



SPOKESPERSON ROTARY CLUB OF HOMEWOOD



THE ROTARY FOUR WAY TEST

1. Is it the truth?
2. Is it fair to all concerned?
3. Will it build good will and better friendships?
4. Will it be beneficial to all concerned?

District 6450

Chartered April 1, 1936

www.homewoodrotary.org

January 9, 2008



MEETING PROCEEDINGS

President Jack Edwards opened the meeting and welcomed our guests.

Diane Habas reminded us that **PADS** donations will be accepted January 16. Please consider donating toiletries, towels, sheets, over-the-counter cough medicines, ace bandages, blankets, and other items on this list provided by Diane.

The **Early Act Clubs** have resumed their meetings.

The **football pool** generated \$500 in donations.

February 20th is Presidents Day for Homewood Rotary.

The next **club social is February 29**. More details later.

As Rotarians we can attend the Homewood Chamber of Commerce Installation Dinner on January 26. Tickets are \$55 per person or \$95 per couple.

The slate of officers for the Homewood Rotary Board for 2008-2009 are;

President – Cheri Vana

PE and Membership Director – Steve Marks

PN – Nick Markionni

Directors – D. Al Locke and Linda Quagliani

Treasurer – Bob Hindley

Immediate Past Pres. and Foundation Liason – Jack Edwards

\$\$\$\$\$ This week's raffle was won by Joe Commerford.



PROGRAM

Patricia Gowland, RN, BSN, OCN, CCRC of Ingalls Memorial Hospital spoke about clinical trials for cancer research. She stressed the need for clinical trials as a way to benefit new therapies and care. Clinical trials translate basic scientific research into better ways to prevent, diagnose or treat cancer and lead to new standards of care for the future.



DATES TO REMEMBER

January 16 – Dr. Dave Rompala - Sertoma Speech and Hearing
January 23 – DGE Michael Slevnik
January 30 – Shedd Aquarium Presentation
February 6 – DGE Michael Slevnik – Leadership Program
February 13 – Club Assembly
February 20 – Rotary President’s Day Lunch
February 27 – Christine Longo presents on Good Shepherd Center

Data for the Week

Attendance this week: 37 Members

Guests: Geri Bayles and Gwen Russell **Visiting Rotarians:** none

Meeting Assignments

Greeters

January 16 Bill Nuzbach

January 23 Jerry Palm

January 30 Linda Quigliani

Sergeants at Arms

Marv & Joe Commerford (set up only)

Rich Isom

Invocation

January 16 Al Locke

January 23 Al Long

January 30 Jim Mahan

CLUB BOARD MEMBER ASSIGNMENTS for ROTARY YEAR 2007-2008

Director Club Service - **Diane Habas**

Director Community Service - **Rich Isom**

Director Vocational Service - **Steve Marks**

Director International Service - **Mike Reagan**

Foundation Liaison - **Mike Ryan**

Trivia Quiz

1. What percent of Americans over the age or 45 wear eyeglasses?
50% 70% 90%
2. How pure is 14 KARAT gold?
33.7% 58.3% 75.2%
3. In what year did Edward VIII renounce his British Crown?
1926 1929 1936

Announcements and Activities

• **January BIRTHDAYS** – Nancy Dederer (1), John Doody, Jr. (15)

• **January CLUB ANNIVERSARIES** – M. Anthonisen, R. Bovenkerk, B. Butler, R. Cofran, S. Doerfler, J. Doody, W. Flor, J. Jansen, A. Long, J. Mahan, P. McHenry, V. Mendoza, G. Nordbrock, S. Rocke, B. Wilson, and N. Dederer (1), M. Jackson, (17), D. Corbin (26)

• **Care and Concern Committee:** Please inform Nancy Dederer, *Care and Concern Committee* chair, if you are incapacitated for any reason or going into the hospital. She can be reached at the church (798-0490) or at home (799-2736).

• **Honor or memorialize your loved ones:** Honor or memorialize a loved one by making a Memorial/Tribute gift in their name to the Homewood Rotary Club Foundation. Your gift will honor them and help the Foundation continue its mission of charitable funding in the community. Please see the Foundation Vice President for more information.

• **Information for the newsletter?** Send to Mary Klinefelter at mklinefelter@prairiestate.edu

• **Rotary Loan Closet:** Are you aware of anyone in the Homewood-Flossmoor area who is in temporary need of a wheelchair, crutches, walker, or other medical appliance? If so, please contact the Rotary Loan Closet at (708) 747-8989. This phone number is monitored by an answering machine 24/7 and will be acknowledged quickly.

• **Program Suggestions:** If you have a program suggestion, please contact Walter Flor or Sandi Jones.

MEMBERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED FOR THE **FIRST** TIME THAT THE PERSON SHOWN BELOW HAS APPLIED FOR AND IS BEING CONSIDERED FOR MEMBERSHIP IN THE ROTARY CLUB OF HOMEWOOD.



GERI BAYLES

Retired Educator

Any member having comments about this candidate becoming a member of the Homewood Rotary Club must make them known to the club board within the next two weeks.

This candidate is sponsored by Marv Commerford

• Notes from your club secretary, Steve Marks;

If you **make-up** a meeting, please provide documentation to Steve Marks. If your make-up is from a committee meeting or social event, please ask that chair to e-mail Steve with the list of attending Rotarians.

Constitutes attendance at a Rotary meeting? Per the Rotary procedure manual, "ALL MEMBERS EXCEPTING AN HONORARY MEMBER IN GOOD STANDING IN THIS CLUB, ON THE DAY OF A REGULAR MEETING, MUST BE COUNTED AS PRESENT OR ABSENT, AND ATTENDANCE MUST BE EVIDENCED BY THE MEMBER'S BEING PRESENT AT LEAST 60% OF THE TIME DEVOTED TO THE REGULAR MEETING, EITHER AT THIS CLUB OR ANY OTHER ROTARY CLUB, OR AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED IN THE STANDARD ROTARY CLUB CONSTITUTION, ARTICLE 9, SECTIONS 1 AND 2."

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Officers - Rotary Year 2007-2008

Club President

Jack Edwards

Club Directors

Mike Reagan

Rich Isom

Pam Hollich

Diane Habas

Past President

Mike Ryan

President-Elect

Cheri Vana

Treasurer

Robert Hindsley

Secretary

Steve Marks

International President

Wilfred J. Wilkinson

District Governor

Art Davis

Homewood Rotary Foundation

President

Rick Thiernau

Secretary

Geoff Slawson

Directors

Nick Markionni

Jim Bader

Jim Mahan

Bill Nuzbach

Geoff Slawson

Rick Thiernau

Jerry Palm

Roger Bovenkerk

Mike Ryan

Vice President

Nick Markionni

Treasurer

Roger Bovenkerk

Assistant Treasurer

Jerry Palm

Neighboring Rotary Clubs meeting at 12:15 PM

Monday

Chicago Heights: St. Paul Lutheran Church

330 W. Highland Drive

Evergreen Park: Baracco's Pizza, 3701 W. 95th

Oak Lawn: Oak Lawn Hilton, 9333 S. Cicero Ave.

Tuesday

Blue Island: Elks Club, 4428 Midlothian Trnprk, Crestwood

Chicago-1: (noon) The Union League Club

65 W. Jackson Blvd

Oak Forest: Midlothian Country Club, 5000 147th St.

Matteson: Dusties Southern Style Buffet, 4012 Lincoln Hwy

Thursday

Orland Park: Silver Lake CC

151st & 82nd Ave

Park Forest: University Country Club

Crawford Rd. just north of Stuenkel Rd.

Friday

Hinsdale: Messina's 30 Prospect,

Clarendon Hills

Lansing: Popolano's Rest., 17940 Torrence

Trivia Answers

1. 90%
2. 58.3%
3. 1936