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# Graham Rotary News

Graham Rotary Club • Club No. 6107 • District 7690  
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## That Might Just Preach

In the absence of minutes from last week's meeting, here is some wisdom from Larry the Cable Guy\* (with respect to Phil—re:#4):

1. A day without sunshine is like night.

a bad name.

5. Remember, half the people you know are below average.

6. He who laughs last thinks slowest.

7. Depression is merely anger without enthusiasm.

8. The early bird may get the worm, but the second mouse gets the cheese in the trap.

9. Support bacteria. They're the only culture some people have.

10. A clear conscience is usually the sign of a bad memory.

11. Change is inevitable, except from vending machines.

12. If you think nobody cares, try missing a couple of payments.

13. How many of you believe in psycho kinesis? Raise my hand. 14. OK, so what's the speed of dark?

15. When everything is coming your way, you're in the wrong lane.

16. Hard work pays off in the future. Laziness pays off now.

17. How much deeper would the ocean be without sponges?

18. Eagles may soar, but weasels don't get sucked into jet engines

19. What happens if you get scared half to death, twice?

20. Why do psychics have to ask you

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Elmer Brown with our Student of the Month, Tirelle Daye, and his guidance counselor.

More club photos may be enjoyed at [www.grahamrotaryclub.org/pix.html](http://www.grahamrotaryclub.org/pix.html).

2. On the other hand, you have different fingers.

3. 42.7 percent of all statistics are made up on the spot.

4. 99 percent of lawyers give the rest

## Graham Rotary Meeting Attendance (37 members)

|            | Nov 2006 | Dec 2006 | Jan 2007 | Feb 2006 | Mar 2007 | Apr 2007 | May 2007 | Jun 2007 | July 2007 | Aug 2007 | Sept 2007 | Oct 2007 |
|------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-----------|----------|-----------|----------|
| Percentage | 59%      | 63%      | 56%      | 61%      | 55%      | 49%      | 61%      | 59%      | 69%       | 70%      | 68%       | 73%      |
| Number     | 24       | 25       | 23       | 26       | 23       | 21       | 25       | 23       | 26        | 24       | 25        | 27       |

For makeup locations, visit [www.rotary7690.org](http://www.rotary7690.org) or make up online at [www.rotaryclubone.org](http://www.rotaryclubone.org).

**2007-2008  
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for your name?

**21.** Inside every older person is a younger person wondering, “What the heck happened?”

**22.** Just remember—if the world didn’t suck, we would all fall off.

**23.** Light travels faster than sound. That’s why some people appear bright until you hear them speak.

**24.** Life isn’t like a box of chocolates; it’s more like a jar of jalapenos. What you do today, might burn your tail tomorrow.

\* Thanks to an email from Milford Miller and all of the other comics from who Larry borrowed half of these quips.



Yep. It’s still stuck at \$94.

**Upcoming Birthdays**

Ernest Mannella

*November 14, 1942*

**Opportunities**  
TO MAKE UP MEETINGS

**Burlington Breakfast Club:** usually meeting on Mondays at 6:45am - O’Hara’s Restaurant

**Burlington Rotary:** Mondays at 5:45pm - Occasions Restaurant

**Alamance Rotary:** Tuesdays at Noon - O’Hara’s Ramada Inn

**And online at...**

www.rotaryclubone.org. This link is always on the home page of our website.

**Upcoming Program Chairs and Events**

**November is  
Rotary Foundation Month**

- 1st** Andy Motsinger  
*Surprise Program!*
- 8th** Dexter Barbee  
*Bill Stone - GSE Scotland*
- 8th** Rotary Foundation Banquet  
6:30pm, High Point Country Club
- 9-10th** Shoulder Cooking/Sale
- 15th** David Cheek  
*Alamance Community College*
- 16th** Rotary Leadership Institute  
8:30am-4pm, High Point Chamber of Commerce, 1634 N. Main St.
- 22nd** No Meeting  
*Happy Thanksgiving*
- 29th** Joel Walker

**December is  
Family Month**

- 6th** Christmas Music  
Alamance Christian High School
- 13th** Christmas Music  
Elon University
- 20th** No Meeting  
*Merry Christmas*
- 27th** No Meeting  
*Merry Christmas*



**T**he Rotary Foundation is not to build monuments of brick and stone. If we work upon marble, it will perish; if we work on brass, time will efface it; if we rear temples they will crumble into dust; but if we work upon immortal minds, if we imbue them with the full meaning of the spirit of Rotary as expressed in our Objects and with the just fear of God and love of our fellowmen, we are engraving on those tablets something that will brighten all eternity.

—*Arch C. Klumph*, RI President, 1916-17,  
Rotary Club of Cleveland, Ohio, and  
Founder of the Rotary Foundation

