ROTARY CLUB OF HATTIESBURG HAPPENINGS

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Jan 18th 11:15 RIC Committee Meeting at Southern

Oaks

Jan 18th Speakers, Anna and Bob Edenfield

Owners of Home Instead Senior Care

Jan 24th Board Meeting, 6pm, at Hancock Bank,

University Branch

Jan 25th Speaker, Dennis Granberry

JANUARY IS ROTARY AWARENESS MONTH

WEEKLY FOUNDATION RAFFLE

Our Foundation Chair, Scott Hummel, is coordinating a raffle each week to help raise funds for the Foundation and also Polio Plus. At our last meeting, Dan Kibodeaux donated a gift certificate and the winner was Mary Cromartie.

If you would like to donate an item for the raffle, please contact Scott. 601-318-6497 (work) or 601-466-6156 (cell)

READING BETWEEN THE LIONS LITERACY PROGRAM

Volunteers needed each week on Tuesday or Friday mornings at 9:30 to read children's books to Pre-Schoolers. Read for about 20-30 minutes. The Gandy Child Development Center is located at:



The Family Y -Veterans Memorial Blvd. 601-268-0808

Call Dan Kibodeaux or sign up at lunch meetings dan@Unitedwaysems.org call **601-545-7141**

Reading Volunteers		
Date	Volunteer	Volunteer
Tuesday, 1/4 9:30am	David Johnson	
Friday, 1/7 9:30am	Jerome Brown	
Tuesday, 1/11 9:30am	Janice Touchstone	David Johnson
Friday, 1/14 9:30am	Jennifer Payne	
Tuesday, 1/18 9:30am	Kris King David Johnson	Lucy Parkman
Friday, 1/21 9:30am		
Tuesday, 1/25 9:30am	David Johnson	
Friday, 1/28		

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ONE DAY PASS FOR HOUSE OF FRIENDSHIP ON

SATURDAY MAY 21 ONLY \$40

FULL CONVENTION EARLY REGISTRATION IS \$340 FROM DEC 15 - MARCH 30th; AFTER MARCH 31 THE PRICE INCREASES TO \$380.

EVERYONE RECEIVED THE ONE DAY PASS REGISTRATION FORM VIA EMAIL THIS WEEK. IF FOR SOME REASON YOU DIDN'T RECEIVED YOUR ONE DAY PASS IN EMAIL, FORMS ARE HERE TODAY.

Now is the time to make your plans for the Rotary International Convention New Orleans, May 21-25, 2011

GO ONLINE TO ROTARY.ORG, SET UP YOUR USER LOGIN THROUGH MEMBER ACCESS, CHECK OUT THE SCHEDULE OF EVENTS, REGISTER FOR CONVENTION.

OR FORMS ARE AVAILABLE AT THE MEETING TODAY

LOOK FOR THE STEAMBOAT
LOGO, THEN CLICK, TO
ACCESS
THE CONVENTION FORMS



Currently 160 Members of District 6840 Registered

District Registration Contest

DG Dick McCarthy is challenging clubs in our district to have the most members register for the 2011 International Conference by April 30th. There will be awards for small, medium and large clubs who have the largest percent of their members register. Let's get rollin' today.....we can win the award for the large club with the most registrations! If you have questions about how to register online call, Aime Spears (601) 812-8066 anytime.





Looking for Rotary International 2011 Convention Information?

District Website www.rotary6840.org - Rotary International www.rotary.org

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www.hattiesburgrotary.com

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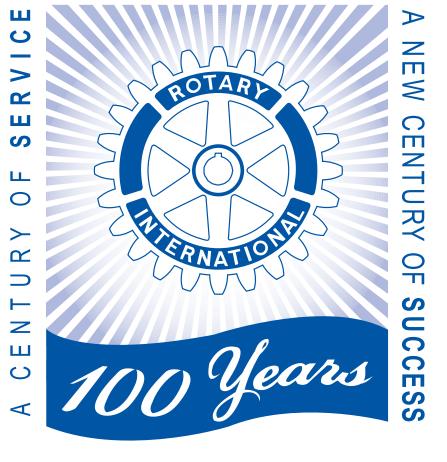
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MINUTES FROM 01/11/11

Club President, Bill McLeod, presided over the meeting.

Thank you to Dan Kibodeaux who gave the invocation and to Jaclyn Adams, who led the Club in the Pledge of Allegiance. Bill then led members in the Four Way Test.

Special thanks to our greeters for today, who were Hayden Mitchell and Andrea Hood.

Wes noted that there are no visiting Rotarians and no guest visitors at today's meeting.

It was reported that member Toxey Morris is recovering from his recent medical issues and has now returned home. It was also reported that former member Victor McMullan has been in intensive care twice in the past few weeks. Prayers were requested for both of these individuals and their families.

Bill reported that our club was well represented during this past weekend's mid-year meeting. A number of accomplishments were reviewed. He also reported that Mike Bonnette has agreed to serve as the Scholarship Chair in lieu of John McDaniel's recent resignation. RYLA applications are due by April 1. Anyone interested should contact Mike.

Bill also reported that 14,807 have registered for the upcoming Rotary International Convention to be held next year in New Orleans. Only 160 have registered from Rotary District 6840. Anyone interested in attending is encouraged to register before the March 31, 2011 deadline passes.

Dan Kibodeaux thanked those who are participating and promoting the Reading Between the Lions project. He also requested that anyone interested in reading in the coming weeks sign up on the forms provided at each table.

Scott Hummel thanked Dan Kibodeaux for providing today's Rotary Foundation raffle prize. Mary Cromartie was today's winner.

Maura McLaughlin gave today's classification talk. Maura grew up in Ocean Springs where she and the Clover Club followed Walter Anderson on their bikes and watched the artist at work. She reported memories of playing in the rooms where the walls were painted by Anderson. After attending the University of Southern Mississippi, Maura attended

Ole Miss Law School. She worked for the United States Justice Department before returning to the Mississippi Gulf Coast where she opened her private practice. From Biloxi she relocated to Hattiesburg where she works today. She is married with two children and happy to be a Rotarian. She notes the diversity of Rotary as being an attraction to her.

01/11/11 PROGRAM SUMMARY

Kris King then introduced today's guest speaker, Dr. Ben Carmichael. Dr. Carmichael is a retired cardiologist. He notes that he got into cardiology partly due to a number of heart attacks his father suffered in the late 1940's and early 1950's.

Dr. Carmichael shared his memories of treating General Dwight D. Eisenhower, President and Lyndon Baines Johnson, President. General Eisenhower was in Walter Reed Hospital while Dr. Carmichael worked there. He gave very interesting insights into the personality and character of General Eisenhower. He noted that it was a very sad day at Walter Reed Hospital the day President Eisenhower died. He described the former President as being grateful, kind and a prince of a gentleman.

While serving at Brook Army Medical Center in San Antonio, Texas, Dr. Carmichael also treated former President Johnson. He noted that during the three years he worked on the past president's treatment he never heard him say thanks to anyone who assisted him, including family members. He also noted that Johnson never slept along in a dark room. He had to have someone assigned to his room at all times while he slept. Johnson died suddenly at his ranch just north of San Antonio and when he arrived at Brook Army Medical Center was pronounced dead on arrival.



TODAY'S PROGRAM

Bio of Anna Edenfield and Bob Edenfield:

Anna Edenfield and Bob Edenfield are owners of Home Instead Senior Care. The office is located in Hattiesburg, MS, which has been serving seniors in Lamar, Forrest, Jones, Covington, Stone counties for over 5 years. Anna comes from social worker background, a degree in Psychology from Southeastern Louisiana University. Bob has come from a sales engineer background, worked 25 + years in the air conditioning business. Both are co-partners and owners of the Home Instead business here in Hattiesburg since March of 2009.

Subject of the presentation today:

Brief presentation of Stages of Senior Care- a book written by Paul & Lori Hogan, founders of Home Instead Senior Care, one of the largest providers of non-medical services for seniors nationwide. The book is a step by step guide for each phase of senior care. It is a great reference book to help navigate the many options of care and services that are now currently available.

Rotary names attorney John Hewko as its new top executive

Experience of seasoned international professional complements the global humanitarian organization's mission and philosophy

EVANSTON, Ill. (Jan. 12, 2011) — Rotary International has named John Hewko, an attorney with extensive international experience in both the private and public sectors, to be the global humanitarian service organization's new top executive, serving as its general secretary.

In this position, Hewko will manage more than 600 employees of Rotary International and its charitable arm, The Rotary Foundation of Rotary International. Headquartered in Evanston, Ill., with regional offices in seven countries, Rotary's Secretariat supports the activities of more than 33,000 Rotary clubs in over 200 countries and geographical areas, with a combined membership of 1.2 million men and women. The Rotary Foundation annually distributes over \$180 million to fund a variety of educational programs and humanitarian projects throughout the world.

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Meeting Dates for Area Clubs

Monday

Bay Springs - 12:00 City Hall Bolton - 7:30 Methodist Church Collins - 12:00 Cedars Restaurant Ellisville - 12:00 J.C.J.C. Cafeteria Jackson - 12:00 MS Museum of Art Lucedale - 12:00 MS Gulf Coast Community College Cafeteria Petal - 12:00 Civic Center South Hinds County - 12:00 BoDons Catfish & Seafood

Tuesday Columbia - 12:00 The Backdoor Restaurant

Flowood - 12:00 River Oaks Hospital Laurel - 12:00 Laurel Country Club North Jackson - 12:00 St. James Episcopal Church

Makeup online at Rotary.org anytime! Mark Sign-in sheet "mg" for Credit

Wednesday Clinton - 12:00 Baptist Health Plex

Prentiss - 12:00

Country Fisherman

Baptist Health Plex
Gluckstadt - 12:00
Parker House Restaurant
Hattiesburg Sunrise - 7:00
Wesley Medical Center Cafeteria
Heidelberg - 12:00
Library
Poplarville - 12:00
Pearl River C.C. Cafeteria
Richton - 12:00
Magnolia Restaurant
Waynesboro - 12:00
Western Sizzlin

Madison-Ridgeland - 12:00 Steam Room Grill 155 N Jackson Taylorsville - 12:00 MS Power Co. Building Wiggins - 12:00

Gulf Coast C.C. Cafeteria

Thursday

Rankin County - 12:00 Rankin Co. Med. Ctr. Annex Slidell, LA - 12:00 Pinewood Country Club