



Service Above Self

Rotary Club of Bullhead City eBulletin

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[Gina Covert](#)
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"St Jude's Radiothon"

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A great evening!
by Art Harrington

Thanks, Jim and Andrea!

Our sincere thanks to Jim and Andrea Carpenter for hosting our annual Induction/Awards Dinner. It was a wonderful evening in a fabulous setting.



In addition to all of other food, fun and fellowship, we were entertained by such singing sensations as our own Tim McDonnell and Fanny Chou, our multi-talented exchange student from Taiwan.

More from Thursday night
by Art Harrington



Interact members included

President Kelly made it a point to include the members and faculty sponsor, Vanessa Buus, of our Mohave High School Interact Club in our Induction/Awards evening at the Carpenters'.

Appreciation certificates were given to the retiring Interact officers, and pins given to the incoming officers. Several shared highlights of their Interact year.

A note from the Terpstras
by Art Harrington

**Dear Bullhead City Rotary Club members,
President Kelly, Art and Sharon,**



Thank you so much for inviting us to your wonderful change-over party and your great hospitality! You truly have a club full of fun and laughter, along with getting a lot accomplished.

We congratulate you and your energetic club with a increase of over \$100 per/capita from the previous year, and the total per/capita this year reaching the astounding \$180 per/member/per year. For

those that RI serves, who need it more than we...thank you!

Attached are a few photo's from the evening.

And a big thank you to Jim and Andrea for hosting at their lovely house. It was surely worth the 7hr car ride to be apart of the festivities.

Yours in Rotary!

Gerrit & Carolee Terpstra

District 5490 Foundation Co-Chairs

PS:

If you come across a pair sunglasses at Jim and Andrea's, Gerrit left his.

PHOTO: Sharon and Carolee entertain Ashton Buus

Our program last week

by Art Harrington

We Care Cancer Support Center featured

Our sincere thanks to Lynn French and her team of volunteers for sharing with us at last Thursday's club meeting the very interesting program about our local cancer support center.

We Care Cancer Support Center offers support, awareness and information to those diagnosed with cancer, and to family members, caregivers and friends.

The Center also offers related items for those newly diagnosed or those currently in treatment to maintain a better quality of life. This includes hats, head coverings, wigs and turbans, breast forms, walkers and nutritional supplements - all at no cost to the patient.

Presidential Membership Conference

by Art Harrington

**Presidential Conference in Denver,
Aug. 3-4**



RI President Wilf Wilkinson invites clubs, districts and Rotarians to a Presidential Membership Conference in Denver on Friday & Saturday, Aug. 3-4, 2007. Rotarians from 27 districts in Zones 25 & 26, along with those from other parts of the world, will be attending this outstanding event, which will be held at the Denver Sheraton.

Key speakers will include Pres. Wilf Wilkinson, Past Pres. Cliff Dochterman and other notable Rotary leaders. The program starts with a no-host cocktail reception and dinner on Friday evening, and concludes Saturday afternoon. The cost is \$95. You can register on-line at www.rotary.org.

New links added to website

by Art Harrington



Are you utilizing our club website?

In case you haven't visited our club's website recently, we have added some new links. These allow you, with a simple mouse click, to connect to the websites of Rotary International, District 5490, The Arizona Tri-District Vocational Fund and the eClub of the Southwest.

How do you get to our club website? It can be easily found at: www.clubrunner.ca/bullheadcity

Need help logging in to reach other member services when you reach our website? E-mail or call me for assistance.

Foundation Chairman shares dream

by Art Harrington

Foundation Chairman shares his #1 dream

Speaking to us in San Diego earlier this year, the incoming Chairman of the Trustees, Bhichai Rattakul, from Thailand, said:



"I dream of a polio-free world, and I believe that this is a realistic dream."

"Twenty years ago, we stood up in anticipation of a world free from a disease that killed and crippled millions of people. That momentous declaration came as a great beacon of hope to millions of people.

"More than 20 years later, we have brought down an estimated 350,000 cases of polio in 125 countries each year to less than 2,000 cases in four countries, but we have not won the war.

"The battle is still on! . No, it is not over! There are still children living who need those drops of vaccine, so that ultimately we can interrupt the transmission of this virus. Otherwise, our efforts for all these years will be in vain.

"Please tell your clubs that we must continue our offensive in terms of our time and energy and, above all, our financial support, which is so vital, to wrap up this long operation. We must pledge to march ahead with even stronger determination until the work is done."