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ROTARY CLUB 13
KANSAS CITY, MO



"The Greatest Rotary Club In The World"



Monday, April 3, is Greater KC Day. Mark your calendars! (See details on page 3.)

Shoes for Orphan Souls in Guatemala



There is still time to donate Shoes for Orphan Souls. Or if you hate to shop, you can

make a donation and Committee chair, **Susan Bell**, will do your shopping.

Either way the kids will appreciate the shoes.

Have you remembered the Rotary Club Foundation with a contribution?

COMMITTEE MEETINGS

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

March 22:

Board of Directors
4:00 — UMB Bank, n.a.

March 23

CPR/AED
1:30 — 4:30 — Trianon E

March 25: (Saturday)

CPR/AED
9:00 - Noon — Room TBA

April 6:

New Member Orientation
10:00 — Lido Room
Membership C&Q
11:15 — Burgundy Room

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

Thursday's Meeting



March 23, 2006

"KICKING KC INTO THE RANKS OF THE WORLD'S FINEST CITIES" DAVID SCOTT, PRESIDENT, URBAN SOCIETY OF KANSAS CITY



David E. Scott is a 23-year veteran of the telecommunications industry, and has led several companies, culminating in the founding of Ironhorse Services, a Kansas City-based provider of advanced networking services, a company he co-owns with David M. Hollingsworth. Ironhorse Services delivers broadband networks for information-intensive business customers along with a suite of highly innovative communications services.

Prior to founding Ironhorse Services, Scott was President and CEO of Birch Telecom, Inc., a company he co-founded in 1997 that grew to be one of the nation's largest competitors to the Bell telephone monopolies. Birch served over 150,000 customers in 39 cities, and was responsible for customer savings of nearly a billion dollars during Scott's tenure. In 1999, Scott was named the Midwest's Entrepreneur of the Year and Kansas City's Technologist of the Year for his efforts at Birch.

Scott has been active in civic affairs in Kansas City since the early 1980s, when he co-founded the Friends of Union Station, a group working to save Kansas City's landmark train station. In the mid-1980s, Scott founded and published "The Kansas City View," a newspaper that served the central city. More recently, Scott co-founded The Urban Society of Kansas City, and currently serves as the group's president.

Muehlebach Hotel / 12:00 NOON / Trianon Room



Invocation:
Marcia Bolton



Welcome:
Matthew Kanjiranthinkal

GREETERS: Joe Cashen, Ann Johnson, Brad Justice, Matt Meyer and Norm Waters



UPCOMING MEETINGS/EVENTS:

March 23 — AED/CPR Training, 1:30 p.m. — 4:30 p.m. — Trianon E

March 30 — Tom Hoenig, president, Federal Reserve Bank

April 3 — Greater KC Day (see page 3 for details)

April 21-23 — District Conference at the InterContinental Kansas City

April 29 — Work Day at Rotary Youth Camp, 8:00 a.m. - Noon

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LAST THURSDAY --
March 9, 2006



by
Jim Holmberg

President **Tom Terry** likened last Thursday's meeting at the Clubhouse on Baltimore (formerly The Kansas City Club) to going home. However, if the elevator ride I shared was any indication, somebody changed the home town street signs as it took several attempts to find the right floor.

Bob Lager led us in singing a rousing rendition of "God Bless America". There was no piano but Maestro **Carl Bolte** did a great job of humming along with **Bob's** lyrics. **Amy Heitoff-Dominguez** offered our invocation including David Adam's poem "Circle Me Lord". **Dan Gabbert** welcomed our guests and visiting Rotarians.

With Greater KC Day less than a month away, Prez. **Tom** reminded us that sign up sheets were on the tables. He also announced that volunteers are still needed for the Kidney Screening sessions on Saturdays March 25 and April 1.

Debra Shultz now proudly wears the

"Service Above Self" blue wristband. The honor was bestowed for her many civic endeavors, especially organizing the annual Mayor's Prayer Breakfast. **Debra** then took the microphone and urged us to attend the April 4 Celebrity Roast, honoring **Carl DiCapo**. For information call the Melinda Minks at 816/513-7653.

Giving up on the Clubhouse sound system **Susan Bell** encouraged us "a-cap-microphone" to give either shoes or cash to the Shoes for Orphan's Souls project. Last week, Rotarians committed to give 150 pair of shoes leaving us a tad bit short of the ten pair per Rotarian goal.

Bob Edwardson announced the upcoming Rotary Grand Spell-Off benefiting Literacy Kansas City. He also introduced L.K.C. Executive Director Diane Dalrup and Brian Davis for a few remarks. Diane gave us important information about progress being made by the organization. Brian Davis demonstrated the heart of the men and women who are the reason for the Literacy KC's existence.

As we entered The Clubhouse Rotarians could see examples of resurgence and development in downtown KC. Inside Downtown Council President and CEO **Bill Dietrich** explained gave more examples and explained what it takes to turn around a downtown. He told us "there's no silver bullet" and that you have "to be hitting on all cylinders"; residential, retail, commercial, arts, parking, infrastructure and services. He said the 16,000 residents and 100,000 employees that inhabit downtown today are a "great start" but there's still a lot of work to do.

Dietrich says that KC is already known as a model city that is making the right moves to turn around the urban core. He pointed to the "yellow coated" employees of the Community Improvement District who not only improve the cleanliness of downtown but also serve as ambassadors to visitors and help provide increased security.

Improvements like the new KC Library are the type of "catalyst projects" that drive further development and civic pride according to Dietrich. He can name a half dozen or more such projects, now totaling more than a \$4 billion investment that have brought KC back to a level playing field. Now it's time to move on to a victory for downtown KC. See you next Thursday.

Are you a good speller?



The Literacy Committee needs spellers who will compete for a spot on the Rotary 13 spelling

team. If you have a family member or friend who likes the thrill of spelling competitively, please contact **Paula Willett** at 816-412-1704 or pwillett@dfckc.com. All participants in the "Rotary Club 13 Grand Spell-off" are invited to the March 22 event as guests of the club. We will select four team members plus one alternate to represent our club in the Literacy KC Spelling Bee on April 6.

The KC Rotary Club Foundation needs your support!

March is Membership Month

Everyone knows that membership is the lifeblood of any organization. Membership is everyone's responsibility. So your board of directors has designated March as Membership Month.

There are two Thursdays remaining in March and you may bring a prospective member as a guest of the club to ANY of the MARCH meetings. However, you will need to call the Rotary office at 816/842-2322 by Tuesday noon before EACH weekly meeting to let the office know you are bringing a prospective member to that weekly luncheon.

Our programs are interesting, entertaining and enlightening. Our March 30, our speaker will be Tom Hoenig, president, Federal Reserve Bank. Invite your prospective member to attend and RSVP to the Rotary office (816/842-2322).



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Neil Barnett



Greater Kansas City Day, Monday, April 3, 2006

Select a corner from the different locations and let area coordinator know your choice or call Terry O'Toole, Greater KC chair at 816/512-5514, e-mail at totoole@yellowcabkc.com
Area 4A

Co-ordinators

Rob Metzler 816-333-3000 x118
Charlie Tryban 816-363-2026
Dick Harmes 816-472-4000
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- 43rd & Rainbow
- 55th & Ward Parkway
- 47th & Wornall
- Shawnee Mission & State Line
- 50th & State Line
- Tomahawk & State Line
- Volker and Oak
- Westport & SW Trafficway
- 43rd & Bellview (Westport)
- Madison and 43rd
- 31st & SW Trafficway
- 47th & Main
- 31st & Main
- 31st & Broadway
- 34th & Broadway
- 39th & SW Trafficway
- 39th & Broadway
- Armour & Broadway
- Linwood & Broadway
- Linwood & Main
- Westport & Broadway
- Gregory & Wornall

Area 4B1 - Marcia Fennessy

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- 63rd & Prospect
- 63rd & Brookside
- 47th & Paseo
- 75th & Holmes
- 63rd & Troost
- Brookside & Volker
- 75th & Wornall

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Area Gate 2 Royals Stadium

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Greater Kansas City Day, Monday, April 3, 2006

Yes, I want to help our kids at the Rotary Youth Camp! I will be happy to man the _____ corner. Please call me to confirm.

Name _____
Address _____
Office Phone _____
Home Phone _____
E-mail address _____

Spring Fashion Show



Club #13 Auxiliary will hold its Annual Fashion Show on Thursday, April 6, at the Indian Hills Country Club, 6847 Tomahawk Road, Prairie Village, KS.

The Spring Style Show is being presented by Talbot's from Hawthorne Plaza. Come and enjoy the season's new look as six of the Auxiliary members will serve as models. All wives are invited to join the social time at 11:30 a.m. and luncheon at noon.

Please contact Marcia Beardsley at 913/648-7792 for reservations.

Volunteers Are Still Needed for Kidney Screening Events

The Community Service Committee still needs **ten** volunteers to serve as event coordinators on Saturday, **March 25**, at Pioneer Community College, 2700 East 18th St., KC, MO, and **two** volunteers are needed for Saturday, **April 1**, at Donnelly College, 608 N. 18 St., KC, KS. The two-hour shifts start at 9 a.m., 11 a.m. or 1 p.m. The volunteers would assist with guiding the general public through the various stations as well as check in people who have pre-registered.

If you would like to participate in this service project, call the Rotary office at 816/842-2322. Tyros, you can earn **six** points for **each** shift you work.

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Membership Proposals

The Membership Classification and Qualification Committee has approved the following applications. They will be reviewed at the March 22 Board of Directors meeting. In accordance with Article IV, Section 1 of the Club By-laws, these applicants will become members unless a written objection is received in the Rotary office by April 3, 2006.

Jennifer Diaz

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 Executive Director
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2006 (Nicole)
 Economist - Federal Reserve Bank
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 816/881-2004 816/523-0304
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 Sponsors: **Carl Bolte, Denny Bolte**

JoEllen Wurth

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Club 13's Championship Golf Tournament



This is single elimination, full handicap, match play golf. Pairings will be made and you are responsible to arrange

with your opponent to play the match at an agreed upon golf course. This is a great way to meet other club members and play different courses.

Sign up no later than April 14.

Club 13 Golf Tournament
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District Conference is set for April 21-23

On Friday, April 21, this year's district conference will launch Rotary's second century at the Intercontinental Kansas City on the Plaza (formerly the Fairmont Hotel). The opening keynote speaker will be Dr. Peter L. Salk, son of Dr. Jonas Salk developer of the first polio vaccine. Peter is Vice President of the Jonas Salk Foundation and is a leader in the global fight against HIV/AIDS.

Other featured speakers includes Richard King, Past Rotary International President, who will speak at the Governor's Banquet on Saturday night. David Groner, Past District Governor and John Smarge, Past District Governor and RI President's Representative who have participated in Rotary projects and Polio Immunization Days around the world, will provide their latest updates. Mike Laddin, President, LeaderPoint, will share the secrets of leading volunteers.

The Group Study Exchange team from New Zealand and youth exchange students from around the world will be on hand to share their experiences.

Shoes for Orphan Souls Club roll call will take place at Loose Park.

The conference closes with a round of golf on Sunday morning at Shoal Creek Golf Course.

Registration forms are available in the Rotary office or you can register online at: www.rotary6040.org/2006Conv

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