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10 consecutive years a Governor's Gold Club • A 100% Paul Harris Fellow Club



Today's Program

Speaker was Carol Green, the Membership Coordinator for the String & Splinter. She gave a brief history of the club. Founded in 1957 by hosiery and furniture executives. The name comes from the hosiery (String) and furniture (Splinter) connection. The String also serves as the City Club of High Point. It currently has about 600 members. They are offering a special discount to Furnitureland Rotary members to join the String. Carol left information packets at the front of the room for anyone who was interested. She can be contacted for further information.



Colby Walton made a brief (believe it or not) announcement concerning new specialized license plates that can be obtained from NC with the money going to support our state parks system. Information available at www.ncparks.gov.



For those of you with Rotary on you mind, you can get a specialized license plate that indicates your support of that organization.



Tuesday, June 22: **An evening of baseball in Greensboro** was the July 'Family of Rotary' event attended by 14 Furnitureland Rotarians, family and friends. Not bad attendance for the first of several 'Family of Rotary' events that President Jef is planning for the year. If you have an idea for a 'Family of Rotary' event, share it with Jef.

PROPOSED MEMBER

President Jef Morgan has proposed for membership **Jason Boger** of Jones & Peacock. He lists his position as Producer. Jason comes to High Point via Charlotte where he has been involved with Junior Achievement, both as a fundraiser and as a volunteer. He served as a board member and fundraiser for the Bud Kivett Memorial Golf Tournament. He was on the Council for Entrepreneurial Development in Charlotte. Jason lives on Heathcliff Road. Proposed classification: **Insurance Advisor** (2nd printing)

WE MISSED YOU TODAY:

The bulletin editor was absent today and we assume the check-in list still resides in a lonely crate in the String and Splinter. So if you didn't attend, **Please make-up:** One of the requirements for becoming a 2009 Governor's Gold Club is that the club report 70% attendance for three of the nine months preceding the time the Gold Club report is due.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR –

- ♦ Jul 28 – Next week we will give away our annual donations. If you are planning to receive the money on behalf of an organization next week, please let Bill Heard know.
- ♦ Aug 11 – District Governor's Official Visit
- ♦ Sep 18 – 2nd Annual Ray Taylor District 7690 Golf Tournament

Tentative Report of the Grants & Awards Committee

These are the organizations that will be receiving grants this year. If you could publish them in the HUB. Amounts will be available to the public at the July 28th meeting. There are 4 organizations that will be receiving a grant from Furnitureland Rotary for the first time. I will be sending a separate email to the board with tentative amounts. Thanks, Bill Heard.

Mobile Meals	Piedmont Triad Int Visitors
HP Community Clinic	PEC
GTCC at Risk Students	Boys and Girls Home
Carl Chavis YMCA	VIP for a VIP
Salvation Army	Piedmont School
NC Shakespeare Festival	TAG
HPRHS ER Water	Newcomers School
HP Area Arts Council	Miracle Field
Youth Unlimited	

A Great Day for Paul Harris

To the list of members who received Paul Harris Fellow recognition last week add the following who received their kudos this week: Four new Paul Harris Fellows: Herman Hunter, Barry Kitley, Janette McNeill, Wayne Mendenhall. Jack Green received a new pin - 1 ruby. Marty Pratt received a new pin - 3 rubies.

THE 4 WAY TEST

of the things we think, say or do . . .

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to All Concerned?
3. Will it Build GOODWILL and Better Friendships?
4. Will it Be BENEFICIAL to All Concerned?

QUEEN OF HEARTS



Geoff Eade tried to win the Queen of Hearts, but failed. Approximately 18 cards left in the deck.



BACK TO THE BEACH for District Conference

April 23 – 26, 2009 - District Governor Charles Allen will take us to Hilton Myrtle Beach Resort & Conference Center, Myrtle Beach, SC. . See you there. Plan for a good time.

FINALLY

My brother-in-law, the preacher was of the Methodist persuasion. When he was visiting a Baptist church he was called upon to pray in a revival meeting. My brother-in-law, the preacher said, "Please excuse me. I'm out of my realm. I didn't even want the Lord to know I was here."