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The Voice of Service Newsletter

Last Week's Meeting—October 15, 2009

Speaker

Our regularly scheduled speaker had jury duty, so President Cathy called on Dave Bonk to report on the Public Relations Committee and Dave Schultz to report on the International Committee.

PR Committee

Dave B reported that the PR Committee deals with Club communications such as the newsletter, website and news releases to seek publicity for the Club's activities. He noted that Dave Schultz and he have been publishing the newsletter and that Ted and Mark have offered to help. The website was discussed and Dave asked for assistance in reviewing the website and determining what needs to be updated or changed. It was suggested that he assign a page to each Club member to review. In regard to publicity, Dave mentioned the extensive coverage in the News Journal newspaper last year about the TOUCH program and asked committee chairs to let him know when there was something coming up that should be publicized.

International Committee

Dave Schultz reported on the Rotary Friendship Exchange with Brazil, saying that seven Rotarians from that country were currently touring the District. He went on to describe the Friendship Exchange for which he is the District leader. He encouraged members to consider participating by hosting a visiting Rotarian and applying to take part in an upcoming exchange. He noted that hosts let a visitor stay at their home for a day or two and typically plan some excursions with the visiting group, picking up the tab for meals and entertainment. Dave then reviewed some of the International projects the committee has been involved with including Power Up Gambia, which provided funds to install solar power at a hospital in The Gambia; and a water well drilling project also in Africa to bring fresh water to a village in need. He described the grant process in which the club teams with a club in the target country through Rotary International to ensure that funds get spent properly.

Upcoming Meetings

October 22

Richard Green of Gideons International will speak.

October 29

1. Board Meeting from 11 to Noon at the Hilton. All members are invited.
2. Theda Ellis of Autism Delaware will be the speaker.

November 5

Club Assembly

November 12

Easter Seals site visit

November 19

Pam Cornforth—Ronald McDonald House

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Board Meeting from 11 to Noon at the Hilton. All members are invited.

November 26

No meeting—Thanksgiving

December 24

No meeting—Christmas Eve

December 29

Holiday Party

Missed You At Today's Meeting

Mary Jane, Ed, Joe, Eugene and Steve W.

Report make-ups

Report make-ups to Susan Reeves. Include the date of the missed meeting, the date of the make-up and describe the nature of the make-up. Send to:

susanc@systemsapproachltd.com

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[on-line
makeups](#)

And don't forget you can make-up online. Click on the red box on the left to see what programs are available.

50/50



There was no winner in last week's 50/50 drawing. The pot continues to grow. It's now at \$794.50

Meeting Visitors

Beth Elswick from Easter Seals visited and has submitted her application for membership. Bob Travis and Bob Maxwell visited from the Wilmington Club.

Your Input Is Welcome

We'll pass your suggestions and ideas along to the appropriate committee chair. Meanwhile, if you're new to this site, please pay us a visit.

Our meetings are open to guests and Rotarians from around the world every Thursday at 12:15 p.m. at the Christiana Hilton Hotel [Where We Meet](#)

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Call Dave Bonk at
302-737-8405 Ext. 732

Lunch Menu



All Meals Include:

Beverages, Dinner Rolls, Chef's Dessert and Grilled Chicken Sandwich with Monterey Cheese, Ancho Cilantro Dressing and Seasoned Chips, Fruit Cup



October 22

**Grilled Chicken Sandwich with Monterey Cheese,
Ancho Cilantro Dressing and Seasoned Chips,
Fruit Cup**

Dessert

**Assorted Desserts to include Fresh Fruit
and Chef's Choice of two desserts**

Alternate Entree Options

To request an alternate entree, notify Theresa Langan three days before the meeting. You can reach Theresa by phone at (302) 631-1543, or you can email Theresa by clicking on the mailbox. (To see what alternate menu items are available, [click here](#)).



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2009-2010 Rotary Theme



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