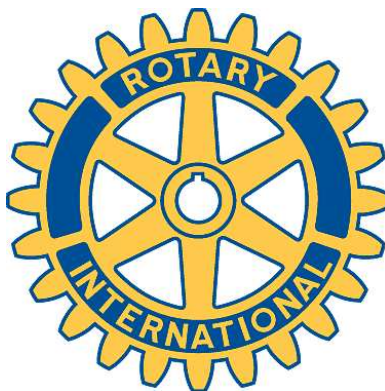


# THE RICHMOND ROTOR



**ROTARY CLUB OF RICHMOND, INDIANA**  
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Club 3419

August 12, 2008 No. 7

**“Professionals meeting Professionals, where Knowledge and Numbers together, can make Wayne County more Literate.”**

Attendance July 29, 2008	41.67%	Members	26
Fiscal year-to-date attendance	40.28%	Count	24
		Leave of Absence	0
		Honorary	2
		Attendance: excluding LOA & HON members	10
			2

**Guests:**

Lacey Duke Spagoza      Speaker from Achieva Resources  
Mandy Jack                 Meridian Services

**The Card Drawing is \$285 with 7 cards to go.**

Good Going Gil Klose – you missed, you missed, and you missed The Queen of Spades LOL!  
I can hardly wait for the last card! I truly am just waiting for the last card to be drawn.....  
The odds are getting better!!!!



**BOARD MEETING:                    Tuesday, August 19<sup>th</sup> at 10:30 am, at the Elks Club. We need you all there.**

**Quote's of the Week:**

“What lies behind us and what lies before us are small matters compared to what lies within us.” Ralph Waldo Emerson  
“Your work should be a challenge, not a chore: a blessing, not a bore.” Hal Stewins  
“Contentment comes, not so much from great wealth, as from few wants.” Epictetus  
“Cats are intended to teach us that not everything in nature has a function.” Garrison Keillor

**Up-Coming Programs:**

<b>August 12</b>	<b>Ray Zaleski</b>	<b>Trip to his West Side Store</b>
August 19	Speaker from	IYI Indiana Youth Institute
August 26	Gordon Henderson	Trip to the Arctic
September 2	TBA	
September 9	Speaker from the	Pork Industry

**Ray is buying**

We are going to visit Ray Zaleski's new store on the West Side for this coming Tuesday's meeting.  
At 11:45 AM, we will park in the Phillips West Side Drug store parking lot.  
Walk over to the Sunshine Café and have lunch (Ray is buying) and than go back to the drug store for the meeting.  
Sounds like a great time. Ya'all come now 😊

**Member Birthdays:**

	<b>HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!</b> 		
Paul Kriese	Aug 15th	Ray Zaleski	Aug 29 <sup>th</sup>
Amy Rees	Aug 18th	Roger Grimm	Aug 30 <sup>th</sup>
Patricia James	Aug 24 <sup>th</sup>	Matthew Stegall	Aug 31st

**Club Anniversaries**

*Congratulations!!*   
Harold Simpson      38 years in club  
Douglas Oler         41 years in club



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**Last week’s program:**



Lacey Spiguzza, Sales Manager of Achieva Resources, spoke to the club on 5 August. She cited the rapid growth of Achieva during the past five years, mainly because the agency is admitting more adults as well as younger students with disabilities.

Day students serve as workers in the training center, where work is brought to them. The work that is accomplished is furnished by Belden and Imperial Products. Achieve serves twenty-seven counties and serves approximately 2,500 individuals.

Achieva residents pack and do assembly as well as disassembly of aluminum parts. In all they average packing 1 million boxes a year for J and D Packaging alone. Work is open ended, with residents breaking down parts, working in the mail room, handling bulk mailings, inserting mail into envelopes, and performing janitorial duties at rest stops and for Richmond Community Schools.

Achieva has 350 residents in Richmond, Connersville, and Brookville. She ended by telling of the activities that occur in group homes and support homes.

**Notes by President Jodie:**

-5 GSE (Group Study Exchange) members from District 9210 (Africa: Zambia, Zimbabwe, Malawi, Mozambique) will be in our district from April 5<sup>th</sup>-May 4<sup>th</sup>, 2009. Our club has the opportunity to host them for 5 days during this time. If we are interested we need to find host families to care for the members and write up a day-by-day, hour-by-hour schedule. We need to include 1 day of vocational activities in this schedule, and make sure a club member is present with the GSE members during their activities. A “Form of Interest” will be sent to all members to get feedback.

-Harlem Ambassadors- need volunteers to assist in many areas. Committee list will be distributed shortly.

-Jodie’s question of the day: How did we get the courthouse design on our club’s flag? Answer: We used to have a Rose on our flag because we were the City of Roses. Since that is no longer true, a committee met and decided the Wayne County Courthouse probably wasn’t going anywhere, and is a special landmark to Richmond. Built in 1893 by James McLaughlin, and based on Henry Hobson Richardson’s Romanesque Revival style, the courthouse is very similar to a courthouse in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

-Letters from students at the Third Grade Academy, thanking us for the dictionaries were passed around for members to read. Thanks, Jodie

**THE FOUR WAY TEST:**

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it BUILD GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

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# Richmond Rotary Club

## Officers 2008 – 2009

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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	Tim Loyd 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
<b>Goals:</b>	
	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:	President Jodie Dwyer
<b>Goals:</b>	
	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
<b>Goals:</b>	
	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.