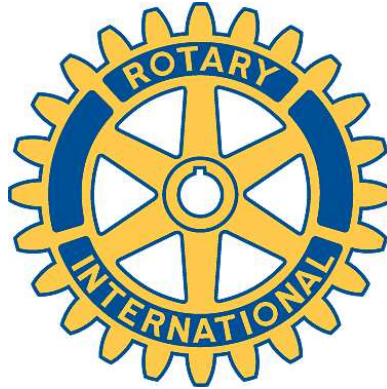


THE RICHMOND ROTOR



ROTARY CLUB OF RICHMOND, INDIANA
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District 6560



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Club 3419

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Attendance February 19	29.17%	Members	27
Fiscal year-to-date attendance	44.63%	Count	24
		Leave of Absence	0
		Honorary	2
		Attendance: excluding LOA & HON members	7
Guests:			1
Tim Loyd	Dot Foods		

Paul Kriese is working with Tim Scales (IU East) to establish a Rotaract Club at the college. I am sure that he would appreciate anyone wanting to assist him to let him know.



The Card Drawing is \$132 with 31 cards to go.

Herb Fraser missed it this time!!! Ha!

Famous Quotes:

<p>“Our lives are made up of the way we spend our minutes, hours and days.” Richard Carlson</p> <p>“Not doing more than average is what keeps the average down.” William Winans</p> <p>“The probability that we may fail in the struggle ought not to deter us from the support of a cause we believe to be just.” Abraham Lincoln</p> <p>“I’m out of bed and dressed – what more do you want? Banksy</p>

Up-Coming Programs:

February	26	DG Jim Graham	Speak on his trip to Afghanistan
March	4	Tim Scales	Talk about the Rotaract program
March	11	Viivian Ashmawi	What’s new with CIS (

Rotarian, District Governor Jim Graham will be sharing with us his trip to Afghanistan. I understand that it is very interesting and informative. You should not want to miss this very interesting program.

We want to welcome our newest member Tim Loyd. He is the General Manager of Dot Foods. We will be holding a membership inauguration soon. In the mean time please give Tim your welcome.

REMEMBER TO BRING A GUEST TO THE MEETING IT WILL BE VERY REWARDING!

Member Birthdays:

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!

Harold L Simpson	February 13
Herbert W Fraser	February 23 rd

Member Club Anniversaries: CONGRATULATIONS!!

Frederick A Grohsmeyer	February	34 years
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We will be celebrating his 34 years with Rotary during the meeting



at Arbor Trace.



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Gil Klose gave a great presentation about his 8 day trip to Europe in December. He traveled to 3 cities and mentioned that the weather was cool and damp. But that did not deter the group from having a great time.

His slides were great and showed some beautiful scenery that I am sure could only be appreciated by being there in person.

Thanks Gil, for showing and sharing with us about your trip.

The Rotary Board met last Wednesday at the MCL Restaurant and approved us to bring to Richmond the Harlem Ambassadors Show Basketball Team. The Board suggested that we look into inviting another organization to work with us on the project.

The Harlem Ambassadors Show Basketball Team has performed special community events throughout the United States and 19 foreign countries. They have worked extensively with Rotary Clubs. You can learn more about them on their website at www.harlemambassadors.com

The Harlem Ambassadors feature a "Harlem-style" Basketball Show, including ball handling tricks, slam dunks and hilarious comedy routines. The Harlem Ambassadors are the largest provider of entertainment services to the military having performed at over 100 bases worldwide. Their team consists of men professionals with major college and pro experience. All of our players are college educated, drug-free, and positive in appearance. In addition to their basketball skills, *they bring a message to the youth of the importance of staying in school and staying off drugs.* There is a possibility that we could get another local organization to work with us.

Coming Soon: Al Fullerton is working on setting up an On-Line (internet) Auction.

Our goals are:

The Scholarship Program - Wayne County Reads Program - Teacher Appreciation - Quiz Bowl - Free Dictionary's to Elementary School Children.

**We need to keep our fund raising projects going.
Please volunteer to assist.**

THE FOUR WAY TEST:

Is it the TRUTH?

Is it FAIR to all concerned?

Will it BUILD GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?

Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

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Richmond Rotary Club

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Board of Directors

<u>One Year:</u>	<u>Two Years:</u>	<u>Three Years:</u>
Herb Fraser Pat James	John Simpson Harold Simpson	Jodie Dwyer Al Fullerton

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

Membership: John Simpson & Board of Directors
Public Relations: Paul Kreise & Gordon Henderson
Social Club Activities: Harold Simpson
Club Programs: Pat James

Goals:

To keep the members informed of the communities activities through weekly programs.
To promote the "Mission of Rotary" to club members.
To promote community leadership through understanding and applying the 4-way test by club members.
To promote club service & fellowship opportunities.
To develop and implement a public relations campaign to promote Rotary's mission and encourage club membership.

COMMUNITY LITERACY INITIATIVE

Literacy: Jodie Dwyer

Goals:

To promote Literacy awareness though-out Wayne County and Richmond, Indiana.
To promote vocational awareness through the diversity of job classifications in our club.
To promote career development & recognize vocational accomplishments.
To search out service opportunities to partner with other organizations in the community.

ROTARY FOUNDATION AND INTERNATIONAL SERVICE

International Service: Herb Fraser
Rotary Foundation: Herb Fraser

Goals:

To promote awareness of the many international Rotary programs worldwide.
To encourage community participation in group study and student exchange programs with other countries.
To promote Rotary's Ambassadorial Scholarship program, including encouraging local applicants for the program.