WFU sports are accessible and affordable to us and are a wonderful asset to the community.

August 2 - Robert Chumbley, President and CEO the Arts Council brought us an exciting program. Art is many times perceived as a charity and an "extra" to a quality of life. It is that, but it's much more. Think of art as a product. Art sells beauty; art sells peace; art sells education. The arts make a definite impact economically to the community. Our local arts is responsible for over 2000 jobs and an economic impact of \$70 million +/- . Robert encouraged us to take part in the upcoming Arts Ignite, 16-day, 48 event festival. Also, the Arts Council is renovating and expanding the Sawtooth Center to better serve our residents. He also reminded us that an active arts industry (non-profit) in a community is there to work hand-and-glove with the profit making businesses. Thus, creating a better quality of life for all. Robert donated 2 tickets to an upcoming ballet. After his presentation, Dane Perry - today's Sergeant-At-Arms - selected a name from the sign-in-sheet. Barbara Cassidy was selected, and after answering 1 simple question about today's program, she won the ballet tickets!

## ATTENDANCE . . .

<u>Reynolda</u>	<u>Stratford</u>	<u>Winston-Salem</u>	<u>Clemmons</u>	<u>Visiting Rotarians</u>
July 26 - 82	July 26 - 4	July 26 - 2	July 26 - 1	Eddie Bondurant, Mt. Airy
Aug 2 - 67	Aug 2 - 1	Aug 2 - 7	Aug 2 - 2	

Other Guests: (July 26) Richard Buffkin, guest of Rachel Barron; Pat Rosen, guest of Billy Whitaker; Frank Hogue, guest of Mike Wells; Paula McCoy, guest of John Bost; Jim Rutledge, guest of Craig Sparks (August 2) Kristen Raliski, guest of Phil Martin

## CLUB NEWS . . .

**AUGUST is MEMBERSHIP & EXTENSION MONTH!**

## **MEET OUR LEADERS (first in a series)**

**Name:** Warren Steen

**Position:** President of Reynolda Rotary Club.  
Joined Rotary in 1987 and was sponsored by  
Mike Wells

**College:** Wake Forest

**Family:** Wife Kathy and 4 children (John, Bart,  
Matthew, and Sarah)

**Business:** President of The Rye Foundation

**Career Highlights:** Two groups selected Warren as "Fund Raiser of the Year" after he served as statewide campaign chairman for two Baptist Children's Homes campaigns which raised over \$21mil.

**Little Known Fact:** Played 2 seasons in the NBA (That the Nashville Baptist Association)

### **HAVE YOU HEARD?**

- **BARBARA CASSIDY** recently returned from a conference in Reno, Nevada, where she was elected to the Board of Directors of the National Animal Control Association. Her term expires in 2005.
- **BRRR.** That's what **RON RINN**, were thinking as they sat on blocks of and Big Chill held Sunday, July 21 in pledges for "chilling" as a way of Churches in Ministry.
- **MARY ASHWORTH**, daughter of inducted into the Phi Eta Sigma University.
- **BILLY WHITAKER** is serving on the District Vocational Services Committee.
- **FRANK McNALLY** is at home recovering from hip replacement surgery.
- **GREG THORNTON** has taken a job with the Maryland School District. Congratulations!



**BOB PARKER**, and **DAVID HUGHES** ice as part of the Summer Ice Cream Social Grace Court Park. Each of them collected raising funds for the Winston-Salem

**STEVE & PATSY ASHWORTH**, has been National Honor Society at Furman

## **The Power of One**

2002-2003 District Theme

**MINUTES FROM TODAY'S BOARD MEETING!** The Board approved a pay increase for the Executive Secretary. • Letters of resignation have been received and accepted from Bob Lassiter and Bill Wolanski. • Tom Taylor, of the International Committee, is part of the district committee that will select candidates to go to Nigeria in May 2003 as part of a Group Study Exchange. • We will have some contests to strive for better attendance. • August 23 is Reynolda Rotary Night at the Ballpark. See information below for details. • Next Board Meeting: 11:55 a.m. in the Salem Room on Friday, September 6.

### **PROPOSED MEMBERS**

RICHARD BUFFKIN

Classification: Printing Services - Quick Print

Employer: International Minute Press

Sponsor: Rachel Barron

FRANK HOGUET

Classification: Manufacturing - Manager

Employer: Siemens - Westinghouse

Sponsor: Mike Wells

If there are no objections to their nominations for membership received within 7 days, then Richard and Frank will be inducted into our membership.

**WE NEED YOU AND YOUR EXPERIENCES!** The Attendance Committee is looking for a few good men and women to share their out-of-town meeting experiences at our weekly meetings. If you have a story to tell, please call Wes Perry at 721-4902.

**ROTARY DISTRICT GOLF TOURNAMENT** to benefit Rotary International's Polio Eradication efforts will be September 9 at Foxfire Golf Course in Pinehurst. 1:00 p.m. shotgun start. Contact Phil Griffin at 476-5542 for additional information.

**OOPS!** In the last newsletter, an incorrect e-mail address was given for former Reynolda Rotarian Kitty Green. Her e-mail should have been SomersetVa@aol.com

**RESIGNATION OF ROTARIANS.** Letters of resignation from **BILL WOLANSKI** and **BOB LASSITER**

have been received. Bill left last week for Panama City, FL to operate a small motel. He wishes us all the best and hopes to join a Rotary club in the Panama City area. Bob has taken a job and commutes daily to Greensboro, making it very difficult to keep his attendance up with our Club. He hopes to rejoin us if his schedule permits at a later date.

**SHE'S MOVED! VICKI CARR** and Options of Winston-Salem have moved. Her new office is now located at 3000 Bethesda Place, Suite 403, W-S, NC 27103. New phone: 336-768-9768 and fax: 336-768-9557.

**Oh SHOOT!** Clemmons Rotary invites us to participate in a Sporting Clays Shoot to benefit the worldwide polio eradication program of RI. When: Saturday, August 24 at Friendship Sporting Clays in East Bend. Registration is at 8:00 a.m.; Competition starts at 9:00 a.m. Cost \$95 per person. Call 699-8694 for more information.

**OUTSTANDING REPRESENTATION.** Kristen Raliski, a rising senior at Mt. Tabor, spoke before us on August 2. She gave a 5-minute synopsis of her recent week-long trip to the World Affairs Conference at the University of Wisconsin - Whitewater. She spoke very highly of her visit, and encouraged us to continue sponsor to this effect.

**WINNING CLOTHING??** The Attendance Committee and Mike Swain have come up with an *interesting* way to keep your attendance where it should be -- at 100% At our September meeting, the names of Reynolda Rotarians that have 100% August attendance (at our club -- no makeups will count) will be put in a basket. One name will be drawn (and you must be in attendance to win), with the winner getting a "George Bush tie", donated from Cahill & Swain. This contest will continue each month. At the end of our fiscal year (next June), all monthly winners' names will be put into a basket. That winner will receive a sport coat, also donated from Cahill & Swain. Sounds like fun!

**FROM THE PIEDMONT ROTARIAN** (District Governor's Newsletter)

- Membership Seminar, Wednesday, August 28 at the Village Conference Center, Clemmons. 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Cost: \$10 per person.
- District Football Fellowship, October 26 at Groves Stadium. WFU vs UNC
- Rotary Foundation Banquet, November 7 in Pinehurst. Speaker will be Past Rotary International President Frank Devlyn.
- 2003 District Conference, April 24-27 in Sea Trail, Sunset Beach



Reynolda Rotary Night at the Ballpark!  
Fireworks Friday, August 23  
Winston-Salem Warthogs  
vs  
Myrtle Beach Pelicans  
Gates Open 6:00 p.m.  
Game Time 7:15 p.m.

Tickets are available now (can be purchased from Pete Fisch after our meetings). Ticket prices: Reserved seats \$5; Bleacher seats \$4.

Reynolda Rotary will be part of the pre-game festivities as well as between-inning happenings. It's been rumored that one of our members will get to throw out the first pitch! Come out and bring the family for a fun evening!

