



Rotary Club of Kansas City

Buzzsaw

Wednesday, December 28, 2011

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If you have any comments or questions, email the editor.

Future Speakers

Dec 29 2011

Kids and Grandkids Party

Jan 5 2012

Joe Cummings
"Soccer in America"

Jan 26 2012

Brent Stewart Sr.
"The Future of Charitable Giving"

Upcoming Events

**Kids & Grandkids Party -
Colonial Ballroom**
Dec 29 2011

**Educational Excellence
Committee - Nixon**
Dec 29 2011

**Entertainment Committee -
Table in Trianon 11:30**
Jan 5 2012

Blood Drive - Trianon E 10 - 2
Jan 5 2012

**Rotary Club 13 Luncheon -
Trianon Room**
Jan 5 2012

Plaza Lights Rotary Party
Jan 9 2012

**Rotary Club 13 Luncheon -
Trianon Room**
Jan 12 2012

**Rotary Club 13 Luncheon -
Trianon Room**
Jan 19 2012

**Downtown Committee - Lido
Room**
Jan 19 2012

**Rotary Club 13 Luncheon -
Trianon Room**
Jan 26 2012

CPR AED Training
Jan 26 2012

News

What's for Lunch?

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Children's Holiday Party This Week

Mr. Stinky Feet will perform for Rotarians' kids and grandkids in lieu of our regular meeting this week. The party will be in the Colonial Ballroom of the Marriott Muehlebach Hotel.



Bole to Teach Popular Songwriting

Carl Bole will teach a course in Popular Songwriting for 8 weeks on Monday evenings from 7 to 9 p.m. beginning Jan. 9. The course will be held at the Country Club Christian Church. Call Carl if you're interested at 816-444-8884.

Last Thursday Dec. 22, 2011

by Peter Burgess

Last Thursday was our traditional Tom & Jerri Luncheon. A most enjoyable time with plenty of socializing next to the bar and food tables before we passed from the hallway into Colonial Ballroom where the Salvation Army Band provided music for this special Christmas season meeting.



We took our drinks and sandwich plates, found a table, and listened to the Salvation Army brass ensemble. We had several guests and visiting Rotarians including our District Governor and Assistant District Governor. President **Marc** thanked the band and opened the meeting with the pledge. **Ted Dalberg** gave the benediction.

Mark gave the sad news that Past District Governor **Bill Nofsinger** passed away on Tuesday and that the club was awaiting more information.

Congratulations go to the Club 13 Bell Ringers who collected \$4,279.76 for the Salvation Army. President Marc thanked the members who stood for this year's election and recognized our incoming Club 13 officers and directors. Members were reminded to RSVP for the Kids and Grandkids meeting, and for the Plaza Lights event. Blood donors were asked to sign up and give in response to a call for help from the US Army. **Tom Bash** offered 4 season tickets and a parking pass to the highest bidder and pledged to match the high bidder's offer with a donation to the Salvation Army.

Plaza Lights Party Jan. 9



On Monday, Jan. 9 Rotary 13 will hold its Plaza Lights Party at the top of the Intercontinental Hotel. The party will take place from 6 - 9 p.m. Please RSVP through the Rotary 13 website or call 816-842-2322 by Jan. 3. Cost is \$20 per person, \$25 if RSVP received after Jan. 3.

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by Diane Scott

Remember to bring cans to help our Interact Club at Cristo Rey with their aluminum can drive fundraiser as part of the Polio Plus program. There will be collection containers outside of the meetings Dec. 22 & 29....REMEMBER 12 cans = 1 vaccine. **Diane Scott** will also pick up large donations that could not easily be brought to a meeting from your home. Call her at 816-753-7762 or email diane.scott45@yahoo.com. Help our Interact club CRUSH POLIO...bring your aluminum cans to our December 22 and 29 meeting.

Update - Opportunity Knocks

by Jerome Cooke

We can now help our soldiers as the United States Army has requested blood donations from the Community Blood Center where we are donating.

We are a civic club and we love to literally share our blood. Club 13's annual Blood Drive will be Jan. 5, before and after the regular lunch meeting. The Community Blood Center will be set up in the Trianon area from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. The need is critical and our club has a tremendous record of giving. Several of our current members have given over 50 times and yes, some over 100. You can sign up by calling the office at 816-842-2322. If you cannot give Jan. 5 then you can call or just drop by the Blood Center, 4040 Main KCMO, 816-968-4090. Be sure to mention you are giving as a member of Club 13. Please give to this important cause. If you have any questions, phone **Jerry Cooke** at 816-942-0207 or Julie Cogley at 816-581-4722.

Lost and Found - Reminder: Put Business Card in Coat

Mike Sanders has a 42 Regular Christian Dior overcoat with a torn lining, but he should have a 40 Regular London Fog overcoat with a torn lining. If anyone is missing a coat, please contact Mike or the office.