



Graham Rotary News

May 8, 2008

Graham Rotary Club • Club No. 6107 • District 7690
A Certified 100% Paul Harris Fellowship & Gold Club

Meeting at: Graham Friends Church
700 N. Main Street
Mail: P.O. Box 301
Graham, NC 27253

www.grahamrotaryclub.org

Minutes: May 1, 2007

No guests or visiting Rotarians
Thank you to the volunteers from our club that helped to house the recent GSE team from Taiwan. Thank you to Jeff E., Mark, Dexter, & Chuck.
District Conference: we received Gold Club for the fifth time and four

Bonnie asked that we considered making one of our projects next year the Caring Hearts in Mexico. We could get matching grant funds and Gold Club points. Check out the details of this project at caringheartsmexico.com.

Program: Ernest introduced Dr. Randy Bridges, superintendent of the Alamance-Burlington School System. Dr. Bridges spoke of the status of our school system and where he envisions it heading.

50/50: the pot is \$197.50 and Angelica had the winning ticket but failed to pull the Queen of Spades.

—Jody Wallace

Thanks

To everyone that helped with the GSE Team's visit to Area 3 this year, I wanted to say Thank You for making it a great success. I know that by being involved and seeing the interest that they showed on their vocational visits and in the homes of those that hosted them, you could tell that they truly enjoyed their time spent with us as much as we enjoyed spending our time with them. It takes an effort from many people for the GSE Program to be successful and it wouldn't have happened without all of you volunteering your time, opening your homes and businesses, and being the Rotarians that you are.

All of the GSE Team members expressed their appreciation to me several times at District Conference for the hospitality that we showed them during their time spent with the clubs and club members from Area 3. Rotary truly is about Building Good Will and Better Friendships with people all



Don Kehler checking out our latest Gold Club plaque at last week's meeting

— More photos on website

Upcoming Programs & Events

May: Planning/Club Evaluation

- 5/8 Club Assembly
- 5/9 District Assembly
- 5/10 Loaves & Fishes delivery, 9am
- 5/15 Mike Shoffner
- 5/22 Jeff Eldridge
- 5/29 Dexter Barbee

years in a row! District 7690 is the first to be a 100% Paul Harris Fellow district!

We made \$6,600 on our recent Golf Tournament. This money will go toward our scholarships to four area high schools and one to the ACC foundation.

Roadside Clean-up: we had four people show up (Mike S., Chuck, Dexter, and Jody) to clean our stretch of Hwy. 54 last Saturday.

Delivery for Loaves & Fishes is scheduled for next Saturday (5/10) for all those that volunteered. They are still in need for more volunteers if you can help out.

**2007-2008
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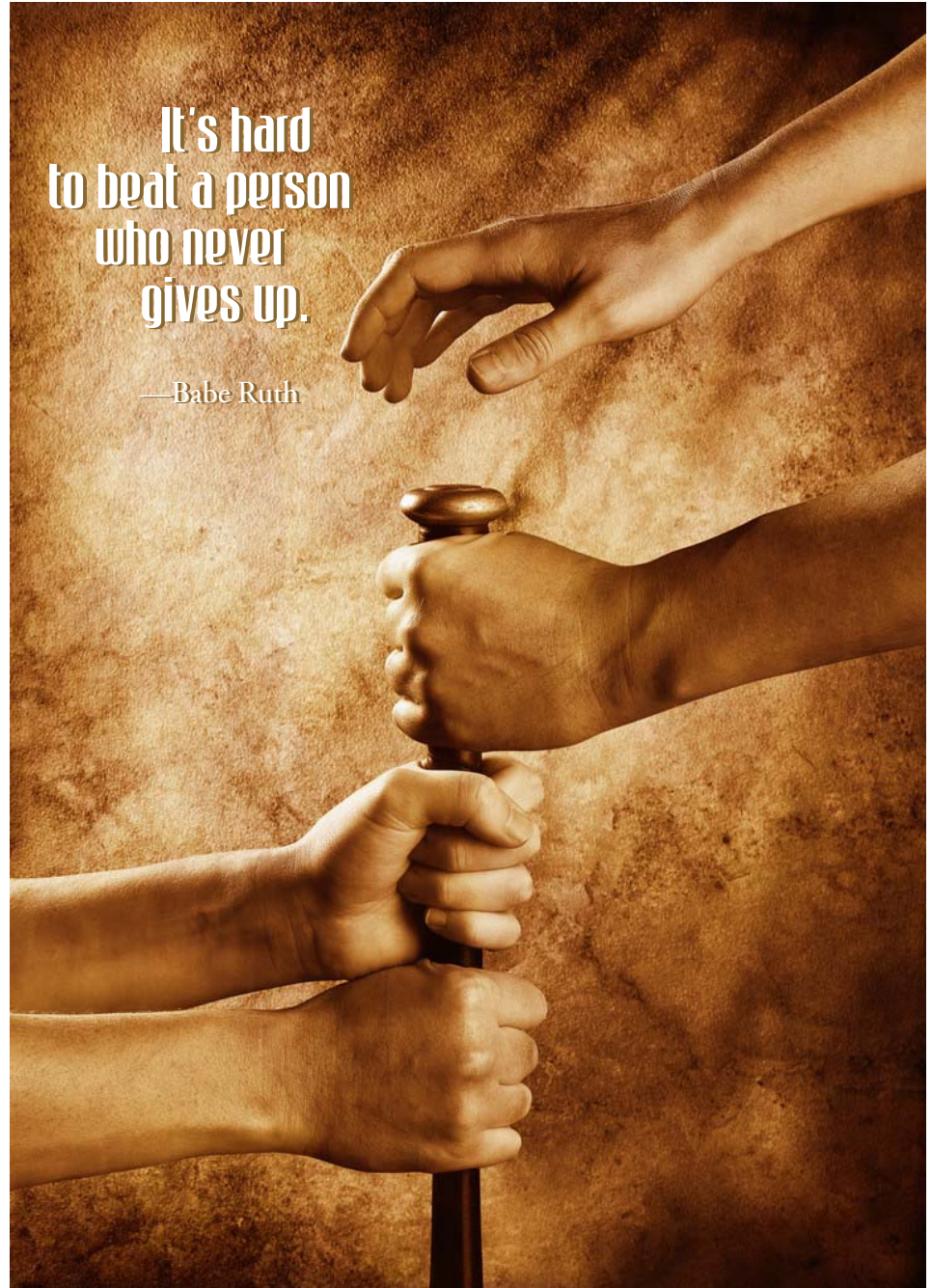
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over the world.

Thanks for all you do for Rotary!

—Jeff Eldridge, Assistant Governor, Area 3, District 7690

**Don't forget delivery of food at Loaves & Fishes
this Saturday morning at 9:00.**



**It's hard
to beat a person
who never
gives up.**

—Babe Ruth

Graham Rotary Meeting Attendance (39 members)

	May 2007	Jun 2007	July 2007	Aug 2007	Sept 2007	Oct 2007	Nov 2007	Dec 2007	Jan 2008	Feb 2008	Mar 2008	Apr 2008
Percentage	61%	59%	69%	70%	68%	73%	69%	58%	68%	58%	62%	
Number	25	23	26	24	25	27	26	21	25	21	22	

For makeup locations, visit www.rotary7690.org or make up online at www.rotaryclubone.org.