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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



There is still time to donate Shoes for Orphan Souls through the month of March.

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.

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Thursday's Meeting



March 24, 2005

"KANSAS CITY ZOO - THE WILDEST PLACE IN TOWN"

Randy Wishhoff, Zoo Director, Kansas City Zoo



As zoo director, Randy Wishhoff plans, directs, coordinates and monitors all activities of the Kansas City Zoo as per the policies prescribed by the Friends of the Zoo board. He is CEO and primary spokesperson, and develops strategic and tactical recommendations on issues and opportunities confronting the zoo.

Wishhoff also manages the zoo's resources, both personnel and fiscal, which includes recruiting, developing and mentoring a strong professional staff. Relating effectively with all stakeholders — members of the governing board, employees, Friends of the Zoo members, the animal collection and the community at large — is also his responsibility.

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COMMITTEE MEETINGS

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

March 24: (note changes)

- Vocational Service**
11:00 -- Big Joe Turner A
- Community Service**
11:00 -- Big Joe Turner B
- Downtown**
11:00 -- Lester Young B

March 31:

- Camp Enterprise Educators**
10:30 -- Trianon E
- Camper Sponsors**
11:00 -- Lido Room
- Camp Dedication**
11:00 -- Burgundy Room

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

Marriott Hotel / 12:00 NOON / Count Basie A Ballroom



Invocation:
Tanja Heinen



Welcome:
Brian Standage

GREETERS: Matt Meyer, Ray Rowland, Glen Miles, Scott Holsman, Randy Sisk and Janice Newberry

UPCOMING MEETINGS/EVENTS:

- March 31 -- Fred Pryor, Founder, Fred Pryor Seminars
- April 7 -- Guest Day -- Elizabeth Alex, News Anchor, KSHB TV NBC 41 will speak on "The Tsunami: Relief and Rebuilding Effort" (see details on page 3)
- April 2 & 9 -- Public Kidney Screening Events
- April 11 -- Greater Kansas City Day (see page 4)
- April 14 -- Dr. Bernard Taylor, Superintendent of Schools
- April 29 & 30 -- District Conference -- Columbia, MO (see page 2)



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**LAST THURSDAY --
 March 10, 2005**



by
 Jim Holmberg

Across town Missouri's Tigers were scrapping and clawing their way to a victory in the opening game of the Big XII tournament. In the relative quiet of the Trianon room, President **Sally Bibb** called us to order and was serenaded with birthday greetings. Then the energetic musical duo of **Ted Dalberg** and **Carl Bolte** continued to charge ahead, leading us in singing "America The Beautiful."

Robert Thompson offered our invocation and **Paula Willett** welcomed our guests and visiting Rotarians. **Norm Capps** gave memorial remarks for past president **Howard "Bud" Stiller** who recently passed away at his Florida home.

President **Sally** encouraged us to get our reservations made soon for the upcoming "all Missouri" district conference in Columbia and/or this summer's Rotary International convention in Chicago.

The Kansas City, KS Rotary Club will be partnering with Club 13 and the Kidney Foundation for a kidney disease screening project April 2 in Kansas City,

KS and Club 13 will be helping again on Saturday April 9 at Pioneer Community College in Kansas City, Mo. **Peter Ho** needs volunteers for two hour shifts to assist attendees in completing a simple health survey form. Give **Peter** a call and let him know you'll help out.

Remember, you can still bring in shoes and donation checks throughout the month of March for the Shoes for Orphan Souls project.

Leslie Dunn stepped to the podium to encourage us all to support Literacy KC with a donation towards the Annual Corporate Spelling Bee. By the time you read this you've missed the Wine and Nibbles party at Cupini's but your \$100 donation will get you admission to the entertaining Spelling Bee on April 7 and some other spiffs and goodies.

Terry O'Toole reminded us spring time, major league baseball and Greater Kansas City day are just around the corner. Look in the *Buzz Saw* for a corner near you and volunteer your finely honed selling skills hawking the *KC Star* on April 11. This is the major fundraiser for our Youth Camp.

Rotarian **Bill Greiner**, executive vice president and chief investment officer at UMB Bank, shared his views on what's ahead for the American (and world) economy in 2005. **Janice Newberry** introduced **Bill**, who offered a "steady as she goes" outlook for the economy and the financial markets. He foresees the economy "decelerating," but that's not necessarily a bad thing and not a sign of weakness. He pointed out that over the last two years economic growth has been steaming along "above trend" and it's time for a breather.

Bill's opening survey questions showed, as he phrased it, many in Club 13 are "optimists as well as Rotarians." He told us that consumers have been the driving force behind the U.S. economy due to low interest rates and tax cuts. Looking forward, he sees the business sector stepping up to carry the economic load. **Bill** predicts corporate spending will continue to be robust with corporate cash flow being directed into improving efficiency through automation and technology.

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District Conference Is Set for Columbia

The Show Me Celebration of the Rotary International Centennial is scheduled for April 29 and 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 opportunity for fellowship and to 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 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.

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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.

Remember

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with your contributions

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

My Guest Name: _____
 Company Name: _____
 Address: _____
 Sponsor: _____

LOOKING FOR APPLICANTS FOR THE ROTARY PEACE SCHOLARSHIP FOR THE 06/07 – 07/08 ACADEMIC YEARS

Club 13's Scholarship Committee is looking for applicants for the Peace Scholarship. Please forward all suggestions for applicants to the Club 13 Office as soon as possible. The deadline for Club 13 to submit an application to the District is May 31, 2005, so we would like to have applications submitted to the Scholarship Committee by April 30, 2005.

Each year, Rotary will select up to 70 scholars to study at one of the seven Rotary Centers worldwide. These Rotary World Peace Scholars will begin two-year master's-level degree programs in conflict resolution, peace studies and international relations at one of the seven Rotary Centers. Each Rotary district may nominate one candidate for a world-competitive selection process. Rotary World Peace Scholars must meet all requirements for admission into their chosen university for a master's-level program.

Applicants must:

- * Hold an earned undergraduate degree from an accredited college or university or its international equivalent (based on a four-year curriculum);
- * Have proficiency in a second language (including the language of the proposed host university; for individual Rotary Center language requirements);
- * Possess excellent leadership skills;
- * Demonstrate a commitment to peace and international understanding through service, academic, or professional achievements;
- * Hold citizenship in a country where there is a Rotary club.

Application must be made through a Rotary club in the area of the applicant's legal or permanent residence or place of full-time study or employment. Persons with disabilities and members of Rotaract clubs are eligible and encouraged to apply.

The following are ineligible for Rotary World Peace Scholarships:

- a. Rotarians, Honorary Rotarians;
- b. Employees of a club, district, or other Rotary entity or of Rotary International
- c. Spouses, lineal descendants (child or grandchild by blood or legal adoption), spouses of lineal descendants, or ancestors (parent or grandparent by blood) of any living person in the categories a or b above; former Rotarians and their relatives as described above within 36 months of resignation.

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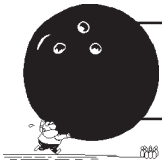
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Bowling
News

by Charlie Tryban

Way to go Bill McGovney with a 237 third game. Not to mention the 205 second game. Second week in a row that **Pete Young** has shown and he's already had a 210 second game.

Some other scores of note were: **Steve Corbin** with a 209 first game, George Moody with a 207 first and 200 third game, **Lee Triggs** with a 201 and a 210 first and second game, **Bill Buckner** with a 203 third game, "Killer" Kay Roscoe with a 213 third, and **Norm Waters** looked like a mere mortal this week with a first game of 202.

In the soooooo close category, **Alan Ives** came in with a 199 second game. Oh, well. Better luck next time, **Alan**. Until next week, good fun and good bowling.

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Mission: Volunteers Needed for Kidney Screening Events

The Community Service Committee is looking for a few good Rotarians to volunteer to serve as event coordinators on either Saturday April 2 at Donnelly College in Kansas City, KS or Saturday April 9 at Pioneer Community College in Kansas City, MO. The two hour shifts start at 9 a.m., 11a.m. or 1 p.m. and are inside with seating (warmer than ringing the Salvation Army bells). Your role, if you decide to choose this mission, will be to assist kidney screening attendees in completing a health survey form prior to the screening process. We need a total of 36 volunteers over the two Saturday sessions.

Please sign up at Thursday's luncheon or contact **Peter Ho** (Community Committee Service Chair) at 913/ 432-1165.



Greater Kansas City Day, Monday, April 11, 2005

Select a corner from the different locations and let the area coordinator know your choice or call Terry O'Toole, Greater K.C. Day Chair for Club 13, at 816/564-3161, or totoole@kctg.com.

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Area Co-Coordinator
Charles Tryban
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- 43rd & Rainbow
- 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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- 63rd & Brookside
- 47th & Paseo
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- 63rd & Troost
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