



# Graham Rotary News

Graham Rotary Club • Club No. 6107 • District 7690

A Certified 100% Sustaining Paul Harris Fellowship & Gold Club

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Meeting at the Graham Civic Center

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### Meeting videos at:

<http://grahamrotaryclub.org/vid.html>

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<http://grahamrotaryclub.org/pix/>

## Upcoming Programs & Events

- 9/10 ..... Sandy Ellington-Graves, *Membership*
- 9/17 ..... Randy Day  
*Carol Robertson, Residential Treatment Services*
- 9/24 ..... Russell Guy  
*Cindy Brady, Make a Difference Day*
- 11/7, 8am ..... 5K Run
- 11/13-14 ..... BBQ
- 11/12, 6pm ..... Rotary Foundation Banquet  
*High Point Country Club*
- 4/23-25, 2010 ..... District Conference  
*Grove Park Inn Resort & Spa, Asheville*
- 6/20-23, 2010 ..... RI Convention  
*Montreal, Quebec (<http://tinyurl.com/5cr622>)*

**The Board meets  
each month on  
the second Thursday  
following the  
regular meetings.**

## A letter from PK: Rotarian in Iraq

I read the Rotary bulletin each week. I am glad that the Club is growing—new members. My congratulations to the new leadership.

I left the State Department assignment in April and since May, I am with the Defense Department. With the State Department I was working on provincial level and with this new job I am engaged in industrial development Iraq wide. It requires nation-wide travel and more challenges.

## Rotary Minutes: 9/3/09

Natalie Jones was Phil's guest.

We had a unanimous vote today to accept memberships for Scott Coyle and Mike Long. Welcome to the club guys!

As part of literacy awareness, Jeff P. has arranged to have Graham Rotary Club purchase new books which will be read to children on Wednesday mornings at the library. These books will then be donated to the library. If you would like to volunteer to come and read to the children, see Jeff.

Please keep Clenon in your thoughts and prayers as he continues to recover.

Shoulder Sale tickets were distributed today! Each member is held accountable for four shoulders at \$40

each. You may sell your four shoulders, purchase them yourself, or you can also donate your money to the club and tell Greg not to cook those shoulders. In the last example, the club profits 100%



Daniel Freeman, administrator for Alamance Christian School, speaking at last week's meeting

of the shoulder price. The sign-up sheet  
*continued on next page...*

## Birthdays

Sam Jenkins 9/14  
Bonnie Johnson 9/20  
Dexter Barbee, Jr. 9/29

## Anniversaries

Jody & Lizzette Wallace 9/3  
Sam & Tina Jenkins 9/5  
Dave & Sandy Laughlin 9/18  
Chuck & Stacey Carroll 9/21  
Mark & Susan Ryman 9/24

## 2009-2010 Rotary Leadership

### John Kenny

Rotary International President

### Mike Conrad

District 7690 Governor

### Jeff Eldridge

Asst. District 7690 Governor

### Mark Ryman

Area Foundation Representative

## Graham Rotary Officers

### Phil Moseley, President

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226-4911

## Committee Chairs

### ADMINISTRATION CHAIRS

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### COMMUNICATIONS CHAIR

#### Mark Ryman

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### DISTRICT CONFERENCE CHAIR

#### Angelica Santiago

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#### Bonnie Johnson

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#### Dr. Joel Walker

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#### Angelica Santiago

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### MEMBERSHIP CHAIR

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### PROGRAMS CHAIR

#### Russell Guy

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### VOCATIONAL CHAIR

#### Paul Cobb

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### YOUTH CHAIR

#### Ron Blevins

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*Minutes continued...*

for helping out with the cooking will come around at future meetings closer to the sale date of Nov. 14th.



Dexter Barbee laughing as the club sang Happy Birthday (or whatever it is that we sing) to him at the last meeting

The 5K run fundraiser planning is going well. The sponsorship brochure is nearly finalized and will be distributed at an upcoming meeting.

Paul Burns was our program chair and he introduced Daniel Freeman, administrator for Alamance Christian School. Mr. Freeman showed us a PowerPoint presentation and discussed the school and how it began in 1969 and has evolved into what it is today. The school is a privately funded school serving children from kindergarten through twelfth grade. They excel, not only in scholastics but, also in many other areas including fine arts, athletics, etc.

There was no 50/50 again today. Someone's slacking!

## Student of the Month begins this month.

## Area 3 District Simplified Grant for Stop Hunger Now

On behalf of the District 7690 DSG Committee, I'm happy to inform you that the Area 3 Clubs' DSG application for the Stop Hunger Now project is approved for the following amount.

Alamance .....	\$300
Alamance Breakfast .....	\$300
Burlington .....	\$300
Yanceyville .....	\$300
Graham .....	\$300

A check will be sent to each club from the District Treasurer. Please be sure to keep track of your expenditures, complete the project by May 15, 2010, and send in a final report by May 31, 2010.

Congratulations and thanks for your commitment to Rotary.

*Mary Joan Pugh  
District Simplified Grants Co-chair*



The new Rotary Leadership Institute registration system is online for all 2009-2010 events. The web address is [www.rli33.org](http://www.rli33.org).



**November 7  
8:00AM**

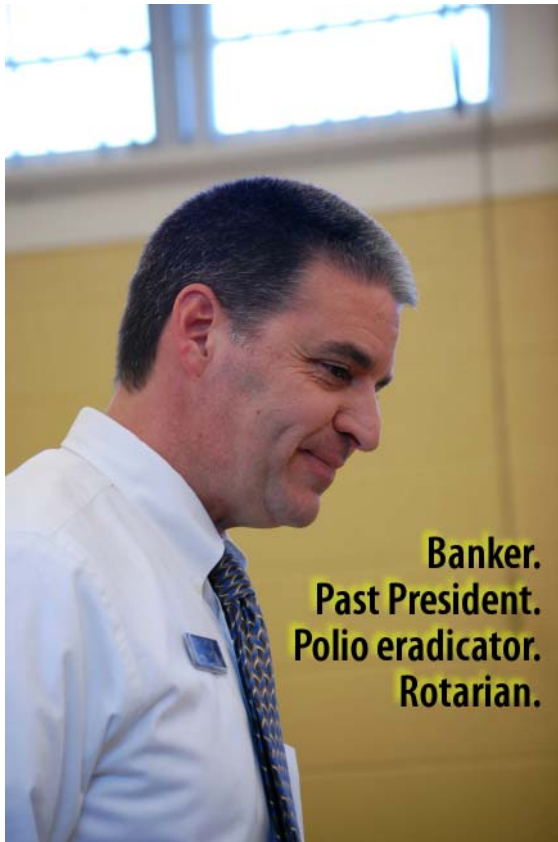
## From Rotary Twitter:

- Hamiltonrotary (Hamilton, OH): A link to their club's bulletin: <http://tinyurl.com/nrfnn8>
- westjaxrotary (Jacksonville, FL): At club fair, 20% of students at Bishop Snyder HS signed up for Interact! The club is 108 members strong.
- Graham Rotary is following 136 Rotary types from around the world on Twitter and 160 are following us. [www.twitter.com/grahamrotary/](http://www.twitter.com/grahamrotary/)



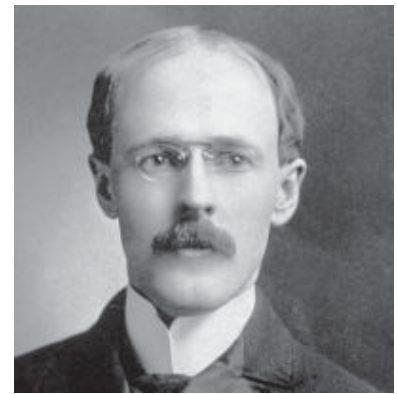
**Service Above Self**

Graham, North Carolina, USA



**Banker.  
Past President.  
Polio eradicator.  
Rotarian.**

Chuck Carroll (pictured here) was the Graham Rotary Club President during 2007-08.  
Check him out on our homepage: <http://grahamrotaryclub.org>.



**6107 Paul Harris Fellows**

- Clenon W. Russell ..... 2/2/87
- Donald B. Covert ..... 9/30/87
- Joel W. Walker ..... 3/25/88
- Zeb Barnhardt ..... 1/5/1989
- Phyllis F. Walker ..... 7/24/92
- Paul E. Cobb, Jr. .... 10/8/93
- William T. McNeil ..... 3/24/94
- William Andrew Inge, Jr. .... 11/11/96
- Dexter Barbee, Jr. .... 1/23/97
- Donald E. Kehler ..... 3/30/97
- Gregory D. Scott ..... 7/17/98
- Troy Woodard ..... 7/17/98
- Pradeep K. Patnaik ..... 10/10/01
- Bret Cobb ..... 2/15/02
- W. Phillip Moseley ..... 3/1/02
- Jody P. Wallace ..... 3/27/03
- Michael C. Shoffner ..... 3/27/03
- Jeff Eldridge ..... 10/21/03
- Dave Laughlin ..... 1/8/04
- George Bason, Jr. .... 2/26/04
- Chuck Carroll ..... 11/15/04
- Sergio Guzman ..... 4/13/06
- Bonciel Johnson ..... 4/13/06
- Irene Barbee ..... 4/5/2007
- Jeff Prichard ..... 4/5/2007
- Mark Ryman ..... 4/5/2007
- Reed LaPlante ..... 5/1/2007
- Russell Guy ..... 8/23/2007
- Chris Rollins ..... 8/23/2007
- Ty Reed ..... 10/4/2007
- Angelica Santiago ..... 12/6/2007
- Randy Day ..... 4/16/2009
- Sam Jenkins ..... 4/30/2009
- Steve McGilvray ..... 4/30/2009

**Graham Rotary Meeting Attendance**

	Jan 2009	Feb 2009	Mar 2009	Apr 2009	May 2009	June 2009	July 2009	Aug 2009	Sept 2009	Oct 2009	Nov 2009	Dec 2009
Percentage	74%	68%	70%	67%	69%	60%	73%	64%				
Avg Number	24	24	25	24	24	21	28	27				

For makeup locations, visit the Rotary meetings below  
or watch our meetings online and notify the Secretary that you did.

**Alamance Breakfast Rotary Club**

Monday, 6:45am, O'Hara's  
Restaurant, Ramada Inn,  
Burlington, NC

**Rotary Club of Alamance**

Tuesday, 12:15pm, O'Hara's,  
Ramada Inn, Burlington, NC

**Yanceyville Rotary Club**

Tuesday, 12:30pm, Caswell Pines  
Golf Course, 2380 County Home  
Rd, Blanch, NC

**Burlington Rotary Club**

Monday 5:45pm, Occasions, 286  
East Front Street, Burlington, NC



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**is like  
a rocking chair...**

**it gives you something to do**

**but will get you nowhere.**