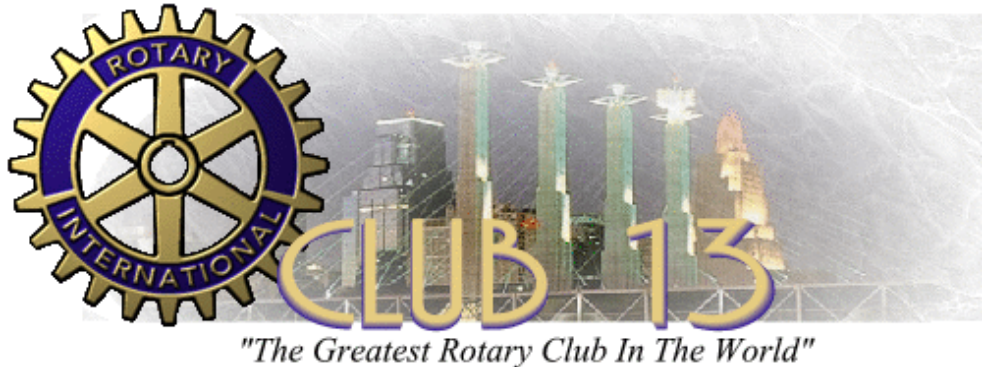


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Thank You!

We are happy to report that a check in the amount of \$15,000 was received by the Rotary Youth Camp Association from the Loose Society. This contribution was made in behalf of their 2006 Golf Tournament which was held on Oct. 25 at the National Golf Club and will be used to help renovate the bathroom/shower facilities at the camp.

Thanks to **Robert Thompson**, who introduced the Loose Society to our Rotary Youth Camp, and to all those Club 13 Rotarians who participated in this golf outing.

CPR/AED Duty Schedule Feb. 1, 2007

1. Leader — **Jan Canterbury**
2. Compress — **Chris Watkins**
3. Defib — **Bob Lager**

COMMITTEE MEETINGS

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

February 1:

New Member Orientation

10:30 — Lido Room

Membership C&Q

11:15 — Burgundy Room

K.C. Rotary Club Foundation

10:30 — Trianon E

February 8:

Downtown

11:00 — 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



February 1, 2007

"CREATING A MODEL ORGANIZATION" DAYTON MOORE, GENERAL MANAGER, KC ROYALS



The Kansas City Royals named Dayton Moore senior vice president baseball operations/general manager on May 30, 2006. Moore, a native of Wichita, had been with the Atlanta Braves since 1994, most recently as assistant general manager/baseball operations.

Moore joined the Braves as an area scouting supervisor and was promoted to the front office in August 1996 as an assistant in the baseball operations department. He was named assistant director of scouting in November 1996 and added the title of assistant director of player development in 1999. He was promoted to director of international scouting

in 2000 and to director of player personnel in 2002.

Prior to joining the Braves, Moore served as an assistant baseball coach at George Mason University from 1990-94, during which time he also managed the Winchester Royals of the Shenandoah Valley League.

Muehlebach Hotel / 12:00 NOON / Trianon Room



Invocation:
Christy Chester



Welcome:
Pat Dunn

GREETERS: New Members and their sponsors will serve as our greeters this week.

UPCOMING MEETINGS/EVENTS:

February 8 — Spouses' Day

Carey Casey, CEO, National Center for Fathering

February 8 — Celebrate Chinese New Year at Bo Ling's (see page 3)

February 15 — Steve Berry, lawyer and author of *Alexandria Link*, *The Amber Room*, *Romanov Prophecy*, will speak on "Intrigue and the Middle East"

February 21 — "I Do I Do" at the New Theatre (see page 3)

February 22 — Program to be announced.



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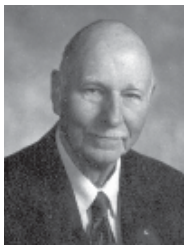
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LAST THURSDAY --
January 18, 2007



by
 Bob Weir

It was Visitors Day, and in spite of the slushy streets, over 30 potential new members showed up for a great program. The visiting was so intense that Prez **Rick** had to ring the bell three times to get us in order. Maybe disorder was in the wind, as our singer extraordinaire, **Charlie Huffman**, honoring pianist **Carl Bolte** by singing one of **Carl's** songs, promptly forgot the lyrics! To everyone's delight and applause, we finished our preliminaries: the Pledge; a letter thanking old guys for being nice to young gal Rotarians like her from **Susan Bell**; and **Alex Petrovic** introducing almost all visitors (the ones that filled out their visitor cards).

Jerry Cooke got to impress his visiting brother Thornton with a 30-second business blurb and then Vocational Committee member **Bill Early**,

with a new meeting procedure relating to our Rotary Connections, had tables pair off and discuss in 30-seconds turns their business, etc. etc. Talk about "The Tower of Babel!"

Myron Sildon, with a couple of jokes which I won't repeat since we will get enough when he becomes President, introduced our speaker Irv Hockaday, who got even with a lawyer joke.

The message brought home by Hockaday was the opportunity before the Kansas City area and how important it is to become a national center in the life science field. He told us that life science is more than stem cell research and what it could lead to economically. Life sciences involves human, animal and plant research and clinical testing to benefit quality of life.

Hockaday pointed out future possibilities involving national security if agriculture is terrorized; a national health center for juvenile diabetes; KU Med becoming a national cancer center; and ability to detect cardio-vascular symptoms early in youth.

If this opportunity is taken advantage of Kansas City can take its place in the national health environment alongside Johns Hopkins, Mayo's, St. Louis University and M.D. Anderson. The groundwork is just beginning.



\$700 Paul Harris Fellow Special

An anonymous Club 13 Rotarian has made a generous contribution, which has made it possible for Kansas City Club 13 Rotarians to become Paul Harris Fellows for only \$700 instead of the regular \$1000. This opportunity to contribute to the Rotary Foundation's Ambassadorial Scholarships, World Peace Fellowships, Group Study Exchanges and Humanitarian Grants and become a Paul Harris Fellow for \$700 is only available for the first 20 responses. You can become a Paul Harris Fellow or you can make your spouse or a family member a Paul Harris Fellow.

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Chuck Vogt, Jr.

Come and celebrate the Chinese New Year !

(This is the year of the boar [pig!])

All are invited to celebrate the Chinese New Year at Bo Ling's Chinese Restaurant, 4800 Main, KC, MO on **Thursday, Feb. 8, 2007, 6:00 p.m.**

A fabulous menu awaits you:

Soup: chicken won ton soup

Appetizers: vegetable spring rolls and fried meat dumplings

Entrees: house roast duck, steamed shrimp in garlic sauce; sautéed whole flounder; pan-fried Cantonese noodles with vegetables.

*served family style and with steamed white/brown rice

Dessert: sesame balls

Beverage: house jasmine tea/ soft drinks/iced tea

Liquor: cash bar basis

Price: \$20 per person

(includes tax and gratuity)

We have room for **30** to attend so please RSVP... ASAP! The first eight reservations received in the Rotary office will receive a colorful large calendar *(partly in Chinese and partly in English)*. Again, RSVP to the Rotary office at 816/842-2322 or e-mail janet@rotary13.org with your reservations. Payment for dinner can take place on the night of the event. Your hostess for the evening will be **Jan Canterbury**.

"I Do I Do"

Club 13 would like to offer you the opportunity to participate in a wonderful event. If you want to laugh, hear great music and enjoy great food, drink and fellowship, join us at the New Theatre's production of "I Do I Do." It is a musical comedy starring Farah Alvin and created by Harvey Schidt and Tom Jones. It was adapted from the play "Fourposter", written by Jan de Hartog during World War II but encompassing the period of 1890 through 1925.

"I Do I Do" relates the trials and tribulations of love, marriage and children. The story is timeless, since the original musical adaptation was set in the 1960s as opposed to the late 1800s. We will find out if this adaptation offers a new perspective. The songs are infectious and filled with wit and humor. Come, enjoy live theatre. Come, enjoy the evening and see if you recognize "you" in "I Do I Do." The laughs will enhance your marriage.

Wednesday, Feb. 21, 2007

A ticket is only \$36 and includes live theatre, great buffet and one soft drink.

Call the Rotary office at 816/842-2322 or e-mail janet@rotary13.org and order your tickets today. Mark your calendar for Feb. 21 for this fun event.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS NOTES 

Your board of directors met on January 17 for its regular monthly meeting. Following are meeting highlights.

The memberships resignation requests of **John "Jack" Darrow, Don Dixon, Phil Hanson, Paul Lovegren** and **Dennis Myers** were accepted with regret.

The dues exception policy for one year was granted to **John Coil** and **Saad Wakas**.

The membership proposals of Jeff Messmer and Douglas Stone and reinstatement of John Simon, published in the January 18 *Buzz Saw*, were approved.

Treasurer **Jerry Clark** reported on the November financials and noted that our financial status evolves around membership.

The board approved the use of the club's R.I. Foundation recognition points to be used to solicit new Paul Harris Fellows.

The next board meeting will be Feb. 21 at the conference room at the AAA Auto Club of Missouri, 3245 Broadway, KC, MO.

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BOWLING NEWS:

by Dick Retrum



Remember this name, TEAM TYRO. Remember this moment. Remember where you were when you first heard that they are in FIRST place. Standing alone. Not tied with anyone else.....all by themselves in first place. Congratulations to team captain **Steve Corbin**, who struggled in and out of second place most of the first half of league play. You finally broke through to the top. **Chris Boland** and his BOMBERS are tied for second place with the PAST PREZS.

Our high game bowlers today included: Linda O'Dell 200; Maurice Brownlee 200; Kay Roscoe 206; **Steve Corbin** 217 & 236; **Lee Triggs** 215 & 246 (652 series); and, for his highest game ever, Kent Verden (*soon to be a Rotarian*) rolled a 248 to help the SHUDDABINS win four games from STRIKE FORCE.

Did I mention that TEAM TYRO was in first place? Good, just wanted to make sure everyone marks this amazing moment in league bowling history.

"Athletic" Shoes for Orphan Souls

by Susan Bell



It's that time of year again: we'll be kicking off the SOS campaign this week and running it until the end of February.

You might remember that I visited Guatemala to deliver shoes in December 2005. I found most of the kids are between 10 and 17 years of age. The Buckner organization delivers athletic shoes to the kids because it's what they need to play basketball or soccer or race each other around the yard. These are kids who don't have TV, PlayStation or Nintendo; they play outside with whatever ball they have.

I have special permission from President **Rick Halterman** this year to bow out of the district competition for number of shoes and answer the district's plea for the right type of shoe. We should be setting the example for the district and I hope to raise the game in a way that will serve these kids best. The shoes will cost us a lot more, but it fits the Four-Way Test to make sure we are not wasting our money by buying inexpensive shoes that won't get used.

I'm asking for your support again this year; I'll be happy to do the shopping or accept athletic shoe donations. In my mind, it's going to be the best drive yet. Thanks for your help. **Susan Bell**



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