



November 2006

Web site: www.triadrotaryclub.org

SUMMARY OF RECENT MEETINGS

On October 24, Dave Farshing spoke to us about the upcoming Bulls and Barrels Rodeo. We received packages including the new sponsorship pricing and our goals for the 2007 Rodeo. We were also divided into 4 “selling” teams and within our teams, we each chose a partner. Each partnership is responsible for selling sponsorships. In an attempt to make this a fun process, our club is offering 2 prizes. One prize of \$100 gift certificate to Noble’s restaurant will go to the partnership that sells the title sponsor. The team with the most total sales by May 8th will receive a \$50 gift certificate to Noble’s. Our goals for sponsorships are as follows:

<i>Total Sales</i>	<i>Target Date</i>
\$24,500	Jan. 1 st
\$15,500	March 1 st
\$9,600	May 1 st

Grand Total Sales:\$49,600 by May 1

October 31 was our annual Shadow Day. It was a great success. We had 13 high school students participate from Andrews H.S. and High Point Central, as well as 13 Rotarians participated. The students were each introduced by their Rotarian and then given a chance to speak about their day. All of the students seemed to really enjoy the experience.

On November 7, Jack Hamilton spoke to our club about Rotary Foundation. He explained the importance of our Foundation donations in that they go to help the Polio Plus program, education for children in Thailand, cornea transplants, art supplies, food for elderly, vocational training and much more! The dollars given to the Rotary Foundation make a difference throughout the world.

A special thanks to Ray and Chris Coble for inviting us into their home

for Rotary After Hours on November 9th. There was food and fellowship and was a great time for all who attended.

On November 14, Toye Payne introduced Becky Millis to our club. Becky spoke to us about her recent hunting trips to Africa. She showed us some very interesting clips of her trip for elephant hunting. We also had Prison Ministries present the angel tree children. If you missed the meeting and would like to participate, please make sure to contact Toye Payne. All Angel Tree gifts are due at the November 28 meeting. Toye will be in the parking lot of the String and Splinter collecting the gifts.

HOUSE PROJECT UPDATE

The brick has been put on the home and it's starting to really take shape. If you haven't been by to see the home yet, please make sure to visit the site.

MEMBER NEWS

We welcomed two new members recently. Earl Donnelly joined our club on October 24. Earl works for BB&T as a commercial lender and just recently moved to Greensboro from Winston Salem.

Woody Hathaway joined our club on November 7. Although new to our club, Woody has been a member of several different Rotary clubs in other areas, most recently Siler City. Woody works for Cornerstone Health Care in High Point.

If you haven't already done so, please be sure to introduce yourselves to our new members!



*Woody Hathaway being installed by Brant Burgiss on November 7th.
Photo courtesy of Al Ferguson.*

MAKE UP'S

Looking for a make-up? Just visit www.rotary7690.org for the most complete listing of make-up meeting locations in our area. You can also visit any other Rotary Club meeting in the area!

CALENDAR

November 21--Rotary Thanksgiving Luncheon at HP Country Club

November 28—Dave Farshing will present Bulls and Barrels to prospective sponsors. Team 7 has door prizes.

December 5—Regular meeting at Mama Mia's restaurant. Michaela Jarrett will be presenting the program.

December 7—Christmas Party (see next page for details)

December 12—Pat Hogan will be presenting and we will also be having elections. Team 8 has door prizes.

December 19—Stewart Hartley will be presenting with team 1 on door prizes.

December 26 – No meeting; String & Splinter closed due to the holidays

CLUB BIRTHDAYS

Arlene Reardon—November 23
Jim Sloop—November 24

CLUB ANNIVERSARIES

Jerry White—November 14
Lisa Hollins—November 18
Ray Coble—November 19

THE WEB WINO SPEAKS

Words of Wisdom from the President

'Tis the season for celebrations!

We enjoyed a terrific evening recently at Ray and Chris Coble's home. There was plenty of good food and fellowship, and plans are already in the works for our next RAH (Rotary After Hours) that will be held sometime during March Madness.

Several of our members enjoyed the annual High Point Rotary Thanksgiving luncheon on November 21. We were entertained by a world-renowned Flamenco guitarist, a piano juggler (you heard me right!), and even some wise sayings from a 2000-year-old man. Our thanks to the Qubein Foundation for sponsoring this holiday fun.

Our club's Christmas Party is coming up on the evening of Thursday, December 7th and you don't want to miss this one... we're going to enjoy drinks and heavy hors d'oeuvres at the High Point Country Club at 6 pm, then take a motor coach to see a comedy at Broach Theatre in Greensboro. "The Nuncrackers" is a farce based on the classic Christmas tale of "The Nutcracker". Bring along your spouse or significant other for an evening of merriment, but be sure to RSVP to Murray White by November 27th so we know you're coming.

**SHARE THE FUN OF ROTARY
WITH EVERYONE!**

THE 4 WAY TEST

Of the things we think, say or do:

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?

DOOR PRIZE / WORK TEAMS FOR 2006-2007

Team 1

Tom Foster-**Captain**
Michaela Jarrett
Murray White
Owen Bertschi
Earl Donnelly

Team 2

Bruce Laney-**Captain**
Dave Farshing
Vern Martell
Tammie Grisso
Jack Hamilton

Team 3

Arlene Reardon-**Captain**
Chris Finan
Larry Dunlap
Larry Linthicum
Lisa Hollins

Team 4

Sharon Lipscomb-**Captain**
Steve Farabee
Jerri White
Jay Motsinger
Ray Kuethe
David Parker

Team 5

Ted Koontz-**Captain**
Brant Burgiss
Don Nichols
Toye Payne
Richard Kerr
Jody Susong

Team 6

Brian Donley-**Captain**
Stew Hartley
Jerry Streetman
Charlie Davis
Al Ferguson
Jim Sloop

Team 7

Jim Gayle-**Captain**
Ray Coble
Blair Rankin
Larry Wright
Woody Hathaway
Kirk Wilson

Team 8

Pat Hogan-**Captain**
Nick Platt
Marc Cutrell
Connie Laster
Murray Catton