



## MARK YOUR CALENDAR –

Jan 9 – Area 6 Leadership - First Friday Meeting  
Jan 12 - Congressman Howard Coble (if he isn't called back to Washington!)  
Jan 19 – TBA  
Jan 26 – Superintendent Mo Green  
Feb 2 - Don Kirkman, Piedmont Triad Partnership, Current Projects  
Feb 9 - Strib Boynton, CHP, Current Economic Impact on City and Customers  
Feb 16 - Davis Montgomery, Duke Energy, Overview of Duke Energy in the Triad  
Feb 17 – District Rotary Against Drugs Speech Contest  
Feb 23, 2009, Kyle Swicegood, Rotary District 7690, Operation Smile  
Feb 26 – Furnitureland Auction 2009  
Mar 19 – 21 – Carolina PETS  
Mar 22 – Multi District Rotary Against Drugs Speech Contest  
Apr 23 – 26 – District Conference 2009 – Myrtle Beach



**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.



### **On 15 August 1910, Paul Harris convened the first National Convention of the Rotary Club of America.**

"This is going to be a convention in which we will get down to business and endeavor to launch the National Association of Rotary Clubs. We need the best thought and cooperation of every single man who is here," Harris told the 60 registrants assembled at the Congress Hotel in Chicago.

At the time of the 1910 Convention, Rotary had 15 clubs and more than 1,000 members. In 2005, more than 39,000 people attended the RI Convention in Chicago to celebrate Rotary's centennial.

Rotary has held conventions throughout the world - including Edinburgh, Scotland, in 1921; Mexico City in 1953; Lucerne, Switzerland, in 1957; and Tokyo in 1978. These yearly meetings combine Rotary business with fellowship and feature guest speakers, workshops, meetings, and exhibits.

The International Fellowship of Rotarian Convention Goers

(<http://www.conventiongoers.org/>), a group of Rotarians dedicated to promoting and attending the RI gatherings, encourages all Rotarians to attend at least one convention, where they will form new friendships and learn how Rotarians worldwide carry out humanitarian efforts and promote ethical service through their vocations.

For more information about Rotary history, visit Rotary History and Archives or the Rotary Global History Fellowship.

(<http://www.rotary.org/EN/ABOUTUS/HISTORY/Pages/ridefault.aspx>)

One winter morning my brother-in-law, the preacher and my sister-in-law were listening to the radio over breakfast. They hear the announcer say, 'We are going to have 8 to 10 inches of snow today. We are asking everyone to park their car on the even-numbered side of the street, so there is room for the snow ploughs to get through. My brother-in-law goes out and moves his car. A week later while they are eating breakfast again, the radio announcer says, 'We are expecting 10 to 12 inches of snow today. Today you must park your car on the odd-numbered side of the street, so the snow ploughs can get through.' My brother-in-law goes out and moves his car to the odd-numbered side. The next week they are again having breakfast, when the radio announcer says, 'We are expecting 12 to 14 inches of snow today. You must park .....!' Then the power goes out. My brother-in-law is very upset, and with a worried look on his face he says, 'Honey, I don't know what to do! Which side of the street do I need to park on so the snow ploughs can get through today?' With the love and understanding in her voice, that all married women exhibit, my sister-in-law says, 'Why don't you just leave it in the garage this time?'

## Furnitureland Monthly Attendance Detail

December 01, 2008 - January 05, 2009

Member Name	MemberType	12/01	12/08	12/15	01/05	%	Comments
Adams, James E.	Active	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	100.0	
Ayer, Mark L.	Active	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	100.0	
Black, Travis	InAct-LOA	X	X	X	X	0.0	12/01-Excused,12/08-Excused,12/15-Excused,01/05-Excused
Blair, Brandon C.	Active	Yes		Yes		50.0	
Blue, William F.	Active		Yes		Yes	50.0	
Boger, Jason	Active	Yes		Yes	Yes	75.0	
Brinson, Joe M. Jr.	Active-Rule of 85					0.0	12/01-Rof85,12/08-Rof85,12/15-Rof85,01/05-Rof85
Carda, Randy	Active	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	100.0	
Carroll, Joseph	Active	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	100.0	
Dusil, Richard W	Active	Yes	Yes			50.0	
Dyson, William H. IV	Active	Yes		Yes	Yes	75.0	
Eade, Geoffrey F.	Active	Yes				25.0	
Ebel, Deanne M.	Active	Yes		Yes	Yes	75.0	
Fatyol, Tom	Active			Yes		25.0	
Foster, Betty	Active	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	100.0	
Foster, Carlvena	Active	Yes				25.0	
Fowler, Robert L.	Active	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	100.0	
Frye, Barbara Thompson	Active	Yes	Yes	M	Yes	100.0	12/15-12/11 - Board Meeting
Fulp, Kenneth B.	Active	X	X	Yes	X	100.0	12/01-Medical (mobility) problem,12/08-Medical (mobility) problem,12/15-Medical (mobility) problem,01/05-Excused
Garry, Ivan	Active	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	100.0	
Green, Charlene Reavis	Active	M	Yes	Yes	Yes	100.0	12/01-12/14 - eClubOne
Green, James M Jr	Active	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	100.0	
Heard, William Carroll III	Active	Yes	Yes		Yes	75.0	
Hellinger, Joseph	Active	Yes		Yes	Yes	75.0	
Hendrix, T. R. Jr.	Active-Rule of 85					0.0	12/01-Rof85,12/08-Rof85,12/15-Rof85,01/05-Rof85
Hunter, Herman Jones Jr.	Active	Yes			Yes	50.0	
Ilderton, Timothy H.	Active	Yes		Yes	Yes	75.0	
Kiem, John Clayton	Active	Yes	Yes		Yes	75.0	
Kitley, Barry S.	Active	Yes	Yes		Yes	75.0	

Laney, William	Active	Yes	Yes			50.0	
Mcbride, Odell	Active					0.0	
McNeill, Janette N.	Active	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	100.0	
Mendenhall, F. Wayne	Active	Yes	Yes		Yes	75.0	
Mendenhall, Forrest	Active	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	100.0	
Morgan, James F. II	Active	M	Yes	Yes	Yes	100.0	12/01-12/11-Board Meeting
Morris, R Philip	Active	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	100.0	
Nash, Malcolm P. III	Active	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	100.0	
Novak, Deborah F.	Active		Yes		Yes	50.0	
Oliver, Don Allen Jr.	Active	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	100.0	
Pratt, Marion E.	Active		Yes			25.0	
Procton, Brad	Active		Yes	Yes	Yes	75.0	
Pruette, David L.	Active	Yes	Yes	Yes		75.0	
Putnam, Andrew	Active	X		X	X	0.0	01/05-Excused
Redding, Donald C. Jr.	Active	Yes	Yes	M	Yes	100.0	12/15-12/11 - Board Meeting
Simon, Gary	Active		Yes			25.0	
Stewart, J. Carl Jr	Active					0.0	
Stout, Ashley	Active		Yes		Yes	50.0	
Stroud, G. L. III	Active			Yes	Yes	50.0	
Stunda, John F.	Active	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	100.0	
Sturgill, Gary	Active			Yes	Yes	50.0	
Thiel, Matthew P.	Active		Yes	Yes	Yes	75.0	
Thomas, Richard E.	Active	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	100.0	
Underwood, Robert	Active	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	100.0	
Walton, Edwin Colby Jr.	Active	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	100.0	
Welch, Thomas J.	Active	Yes			Yes	50.0	
White, Edgar C. Jr.	Active	Yes			Yes	100.0	12/08-Rof85, 12/15-Rof85, 01/05-Rof85
Williard, Coy O. Jr.	Active-Rule of 85	Yes	Yes		Yes	100.0	12/01-Rof85, 12/08-Rof85, 12/15-Rof85, 01/05-Rof85
Womack, John A. Jr.	Active	M	Yes	Yes	Yes	100.0	12/01-Interact Club Meeting/Hospice Lu
Wood, Richard F.	Active	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	100.0	
68 Members	Active=56 Active-Rule of 85=3 Guest=3 Honorary=5 InAct-LOA=1	43/55 78.2%	39/55 70.9%	37/54 68.5%	44/55 80.0%	<b>74.4%</b>	

LEGEND: Y or Yes=Attended, X=Excused Absence, M=Make-Up, (Y) or (Yes)=Attended (but not included in % Calc.)