New Pharmacy School to Open

Honoring a history of innovation that dates back to its 1889 founding, Manchester College is establishing a School of Pharmacy, the only one in northern Indiana. The school will open in fall 2012 at the former Fort Wayne Cardiology building.

College President Dr. Jo Young Switzer, a 1969 graduate of the college, said the new program was the product of the college’s drive to offer both stability and innovation to the college and region. “We’ve worked hard to cut and contain costs while simultaneously working strategically on initiatives,” Young Switzer said. “This also is part of the college’s mission to respect the infinite worth of every individual.”

Why a pharmacy program? The college is historically strong in the sciences, there is a growing pharmacist shortage in the state and country and there is a need for pharmacists with “ability and conviction,” Young Switzer said. Students will enter the program with two or more years of rigorous college science work and take four more years of graduate studies to graduate with a PharmD degree.

On board as founding dean of the program is Phil Medon, “our new rock star,” says Young Switzer. Medon was founding dean of a similar program at Southern Illinois University Edwardsville.
Next Meeting: October 11, 2010

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

FW Rotary Secretary on Vacation Oct 2-20
In Jane’s absence, contact a member of the Executive Committee regarding any Rotary business

LOCAL SERVICE PROJECTS INFORMATION
Want to propose a local service project? Forms are now available on Club Runner. Find it on the home page.
www.clubrunner.ca/fortwayne

PLAN TO ATTEND
District 6540 Foundation Dinner
Friday, October 22
Marriott Marquis Ballroom
**“Family of Rotary” November Event: Festival of Trees on Nov. 27**

For November, our “Family of Rotary” event will be the truly wonderful “Festival of Trees” held at the Embassy Theatre. Rotarians, spouses and children are cordially invited to attend. For those who would like to participate, we will gather at the Embassy Theatre on Saturday, Nov. 27 at 2 p.m. Tickets are $6.50 for adults and $3 for children (12 and under). We will have a sign-up sheet posted next to the welcome table at the next two lunches (10/11 and 10/18). And to avoid long lines at the box office, bring your checkbook, please! Pre-payment for tickets will be accepted as you sign up. Please contact David Borgen for more information. (Event Coordinator’s Note: This picture is of Charlie Brown's Holiday Tree, and probably very close to what I would submit should I decorate a tree, but should not be confused with the many beautiful trees to be seen at the Festival!). Please contact David Borgen, your November “Family of Rotary” event coordinator with questions!

**RYE Committee at Work**

Some committees have a busy season (i.e., the golf outing) and then some committees have busier seasons, such as our Rotary Youth Exchange Committee. With both inbound and outbound students, this committee runs pretty much 7/24/365 – just ask Dan Carr, Doug Hiatt and the rest of the crew! Right now, in addition to hosting our exchange student from France, the RYE committee is hard at work selecting the next group of outbound exchange students. The committee recently held a number of evening meetings to deliver program information to families and conduct interviews of potential exchange program students. Our sincere thanks go to Tom Beaver and Indiana Stamp for hosting this series of meetings. As always, ALL Rotarians are encouraged to...
become involved with Yann, our exchange student from France. Please contact Doug Hiatt or Dan Carr if you have an activity or event that you would like to invite Yann to attend as a guest. His experience as a guest of our club is only as good as we make it for him.

**Request for International Projects**

Our club’s International Committee is seeking suggestions or recommendations for International Projects. If you know of a potential need outside of the United States that you would like to pass on to the International Committee for consideration, please send your ideas to International Committee Chair David Borgen at david.borgen@na.manpower.com.

**Indiana Rotarians give Day of Service**

Under executive order from Indiana Governor Mitch Daniels, Saturday, Oct. 2, was officially proclaimed Indiana Rotarians Service Day. And what a day of service it was! Just so there is no confusion on anyone’s part, and in the interests of accuracy, one should substitute the word “work” for “service” in that proclamation!

The Fort Wayne Rotary club was well represented that day with two projects. The first project was the fall rendition of the River Greenway clean-up. That event kicked off under very threatening skies at 10 a.m. In spite of the weather, the project was very well supported with a larger than average number of Rotarians participating. Policing the Headwaters Park Greenway and picking up all manner of trash and debris were: Environmental Committee Chair Bill Gabbard, joined by his wife Sara, Randy Rider, Jerry Bahle, Tom Kus, Bob Kabisch, Bobbi Albert, Glen Abels, Dee Hoffman and Dave Borgen. Though the conditions were wet and with somewhat treacherous footing, not an area was out of reach for this group of hardy Rotarians.

The second project of the
day was held at Washington Elementary School. One might have called this "spring cleaning" had it not been taking place in October! Washington School Principal J.R. Ankenbruck arranged for all volunteers to landscape around the school and spread mulch at Emmanuel Lutheran Church – 70 yards of mulch! Joining with Rotarians on this project was a large number of students, parents and teachers. Again, in spite of the weather, the event was well attended: Washington School Committee Chair Lona Antil, John Peirce and Janet Herman. Pulling double duty and coming over from the morning Greenway Cleanup were Rotarians Bob Kabisch, Bobbi Albert and Dave Borgen. Everyone earned their dinners that night. Our sincere thanks to all who supported the Day of Service!

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Paul Harris Fellows Honored

Two Rotary Club members were recognized as Paul Harris Fellows. For donations of $1,000 or more, or who have that amount contributed in their name, Rotarians can be recognized as Paul Harris Fellows.

Tim Gibson (at right with Bruce Lehman) is a multi-year Paul Harris Fellow, first honored in 2006. He has served on the Rotary board of directors three times and chaired the world affairs committee, local and district. He states, “Rotary is about serving at all three levels: time, treasure and talents.”

Also honored was Roy Gilliom (at right, receiving his designation from Dick Conklin), who joined Rotary in 1972. He has served on numerous committees and retired as CEO of YMCA.

Washington Teacher Seeks Books To Get Her Boys Reading

Washington Elementary School second-grade teacher Amy Minnich wants help through Donors Choose to purchase 25 books that will encourage the boys in her class to get excited about reading. All the students in her class qualify for free and reduced price lunches and
half – mostly boys – are not yet reading at grade level.

“I need to find books that they won't want to put down and are within their reading level. This is where I need your help,” Minnich says. “These boys need to see that others want them to succeed. They need to know that there are others who believe in them. Helping me create a classroom library geared specifically to their interests will help increase their desire to read and will hopefully help them see that others care about their lives.

“This is my first (Donors Choose) project. The quicker it is funded, the faster I'll be able to get my boys up to level. Your graciousness is appreciated not only by me but also by the future leaders you can find in my class. Please help my boys. They have so much working against them and I can't do this job on my own. Join our classroom community and help.”

To donate, go to [www.donorschoose.org](http://www.donorschoose.org) and search under Fort Wayne Community Schools. The direct link to her project is: [http://www.donorschoose.org/donors/proposal.htm?id=448124&verify=1256076814&more=true](http://www.donorschoose.org/donors/proposal.htm?id=448124&verify=1256076814&more=true)