

# BUZZSAW

ROTARY CLUB 13  
KANSAS CITY, MO



"The Greatest Rotary Club In The World"

## It's Coming



Monday,  
**April 11** is  
Greater K.C.  
Day. Mark your  
calendars! (See  
details on page 4.)

## Shoes for Orphan Souls in Guatemala



If you were unable to attend the Blues for Shoes Party you can still be a part of this worthy project by bringing your shoes to any of the Rotary luncheons in March. There will be a place where you can put your shoes.

Or, if you hate to shop, you can make a donation and let the committee do your shopping. Either way the kids will appreciate the shoes.

## Thursday's Meeting



March 10, 2005

### "ECONOMICS 2005: WHAT'S AHEAD"

Bill Greiner, Exec. V.P., Chief Investment Officer, UMB Bank



William B. Greiner is executive vice president, chief investment officer and manager of the trust investment division at UMB Bank in Kansas City. He is a veteran of more than 25 years in the investment field and is a CFA charterholder.

Greiner came to UMB Bank in early 1999 from Northern Trust Corp. in Chicago. While at Northern Trust for 11 years, he was vice president and senior investment counselor, and also served as chairman of the equity selection committee and as a member of the investment policy, fixed-income strategy and asset allocation committees.

Greiner is a member of the Kansas City Society of Financial Analysts and the CFA Institute. He is a graduate of Washburn University in Topeka, where he received a bachelor of business administration-economics/finance degree.

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## COMMITTEE MEETINGS

(All meetings will be held in the Lido, Burgundy or Trianon E Rooms unless otherwise noted.)

### March 10:

#### Program

11:00 -- Burgundy Room

#### Camper's Sponsors

11:00 -- Lido Room

#### Camp Enterprise

11:00 -- Trianon E

### March 16:

#### Board of Directors

4:00 -- B & A, Inc.

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Committee members: This is your notification to attend your committee meetings. Please notify your chairman if you cannot be present.



### Invocation:

Robert Thompson



### Welcome:

Brian Standage

**GREETERS:** Matt Meyer, Ray Rowland, Glen Miles,

Scott Holsman, Randy Sisk and Janice Newberry

### UPCOMING MEETINGS/EVENTS:

Mar. 13 -- Sunday, Wine & Nibbles for Literacy Kansas City, 4-7 p.m., Cupini's, 1809 Westport Road, KC, MO

Mar. 17 -- Program TBA--Count Basie "A" Ballroom -- Marriott

Mar. 24 -- Randy Wisthoff, Zoo Director, Kansas City Zoo

Mar. 31 -- Fred Pryor, Founder, Fred Pryor Seminars

April 7 -- Guest Day -- Count Basie "C" Ballroom -- Marriott

Elizabeth Alex, News Anchor, KSHB TV NBC 41

will speak on "The Tsunami: Relief and Rebuilding Effort"



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**LAST THURSDAY --  
 February 24, 2005**



by  
 Ginger Lamb

Like a fine wine, Rotary, too, gets better with age. And today, to honor the Centennial Celebration of Rotary International, President **Sally** led us in singing "Happy Birthday" to Rotary.

**Ted Dalberg** and **Carl Bolte** continued the singing with "My Country 'Tis of Thee." **Jim Baber** gave the invocation followed by **Bill Early**, who welcomed our guests.

The UMKC Kangaroos outing was a very positive event, President **Sally** said. More than 50 Rotarians and friends attended and enjoyed dinner at the Chili Shack beforehand.

Rotarians were encouraged to attend the Blues for Shoes Party on Friday to benefit the Shoes for Orphan Souls, the Fireside Breakfasts on March 2, and an evening out at the American Heartland Theatre on April 1 to see "Swing." Time is also running out to become a Paul Harris Fellow at the rate of \$700 instead of \$1,000 due to a generous contribution from an anonymous Rotarian.

If you can spell, **George Heymach** would like to recruit you for the Literacy Kansas City Spelling Bee. On March 13 a "Wine and Nibbles" party will be held at Cupini's Restaurant in Westport. The spelling bee is set for April 7.

**Diane Scott**, joined by District Polio Representative Shirley Wurth of the Raytown Club, shared the success of the Polio Plus campaign. **Scott** thanked President **Sally** for her vision and support which led to the donation of \$12,000 for Polio Plus through the production of a special CD. **Scott** said the campaign would not have been possible without numerous Rotarians, volunteers and corporate sponsors

**Bill Early**, head of the Young Rotarians Affinity Group and yours truly, head of the Women's Affinity Group, gave a rundown of these two new groups, designed to foster camaraderie and networking amongst these sectors of our club.

Nominations are still being sought for our Business Executive of the Year award. If you want to nominate someone, contact **Bob Benson**.

Our keynote speaker Congressman Sam Graves, was introduced by **Ann Dickinson**. Congressman Graves talked about the issues ahead of Congress, including deficit spending, tax simplification legislation, Social Security reform and tort reform. After his talk, a number of Rotarians asked questions on the crisis in Iraq, the death tax, veteran's benefits and the state of obstetrical care in our hospitals.

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**District Conference is set for Columbia**

The Show Me Celebration of the Rotary International Centennial is scheduled for April 29 & 30 at the Holiday Inn Executive Center in Columbia, MO. For the first time, our district conference will be held in conjunction with Districts 6060, 6080 and 6110. This conference will be an excellent opportunity to fellowship and learn more about what is going on with Rotary not only in the Show Me state, but internationally as well.

There are events scheduled throughout the weekend for both Rotarians and their spouses including:

- Two days of golf at award-winning, picturesque Eagle Knoll Golf course
- Tours of the Churchill Memorial and Columbia
- Bridge Party on Saturday
- Dinner and dancing
- The Four-Way speech contest
- Shoes! Shoes! Shoes!

Club 13 and the Plaza club are teaming together and sponsoring a hospitality room. This is an excellent opportunity to showcase our club and the Rotary Youth Camp!

Our district should be well represented and being District Governor **John Miller's** home club, we are looking for the best turnout to be from Club 13!

For reservations, the agenda and general information, log onto missourirotary.com

For more information contact **Scott Holsman** at 816/966-1161 or e-mail scottholsman@hotmail.com.



**RI Convention**

Have you been thinking about whether to attend the Rotary International Convention in Chicago next June 18-23, but not yet registered? If you plan to attend, now is the time to make your reservations. Visit www.rotary.org to register on line.

Club 13 has booked 50 rooms at the Allegro Hotel Chicago. We still have several rooms available and they may be reserved on a first-come, first-served basis when you make a room deposit of \$175. Send room deposit check to our Rotary office. If you need more information contact Convention Chairman **Kirk Carpenter** at 816/932-9333.

## Guest Day is Set for April 7



Your Membership Development Committee has set our next Guest Day for Thursday, April 7. This will afford you the opportunity to invite that special friend(s) to experience meeting the members from the Friendliest Rotary club in the World and seeing what Club 13 is all about. A special guest reception will take place prior to the lunch program in the Harvest Room (first floor of the Marriott) beginning at 11:15 a.m. We will then proceed to the Count Basie "C" Ballroom for the luncheon. Take a moment and invite a guest to this special program.

Our featured speaker will be Elizabeth Alex, news anchor of KSHB TV 41. She will speak on "The Tsunami: Relief and Rebuilding Effort."

We will be glad to invite your guests by a written formal invitation; however, time is of essence. Please submit names and addresses of your potential member guest(s) via e-mail at office@rotary13.org or you may fax the form below to the Rotary office at 816-842-7766.

You are a Rotarian because someone shared Rotary with you. Why not return the favor? Let's share our pride in Rotary Club 13!

### GUEST DAY — APRIL 7, 2005

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Your Entertainment Committee has secured 100 tickets for the 8:00 p.m. Friday night performance on **April 1**, at the American Heartland Theatre.

Tickets will be \$15 each. Call 816/842-2322 or e-mail the Rotary office at office@rotary13.org and reserve your tickets. ALL tickets will be passed out at the theatre the night of the event by a member of the entertainment committee.

The Kansas City Rotary Club Foundation needs your contributions to support our Youth Camp.



## Ramblin Rotarians

**Ted Dalberg** - Shawnee Msn., KS  
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**Doug Nelson** - Russell, KS  
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## Blues for Shoes

On Friday, Feb. 25, nearly 100 Rotarians and friends of Rotary gathered to hear the local blues band Blue River Ordinance. A good time was had by all. The generous participants donated 75+ pairs of children's shoes and over \$1200 which will be used to purchase shoes for the Shoes for Orphan Souls project. Thank you to Shoes Chairman **Steve Corbin** and committee members **Susan Bell, Lonnie Lawton, Norm Waters, Marcia Fennesy, Chris Boland, Rob Becker, Tom Davis, and Ron Dillon** for making the event a success. Also thanks to Bob Bibb and Lori Capes at B&A for their assistance in hosting the party.



Sue (center) and Jay Vicory with **Ron and Marjorie Dillon**



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### LITERACY APPEAL

**MARCH 13th at CUPINI's Restaurant in W'port - "WINE & NIBBLES" for 2**  
**APRIL 7th Annual CORPORATE SPELLING BEE -- invite for 2**

All this Rotary fun PLUS knowing that your contribution of \$100 or more (more is better) will help to educate another Kansas City Person - Please send your check now to Janet for both Literacy Kansas City events

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Bowling  
News

by Charlie Tryban

Wow, this week of bowling is all **Norm Waters**, with a 202, 209 and 209 for a series of 620.

It was nice to see **Pete Young**, who hasn't been able to make it for quite some time, and he still bowled two games in the high 100's. Work, work, work, or off on some adventure. His latest was as a member of the audience on the Dr. Phil show, where he got to ask a question. Tune in on March 22 to check it out.

Other scores of note are Bob Clune with a Whopping 229 first game, **Dick Harmes** with a 202 third game, Dee Reynolds with a 207 first game, 214 by **Lee Triggs** in the third and Dan Couch in the first, and look out for **Howard Adrian** who had a 170 first game. Way to go **Howard!**

Good fun and fellowship is the message. And remember bowlers, in the poetic words of **Dick Harmes**: "Don't be so hard on yourself; you're not that good".

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- 55th & Ward Parkway
- 47th & Wornall
- Shawnee Mission & State Line
- 50th & State Line
- Tomahawk & State Line
- 63rd & State Line
- Westport & SW Trafficway
- 43rd & Bellview (Westport)
- 47th & Jefferson
- 47th & Main
- 31st & SW Trafficway
- 31st & Main
- 31st & Broadway
- 34th & Broadway-VFW
- 39th & SW Trafficway
- 39th & Broadway
- Armour & Broadway
- Linwood & Broadway
- Linwood & Main
- Volker & Oak
- Westport & Broadway
- Gregory & Wornall
- 43rd & Madison

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