

Rotary News

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BOARD MEETING NOTES AND ACTIONS

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If you would like to submit items for publication in the next newsletter, please get information to one of the following editors by noon on the last Thursday of each month.

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President elect, Tom Dever was appointed to chair a committee to examine the Club bylaws and make recommendations for updating them as necessary.

President Steve Songer will appoint a committee comprised of two board members and two non-board members charged with identifying a slate of candidates for the next election for positions of President, President Elect, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer.

Kim Ingalsbee reported the year to date average attendance is 70.7%. Our club has 138 active members, 30 exempt

members and 4 honorary members.

The Board voted to approve a motion to amend the club bylaws by including the following: In order for a member to be eligible to have their name on the Rotary Club of Terre Haute Board Member Election ballot, a person must have been a member as of 12/31 of the previous calendar year and their attendance must be at least 60% as of 6/30 of the current calendar year. This approved motion will next come before the general membership for final approval.

The board approved the appointment of Pat O’Leary to complete the Board of Directors term vacated by Lee Akers which expires June 30, 2006.

Stephanie Welsh reported that Rudy Ulrich has resigned from the club. The Board approved a medical leave for Libby Cieciora.

Persons approved for club membership include Josh Zuerner, of Joink Elizabeth Wilkerson of KIVA Structural Engineers, Brandon Halleck of Chances for Youth and Laura Tucker, Stein Mart.

David Mitchell, chairperson of the International Service Committee,

HOW TO PROPOSE A NEW MEMBER

Invite persons you believe would be good members of our club to a meeting. Ascertain their interest. Secure a Membership Proposal Form from the club secretary, Stephanie Welsh.

Fill out the form and return it to the club Secretary. At this point, the classification for the person is designated and the name comes before the Board of Directors for approval. Once the approval is given, the person’s name

and contact information is given to the Orientation Committee. A member of this committee will make an appointment to visit the proposed member and explain in greater detail the purpose of the club, the activities of the club and

December Birthdays

- 1 Dennis Stark
- 2 Rod Bosley
- 4 Milt Van Reed
- 5 Beth Tevlin
- 6 Chuck Shutt
- 13 John Adkins
- 15 Mike Collins
- 19 Sally Stewart
- 23 Randy Netzley
- 24 Ralph Cutter
- 25 James Brown
- 31 Earl Elliott



PLEASE NOTE

A Collection to show appreciation for our wait staff at the Holiday Inn will be taken at meetings this month.

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reported that the money we approved for a water project in Boliva has been received by them.

David is also exploring a connection with international youth attending colleges and universities here. He hopes to invite

some of them to our club luncheon.

\$100 will be donated to the Sycamore Singers who are providing entertainment at the Holiday party.

President Songer noted that sev-

eral Rotarians responded to his request that members participate in the Every Rotarian, Every Year campaign which raises funds to support Rotary International Foundation humanitarian and educational programs that serve the needs of people around the world.

How To Propose a New Member, Con't

the expectation of members to comply with the motto, "Service Above Self". At Orientation the prospective member is informed of the dues structure and must sign a form to show they understand and are willing to comply with the local club and the International by-laws and abide by the objects of Rotary. Following payment of dues, the club secretary arranges with the person who proposed the prospective member to set up a date for the induction.

Traditionally, a club member pays for the first lunch of a prospective member they have invited. Following submission of the Membership Proposal Form, the board voted to approve a motion to have the club pay for a maximum of three lunches for the new member candidate while they are waiting for the process prior to their induction. Board Member, Charlie Williams is the chairperson for the Membership

Committee and may be contacted with any questions.

Terre Haute Club Committees

Club Service.....Joyce Keenan
 Bulletin.....Ray Brauer, Joyce Keenan
 Fellowship.....Sally Stewart
 Program..... Bill Tromble, Todd Sullivan
 Public Relations..... Dave Piker
 Web Site.....Bill Tennis
 Invocations.....Bart Colwell
 Membership.....Charlie Williams
 Classifications..... Tom Dever, Mike Hoper
 Orientation.....Lee Ann Crooks, Allen Varner
Community Service.....Paul Stanley
 Interact.....Janice Adkins, Marty Woods

Environmental Protection.....
 Santhana Naidu,/Brian Ross
 Blood Drive.....Rick Kohr
 Goodwill Drive.....Bill Aubin
 Salvation Army.....Sally Stewart/Mike Morris
Foundation/Paul Harris.....Craig McKee
 Ten for one club.....Craig McKee
 Paul Harris Awards.....Stephanie Welsh
 Community Grants.....David Bolk
International Service.....Dave Mitchell
Vocational Service.....Brian Miller

2005-2006 Officers and Board Members

President.....Steve Songer
 President-elect.....Tom Dever
 Vice-President.....Paul Stanley
 Secretary.....Stephanie Welsh
 Treasurer.....Linda Stanley
 Attendance.....Kim Ingalsbe
 Past President.....Lisa Pepperworth
 Sergeant-at-Arms.....Mike Collins

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 Bill Aubin
 David Bolk
 Lee Akers
 Joyce Keenan
 Brian Miller
 Alice Shagley

2005-2007
 Mike Collins
 Bart Colwell
 Kim Ingalsbe
 Chuck Shutt
 Sally Stewart
 Charlie Williams

MISSED MEETINGS are easy to make up by attending another club’s meeting; coming to a board meeting (first Monday of each month at the Goodwill Offices); doing a service project; attending a committee meeting; or going on-line, reading an interesting article about Rotary and answering a question or two.

Make-up Locations

Monday:

Paris Noon Cafe` France
 Princeton Noon Gibson
 General Hospital

Tuesday:

Marshall 6:45 am Family

Casey Noon Richards Farm
 Indianapolis Noon Athletic Club
 Sullivan Noon Sullivan Elks Club

Wednesday:

Rockville 7:15 am Terre Vin Winery
 Brazil Noon Elks Club

Greencastle Noon Walden Inn
 Linton Noon Elks Club

Plainfield Noon Kristy's Club

Thursday:

Terre Haute 7:00 am Holiday Inn

ON LINE MAKEUPS AT:

www.rotary5450.org.

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