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- Fostering unity among member clubs
- Strengthening and expanding Rotary around the world
- Communicating worldwide the work of Rotary; and
- Providing a system of international administration

THE 4-WAY TEST

Of The Things We Think, Say Or Do:

1. Is it the **TRUTH**?
2. Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
3. Will it build **GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?
4. Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

PROGRAM SCHEDULE

- 11/06 **President Vincent Price, Duke University**
Introduction: Dr. Phail Wynn

- 11/13 **Tom Bonfield, City Manager's**
Durham Update
Introduction: President Seth Jernigan

- 11/20 **NO MEETING!!**
In Observance of The Thanksgiving Holiday

- 11/27 **John Slayton, Trust Company of NC**
Tax Reform & Year End Tax Planning
Introduction: Dave Ross

SERVICE SCHEDULE
FOR NOVEMBER 6, 2017

Song: “ **STAR SPANGLED BANNER**”
Lead Vocal: **GEORGE DEATON**
Pianist: **ANDY ESSER**
Invocation & Rotary Minute: **TBD**

DRC RAFFLE:

RI FOUNDATION PROGRAMS

Contribution: \$1 Ticket; \$5 – 6 Tickets
Proceeds: ½ RI Foundation; ½ Raffle Winner
Raffle Total On 10/30/2017: \$128.00
Rotary International: **\$64**; Raffle Winner: **\$64**
RAFFLE WINNER: ETHEL SIMONETTI
CART FUND
(Coins For Alzheimer's Research Trust)

10/30/2017: \$TBD



Rotary's Community Service Projects:
"Service Above Self"

Rotary Tree Planting Project
With Rotary International President's Goal

Our Goal: Plant 208 Trees By April 2018
(Based On Our Membership of 208)
Saturday, November 18, 2017: Planting Trees
At Eastway Elementary School In Partnership
With Keep Durham Beautiful and "Stop Soldiers Suicide"
Veterans Group
Early December: Plant Trees
At
North Carolina School of Science & Math
Individual Members Can Participate By Planting Trees
At Home, Businesses, Etc.
To Sign Up For November 18, Please Visit Our Club Website
At: www.durhamrotaryclub.org

Rotary & Urban Ministries
Makeover With Lotta Love – District Grant

Saturday, November 18, 2017: We Will Be Making Over
Four Family Suites & One Common Room.
This Is Based On A District Grant Partnering With Area Rotary Clubs.

- Prep-Work; Then Painting; Setting Up New Furniture,
Bedding, & Linens, Window Treatments, Lighting, Art Work, Etc.
Two Shifts: 8:00AM – Noon; 1:00PM – 5:00PM

Sign Up Genius: www.signupgenius.com/go/4090c49aaae2aa0fc1-rotary

Contact Joyce McKinney With Questions: jcmckinn@gmail.com

It's Salvation Army Bell Ringing Time
Tuesday -- Saturday (December 12, 2017 Through December 16, 2017)

We Ring at Walmart at New Hope Commons
One Hour Shifts, With 2 Members Per Shift
Sign Up Genius Will Be On Our Club Website
Contact John Cross, With Questions: 919.741.9641



HONORARY ROTARIAN, LOIS R. CRANFORD
1924 -- 2017

Long-Time Rotary Club of Durham Honorary Member, Lois Cranford, passed away peacefully on November 2, 2017. Lois was, in many ways, the matriarch of our Club, having a passion for community service, particularly through Rotary, with a focus on children and education. She is perhaps most well-known among us for launching and running our Club's poinsettia sale fundraiser. Our sincerest condolences to Fellow Club Member, Susan Ross & her family. Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this time. We will cherish our memories of your mom --- she was an amazing and lovely woman amongst us.

To Read More Highlights on Ms. Lois, Please Visit Our Club Website: www.durhamrotaryclub.org

DR. BARTLEY DANIELSEN:
FAMILY MIGRATION SCHOOLS & CPR



Dr. Bartley Danielsen, Professor of Finance and Real Estate in The Poole College of Business at North Carolina State University, spoke to the Club about his research on the relationships between school choices, economic development, and quality of life. He received his Ph.D. from The University of Florida and taught at DePaul University in Chicago before moving to NCSU. Teaching in Chicago and having access to the amenities of one of America's most vibrant cities was a delight. But he was living in Napierville, a medium-sized city about 30 miles from his University. For 7 years, he endured the commute, until he was diagnosed with diabetes, one of whose major risk factors is long commutes and was a major incentive to moving to North Carolina.

**CLUB STATISTICS AS OF
NOVEMBER 6, 2017:**

Club Members: 245 Active: 210
Active-LOA: 7; Honorary: 28
Staff Positions: 1

**November Birthdays – 2017**

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| MICHAEL GOODMON | NOVEMBER 03 |
| LLOYD GURLEY | NOVEMBER 03 |
| MICHEL THARP | NOVEMBER 03 |
| DAVE WALTERS | NOVEMBER 04 |
| LUCIEN ROUGHTON | NOVEMBER 05 |
| NANCY GORDON | NOVEMBER 06 |
| STAN MORRIS | NOVEMBER 07 |
| CHRISTA EVANS | NOVEMBER 07 |
| DANIELLE KASPAR | NOVEMBER 08 |
| BERT COLLINS | NOVEMBER 09 |
| ARTHUR WHITEHURST | NOVEMBER 10 |
| ROBERT BRATCHER | NOVEMBER 11 |
| C. J. DAVIS | NOVEMBER 11 |
| CALEB BAKER | NOVEMBER 12 |
| JULIE WELLS | NOVEMBER 12 |
| EARL TYE | NOVEMBER 14 |
| ELLEN CASSILLY | NOVEMBER 15 |
| WOLFGANG JOKLIK | NOVEMBER 16 |
| EARL DOWELL | NOVEMBER 16 |
| ERNIE MILLS, SR. | NOVEMBER 18 |
| ANDY ESSER | NOVEMBER 22 |
| LYNN RICHARDSON | NOVEMBER 24 |
| JACK HUGHES | NOVEMBER 24 |
| DOUG KOENIG | NOVEMBER 28 |
| BEATRICE PARKER | NOVEMBER 28 |
| SHERIDAN VAN WAGENBERG | NOVEMBER 29 |

PENDING NEW MEMBERS:

SAVANNAH LENNERTZ
(Sponsored By Guy Solie)
INDUCTION DATE: NOVEMBER 6, 2017

2017-2018 ROTARY LEADERSHIP

RI President: Ian H. S. Riseley
District Governor: Shafi Parekh
ADG-Area 7: Susan Ross

2017-2018 Club Officers

President: Seth Jernigan
Immediate Past-President: B. C. Dash
President-Elect: Brady Surles
Vice-President: Shelly Green
Secretary: Emilee Collins
Treasurer: Geri Lail
Sergeant-at-Arms: Stan Morris
Finance Advisor: Barry Curtis
Legal Advisor: Deana Labriola

2017-2018 Board of Directors

Marge Nordstrom (2015-2018)
Danielle Kaspar (2015-2018)
John Cross (2015-2018)
Desmond Miller (2016-2019)
Dave Ross (2016-2019)
Arles Taylor (2016-2019)
Steed Rollins (2017-2020)
Keith Artin (2017-2020)
Kim Shaw (2017-2020)

Club Website Master

Jay Zenner, Designer; Updates

The Napierville story, however, was the impetus for a developing research interest. Napierville had an increasingly large percentage of young children, five to nine years old. His research led him to conclude that better schools were a powerful inducement for families to move. In fact, he concluded that school choice was a more powerful motivator than work location. People were more concerned about their children's commutes than their own.

His research has led him to compare communities whose percentages of young children were increasing compared with communities whose young populations were declining, and to figure out where people were moving. Kansas City was one example he cited for a declining percentage of young children. Atlanta was another. Fewer people live in Atlanta today than in 1966. The Greater Metropolitan Area – on the other hand --- has exploded. Neighboring Orange County is seeking a growth in the number of families with young children while Durham is losing similar families. He concludes the key to this is how communities and families value education.

Other examples include Vermont, a State which has 200 school districts of which 73 have no schools. Instead, the latter districts provide tuition for families to use to send their children to schools of their choice. Santa Ana, California, was another example he cited. When a neighboring school district decided to close down its highly successful arts immersion curriculum, Santa Ana, a community with a very large minority demographic, jumped at the chance to obtain the program. The result has been a revitalized downtown, increased property values, and, according to Forbes Magazine, the fourth safest city in America. Charter schools were so popular in Florida that the legislature changed the State's laws to allow developers to reserve fifty per cent of the seats in the charter schools they established.

As President Seth pointed out in conclusion, schools are not just an education issue, but a development issue as well.

Submitted By: Allen Cronenberg

ROTARIAN FELLOWSHIP

**WELCOME OUR
 NEWEST MEMBER!!
 STEVE HANCOCK,
 SPONSORED BY
 PAST-PRESIDENT,
 KAY GRESHAM**



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