

Dec. 5, 2007

Salute the slate!

Here they are! The club standouts of derring-do! Our enterprising leaders for 2008-2009 as nominated at last week's meeting:

- President Bob Burgard
- President-Elect Larry Sivilli
- Secretary Bob Chittenden
- General Treasurer Tom Cunningham
- Lunch Treasurer Tom Thatcher
- Assistant Lunch Treasurer Kim Metz
- Board Members: Harry Mazujian (past president), Sandy Clark, Nancy McWilliams, Steve Parente and Ted Weinstein

Bruce Black joins the club

Bruce Black, CEO and president of the Hunterdon County YMCA, is about to become the newest member of Flemington Rotary. A resident of Summit, he has a long history of fundraising for community causes, including a capital campaign for his church, the Summit Lions Club and the Summit YMCA. Bruce was an executive for YMCAs in St. Louis, Mo. and Summit before transferring to the Hunterdon Y.

International Rotary News

- Rotary International accepted a \$100 million challenge grant from the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation on Nov. 26. Over the next three years, Rotary will match the gift dollar for dollar, generating \$200 million for polio eradication.
- Eight-time Grammy Award-winning singer Natalie Cole will perform at the 2008 RI Convention in Los Angeles in mid-June.

Bring wish list item to holiday party

'Tis the season for Rotary generosity. Gifts for children and families supported by the Flemington Area Food Pantry are being collected until Dec. 14, the date of our holiday party. Please bring one or more of the following gift options when you come to the party:

- Gift card from Walmart, Kohls or Burlington Coat.
- Arts and crafts kits.
- Alarm clock/CD player combo.
- PJ's, for boys or girls.
- Make-up and toiletry kits.
- Hooded sweatshirts.
- Puzzles.

Ride for Rotary could switch to Sunday

For the last three years, the Ride For Rotary has been held on Saturdays, but RFR Committee members believe ridership could be doubled by switching to

IMPORTANT DATES

- December 5** - Bring Money and/or Food Items for Food Pantry
 Also Need Paper or Plastic Shopping Bags
- December 7** - Unload Delivery Truck at Food Pantry on Broad Street, 9am (takes about 1 hour)
- December 12** - No Meeting
- December 14** - Annual Rotary Holiday Party, 6pm
 Copper Hill Country Club
- December 26** - No Meeting
- January 2** - No Meeting

PROGRAMS

- November 28** - Phil Richardson on Sub-Prime Mortgage Collapse
- December 5** - Marjorie Nathanson, Hunterdon Museum of Art
- December 19** - Holiday Program from HCRHS

MONTHLY EVENTS

- 1st Friday** - Flemington Food Pantry, Truck Unloading, 9am
- 1st Wed.** - Free Lunch for Prospective Member

Sunday and they want to give it a try. Chairman Bob Chittenden took a brief poll at last week's meeting to see if club members would support the change, since their help is critical in running the event. Most said they'd swing either way. (Who knows, maybe a Sunday ride will be drier than the last three Saturday rides!)

Ira Liebross: You're On!

Who knew that Ira owned an animal menagerie on a 12-acre farmstead off Route 519 — five horses, several cows, three dogs and maybe more. With no scheduled program last week, Ira became our randomly selected "spotlight" subject and the facts came tumbling out. His wife, Susan, uses the ponies to offer horse-riding therapy to developmentally challenged youngsters.

By the way, Ira's two-word self-description? "Tall and stunning."

Members buy family holiday gifts

Karen Widico, Gwen Williams and Robin Patric have volunteered to sponsor a family for the holiday season. Each of them has been given a specific wish list from a family connected with the Flemington Area Food Pantry. Shopping will be accomplished by Dec. 16.

— AREA ROTARY MEETINGS —

- Branchburg** Wednesdays 7:30 am, Loukas' Last American Diner
- Clinton Sunrise** Thursdays 7:15 am, Clinton Holiday Inn
- Lambertville-New Hope** Mondays 6:30 pm, Lambertville Station
- North Hunterdon** Fridays 12:15 pm, Beaver Brook Country Club
- Somerville-Bridgewater** Thursdays 12:15 pm, Bridgewater Manor
- Whitehouse** Tuesdays 12:15 pm, Flamangos, 157 Main St.

ROTARY FOUR-WAY TEST


1. Is it the **TRUTH**?
2. Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
3. Will it build **GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?
4. Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

*Service
 Above
 Self*

ROTARY ATTENDANCE REQUIREMENTS

1. Attend at least **60%** of club meetings in each half of the Rotary year, including make-ups.
2. Attend at least **30%** of the meetings in one's home club in each half of the Rotary year.
3. Make up missed meetings within **14 days** before or after absence.

**RI President's Call for Action in 2007-2008
"Rotary Shares"**



Our 85th Year
Founded October 3, 1923 • Charter #1529 • District 7510

Rotary Club of Flemington

President..... Harry Mazujian
President-Elect..... Bob Burgard
Secretary..... Bob Burgard
Treasurer, General..... Tom Cunningham
Treasurer, Lunch..... Terry Ownes
Assistant Treasurer, Lunch..... Tom Thatcher
Board Members..... Bob Chittenden, Steve Parente
Chris Venditti, Karen Widico, Harry Woske
Sergeant-at-Arms..... Lisa Reed
District Governor..... Julie Ann Juliano
RI President..... Wilfrid J. Wilkinson

Meetings: Wednesday, 12:15 pm, Copper Hill Country Club
100 Copper Hill Road, Ringoes 08551

Board Meetings: Fourth Tuesday of the month,
5:45 pm at Commerce Bank
1 Royal Road

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FAMILY OF ROTARY Harrison, Burgard, McWilliams, Stess, Williams	CLUB ADMINISTRATION
FELLOWSHIP Venditti, Cunningham, Fuzo, Krieg, Proctor, Shallo, Sivilli, Zanetti, Zullo	HISTORIAN Bohler, C.Fisher, Langley
INVOCATIONS Reinbacher, Mazujian, McWilliams, Proctor	GREETERS Sivilli, all new members
NEWSMONGER (1950) Burgard, Clark, Patric	PAUL HARRIS Stothoff, all recipients
PROGRAMS Schaible, Proctor, Zullo	ROTARIAN OF THE YEAR Sollner, all recipients
WEBSITE Chittenden, Burgard, Langley, J.Williams	BUDGET & FINANCE Burgard, Chittenden, Cunningham, Mazujian, Ownes
MEMBERSHIP Copoland, Burgard, Ownes, Randolph, Wise, Woske	PUBLIC RELATIONS Brady, Patric
DONATIONS Martin, Davidson, Langley, Liebross, Mazujian, Wise, Zullo	SERVICE PROJECTS
FOOD DISTRIBUTION (1989) Sivilli, Deardorff, Herr, Zullo	FRESH AIR PROGRAM (1931) Williams, Reed, Clark, Metz
FUNDRAISING Wise, Loew, Venditti	GOLF OUTING (1995) Cunningham, Loew, Lupo, Parente, Venditti, Widico, Wise
INTERACT (1967) and ROTARACT (2004) Wright, Davidson, Skowronek, Tufo	PANCAKE DAY (1974) Cunningham, Brown, Burgard, Chittenden, Cox, Langley, Lupo, Ownes, Reed, Shallo, Widico, Zullo
PEDALS FOR PROGRESS (1991) Ziegler, Deardorff, C.Fisher, Herr, Patric, Sivilli, Thatcher	READING WITH KIDS (1992) Parente, Martin, Mazujian, Reed, Stess, Weinstein, Woske
RIDE FOR ROTARY (2004) Chittenden, Burgard, Cox, Fuzo, Kraus, Krieg, Langley, Newland, Ownes, Reinbacher, Tufo, Widico	THE ROTARY FOUNDATION Reinbacher, Liebross
SCHOLARSHIP (1927) Weinstein, Davidson, Kamnitsis, Metz, Morris, Newland, Reinbacher, Skowronek, Stess, Zullo	SERVICE ACTION COMMITTEE (1982) Widico, G.Williams, Mazujian, Stothoff
THREE LIGHTING (1923) Stothoff, Chittenden, Clark, Deardorff, Lupo, Morris, Ownes, Zanetti	YOUTH EXCHANGE (1931) Widico, Reed

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Birkner, Scott 2002Commercial Banking

Bohler, Herb 1977 ●.....Specialty Advertising

Brady, Lisa 2007High School Administration

Burgard, Bob 1992 ■▲.....Ins. Benefits Planning

Chittenden, Bob 2003 ▲●.....Consulting Engineering

Clark, Sandy 1987 ■▲.....Printing

Copoland, Harrie III 1976 ●■▲.....Auctioneering

Cox, Dennis 2001State Education Administration

Cunningham, Tom 1991 ●■▲.....Floral Sales

Davidson, Jim 2002Rubber Products

Deardorff, Floyd 1978 s.....Retail, Pharmacy

Ferrari, Fred 1964.....Orthodontics

Fisher, Charlie 1961 ●■.....Funeral Services

Fuzo, Frank 2003Banking Operations

Harrison, Jeff 1996Psychotherapy

Herr, Cowles 1959General Law

Kamnitsis, Chris 2001.....Financial Planning

Kraus, Bill 1999 ●s■.....General Dentistry

Krieg, Joni 2004.....Work Force Development

Langley, Catherine 1994 ●▲.....Newspaper Publ.

Liebross, Ira 1997.....Family Medicine

Loew, Darren 2002.....Orthodontics

Lupo, Gene 1977 ■.....Food Packaging

Martin, Terry 1993 ■.....Solid Waste/Recycling

Mazujian, Harry 2004.....Clergy

McWilliams, Nancy 1992 ●.....Psychotherapy

Metz, Kim 2007.....Technical Education

Morris, Michael 1984.....Real Estate Appraisal

Muller, George 1964 ●■.....Cut Glass Mfg.

Nastasi, Bill 1996.....General Contracting

Newland, Bob 1998.....Insurance

Ownes, Terry 1987 ●■.....Floor Covering

Parente, Steve 2004.....Sports Therapy

Patric, Robin 2007.....Business Communications

Proctor, Craig 1975 ●.....Real Estate Consulting

Randolph, R. Wayne 1982.....Veterinary Medicine

Reed, Lisa 2006.....Private Investigation

Reinbacher, Otto 1997 ▲■.....Clergy

Rogow, Steve 1973.....Orthodontics

Schaible, Mick 1998 ▲.....Appraisal Services

Shallo, Evelyn 2000.....Interior Design

Sivilli, Larry 2002.....Financial Advice

Skowronek, Ken 1994.....Family Law

Sollner, Dick 1962 ●■▲.....Air Transportation

Stess, Marty 1993.....Family Dentistry

Stothoff, Dick 1966 ●■▲.....Sanitary Engineering

Thatcher, Tom 2006 ●.....Professional Planning

Tufo, Ernie 2007Car Sales

Venditti, Chris 2002.....Pre-Owned Car Sales

Weinstein, Ted 1994 ■.....Pulmonary Medicine

Widico, Karen 1997 ●■▲s.....Public Health Services

Williams, Gwen 1991 ■▲▶.....Purch./Mfg.

Wise, Bob 1992.....Hospital Administration

Woske, Harry 1977.....Cardiology

Wright, D.J. 2003.....Funeral Services

Zanetti, Ed 1971 ■.....Plumbing & Heating

Ziegler, Joe 1988 ●.....Investment Advice

Zullo, John 1987 ■▲.....Chemical Engineering

HONORARY MEMBERS

Bowlby, Don 1966 ■.....Dairy Farming

Brown, Fred 1997 ●.....Law Enforcement

Fisher, Bob 1978.....Chiropractics

Green O'Brien, Ruth 1995 ●.....Community Banking

Mattison, Jeff 2003.....Commercial Banking