



Graham Rotary News

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

December 3, 2009

Meeting at the Graham Civic Center
503 McGee Street, Graham
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<http://grahamrotaryclub.org/vid.html>

Meeting photos:

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

Upcoming Programs & Events

- 12/3** 7pm ... Bonnie Johnson & Angelica Santiago
Their trip to Caring Hearts
- 12/10** George Bason, *Quarry Hills Golf Club*
- 12/17**, 7pm Christmas Party
Lucky Bamboo Restaurant (no lunch meeting today)
- 1/7** Paul Burns, *Efland Bed & Breakfast*
- 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 meeting.

Rotary Reads

- 12/09** Bonnie Johnson
- 12/16** Sam Jenkins
- 12/23** Hunt Johnson
- 12/30** Steve McRae

The current district newsletter is available at <http://tinyurl.com/y9nodnv>.

Frank Longest visited from the Burlington club. Tony Velez was Mark Ryman's guest and Jerry Csakany was Barney Barnhardt's guest again. Barney announced that Jerry is a potential member.

member and \$15/guest. If you would like to participate, bring a \$10 generic Secret Santa gift. There will be a sign-up sheet posted on the Civic Center door at lunch for those who cannot attend the party so that they get atten-



No meeting next week on November 26th, due to the Thanksgiving Holiday.

We profited \$4200-4500 on the shoulder sale. Thank you Greg and all those that participated for another successful sale. The club voted to have another shoulder sale the weekend of the Super bowl. There will be no required sales.

Bonnie Johnson, our Family of Rotary Chair, has arranged Christmas Party at the Lucky Bamboo Restaurant in Graham on Thursday, December 17th at 7pm. The cost will be \$7/

Librarian Becky Peterson addressing the club last Thursday

dance credit. There will not be a regular meeting that day.

The next Rotary Leadership Institute is December 4th at the High Point Chamber of Commerce. See Phil if you are interested in joining him.

Our program chair was Russell Guy, who introduced Becky Peterson, the Graham branch manager of the Alamance Public Libraries. She told us about the various resources that the public libraries have to offer. They

not only have books, but also newspapers, magazines, educational videos, entertainment videos, tax help information, materials to assist with student loans and college applications, free internet access, and much more. They also have book clubs and programs such as Paws for Reading, After-school Christmas Crafts, Fun Family Movie Days, and story times for the children. For more information, go to www.alamancelibraries.org or visit your local public library.

The winning 50/50 ticket was held by Randy Day but he pulled the King of Spades instead of the Queen. The winner's share stands at \$325.

Birthdays

- Cobb, Jr., Paul E. 12/10/1940
- Ron Blevins 12/18/1961
- Zeb (Barney) Barnhardt, Jr. 12/28/1941
- Troy Woodard, Jr. 12/30/1953
- George Bason, Jr. 12/30
- Don Covert 12/30

Anniversaries

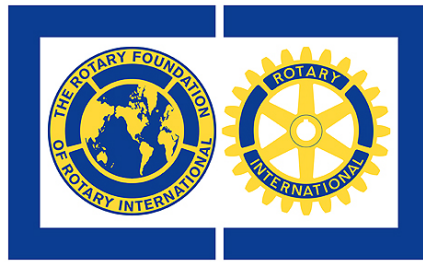
- Ty & Kang Reed 12/27/2007
- George & Sandy Bason, Jr. 12/28/2004
- Paul E. & Gail Cobb, Jr. 12/29/1968
- Scott & Wendy Sheldon 12/29/2006
- W. Phillip & Lynn Moseley 12/30/1972

6107 Paul Harris Society

- Joel Walker
- William Inge
- Jody Wallace

6107 RF Benefactors

- Dexter Barbee Jr.
- Donald B. Covert
- Jeffrey D. Eldridge
- Russell Guy
- Reed LaPlante
- Stephen Philip McGilvray
- W. Phillip Moseley
- Mark Ryman
- Joel Walker



Most Rotarians know about the matching grant from the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation. Did you know that Rotary International received a \$3.5 million challenge grant from Google in support of Rotary's top goal to eradicate polio worldwide. Rotary will raise funds to match the Google Foundation grant dollar-for-dollar over one year.

The grant and matching funds will directly support polio immunization activities carried out by the Global Polio Eradication Initiative (GPEI), a partnership spearheaded by the World Health Organization, Rotary International, UNICEF, and the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

Eradicating polio has been Rotary's number-one priority since 1985. To date, Rotary has helped immunize nearly two billion children and contributed \$650 million to the GPEI.

Globally, the number of polio cases has fallen from 350,000 annually in the mid-1980s to approximately 2,000 cases in 2006. The GPEI has succeeded in slashing the number of cases by 99 percent and decreased the number of polio-endemic countries from 125 to just four: Afghanistan, India, Nigeria, and Pakistan.

Consider making a gift to The Rotary Foundation Annual Fund today and help wipe out Polio once and for all!

Source: <http://tinyurl.com/ybthose>



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

2009-2010 Rotary Leadership

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This book was donated
to the Graham Public Library
by the
Graham Rotary Club
2009

This is the bookplate that will be placed the childrens books that our club has and will donate to the Graham Public Library. The reading list is in the left column on page one of this bulletin.

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%	78%	71%	74%	
Avg Number	24	24	25	24	24	21	28	27	30	26	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

**The optimist says,
the cup is half full.
The pessimist says,
the cup is half empty.
The child of God says,
my cup runneth over.**

