MEMBERSHIP ROSTER

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MINUTES FROM 06/09/2009

President Richard Topp presided over the meeting.

Allen Anderson gave the invocation. Erin Granberry led the club in the Pledge of Allegiance. Richard then led members in the Rotary Four Way Test.

Robert Cummings introduced today's visiting Rotarian, Jack Gay.

Thanks to Bill McLaughlin and Adam Pittman for serving as our greeters today.

Richard reported that the club is approximately \$1,400 short of meeting the \$3,000 pledge to the Pennies for Polio campaign. He asked that each table enter into discussions with the goal of generating \$200 from each table. After the exercise Richard reported that the club was still short of the goal and he would be making phone calls prior to next Tuesday's meeting.

Steve Ramp reported that Jim Wild's wife Toni is recuperating well from her heart transplant surgery of last week.

Suzy Steen reported to the Club that she will be attempting to gain Club endorsement for Melissa Lang, a potential Ambassadorial Scholarship candidate.

Topp reported that the June board of directors meeting will be a joint meeting of the out-going and in-coming board members. The meeting will be held on Monday evening, June 29 beginning at 5:30.

LAST WEEK'S PROGRAM

Suzy Steen then introduced today's guest speaker Denise von Herrmann, professor and dean of the College of Arts and Letters at The University of Southern Mississippi.

Dr. Herrmann spoke to the club of her career achievements. She used examples of her career advancements to discuss the challenges and opportunities presented to each of us throughout our lives. She noted that her experience tells her that much more can be accomplished of a leader leads from the middle or rear of the line rather than way out in front. Good leadership comes, according to Dr. Herrmann, from a person who is an active, helpful worker rather than from a person who dictates the tasks to be accomplished.

Dr. Herrmann noted that we should always do what we think we cannot do. Such challenges build strengths and character that will be used when facing the next challenge. She also encouraged members to pull from all of these past experiences to meet the challenges of the future. She encouraged club members to take opportunities as they come along, rather than attempting to create our opportunities.

THIS WEEK'S PROGRAM

Bio of Frank Montague

He has served as President of Mississippi Bar Association, the Mississippi Bar Foundation, the Lamar Order, Mississippi Defense Lawyers Association, the University of Mississippi Law Alumni Association and South Central Mississippi Bar Association, and as Chairman of Mississippi Institute for Continuing Legal Education. He represented four Southern States for two terms on the ABA Standing Committee on Professional Discipline and Chairman of the United States Supreme Court Disciplinary Rules Revision Committee, served as First Chairman of the Mississippi Tort Claims Board (for two terms by Gubernatorial appointment) and represented five Justices of the Supreme Court, including the Chief Justice, in a matter before the Mississippi Judicial Performance Commission. He has served as a specially appointed Supreme Court Justice. He was a member of the Executive Council of the National Conference of Bar Presidents, a Director of the American Judicature Society and is a Life Fellow of the American Bar Foundation. He has received the Mississippi Bar Foundation Professionalism Award and was the First Recipient of the Mississippi Defense Lawyers Association Lifetime Achievement Award. He holds Juris Doctor and Civil Engineering degrees from the University of Mississippi and has attended, and taught political science and law classes at, the University of Southern Mississippi.

Frank and Mary have been married 61 years. Their three lawyer sons are Doug, Hattiesburg; Dixon, Houston, TX; and, Brian, Hattiesburg - and now Iraq.

IMPORTANT DATES							
June 21-24	International Convention, Birmingham, England						
June 23	COL J Chesney, Commander of the 177th Armored Brigade						
June 29	Board Meeting with all old and new board members invited to attend Richard Topp's Office 5:30pm						
June 30	Installation of New Officers						

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

Wednesday Clinton - 12:00 Raptist Health Pley

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

Prentiss - 12:00

Country Fisherman

Madison-Ridgeland - 12:00 Steam Room Grill I55 N Jackson Taylorsville - 12:00 MS Power Co. Building Wiggins - 12:00

Gulf Coast C.C. Cafeteria

Thursday

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