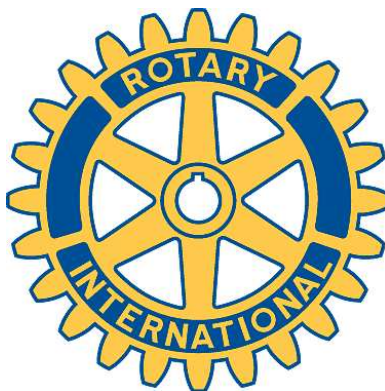


THE RICHMOND ROTOR



ROTARY CLUB OF RICHMOND, INDIANA

Charter No. 321 – March, 1917

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Club 3419

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Attendance March 3, 2009	47.62%	Members	24
Fiscal year-to-date attendance	43.39%	Count	22
		Leave of Absence	0
		Honorary	2
	Attendance: excluding LOA & HON members		10
	Guests present		5

Guests:

Betsy Bowman & Molly Fausset Whitehead	Speakers
Brian Rappe	IU East student regarding Rotaract
Bridget Hazelbaker	Community In Schools

The Card drawing is at \$141 with 19 cards to go.



YEA!!----It was missed...

LOL

Quote of the week:

“Acceptance of what has happened is the first step to overcoming the consequences of any misfortune.” William James
 “Nobody’s a natural; you work hard to get good and then work hard to get better.” Paul Coffey
 "My problem lies in reconciling my gross habits with my net income." Errol Flynn - movie actor
 "Inflation hasn't ruined everything. A dime can still be used as a screwdriver." H. Jackson Brown, Jr.
 "It's not the load that breaks you down, it's the way you carry it." Lou Holtz

Up-Coming Programs:

March 10	Club Assembly – We need to talk about Membership
March 24	John Robertson. His topic is "Lincoln's Funeral Train--coming thru Richmond"

Call Pat James with any program ideas you might have!

ROTARY TEAM

- Together Everyone Achieves More.
- We become successful by helping others become successful.
- Organizations don’t succeed People do.
- None of us are as strong as all of us.

Club Birthdays

Max Bailey
 Jodie Dwyer
 Doug Oler

Happy Birthday!!

March 2
 March 2
 March 19

Club Anniversaries

Don Bates

Congratulations!

March 13 8 years



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Last Week’s Program:



Betsy Bowman & Molly Fausset Whitehead, the Strategic Initiatives Coordinators for Lt. Governor Becky Skillman’s office visited with the members regarding Richmond and Wayne County needs in the area of education for our young children.

Members gave them their thoughts as to why Wayne County has such a high dropout rate related to other counties in Indiana and also some of the economic conditions that can cause problems for our kids. Hopefully they will be able to take back to Indianapolis the message of concern so that the Lt. Governor or such other high level person, dedicated to improving our children’s graduation ratings would find it beneficial to come to Richmond and speak, at a community business luncheon or dinner, on this topic and assist us in helping our young children.

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MEMBERSHIP -- WE NEED YOUR HELP

We are a club of 24 members with only about 44% attendance on a regular basis. (10 – 11 in attendance)
We have several that are retired and will be leaving the club in a few years.
We are losing a member now due to the member moving to another location.

Question:

What is it going to take to get new membership for this club?
Larry will share a program that he learned about at the Muncie club.

The club under the leadership of Jodie and the Board has been doing a lot of things this year and goes to show just what this club could do if it had lets say twice as many members.

Please give this some thought and come to Tuesdays meeting with some great ideas.

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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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
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:	President 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.	