



**Make Dreams Real**

**Club Meeting  
Recap for  
May 11**



THE  
**OIL CAN**

Lubricator of Columbus Rotary  
Founded December 2, 1924

**COLUMBUS ROTARY**  
P.O. Box 1091, Columbus, IN 47201  
MONDAY 11:45 A.M. – DONNER CENTER  
Rotary District #6580

**SERVICE Above Self**

President-Elect Ted called the meeting to order.

Marti gave the invocation after the club recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

**GUESTS:**

Julie introduced our guest today, Don Michael, to the club.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

Today, President-Elect Ted gave us a great quote on aging by Will Rogers:

Some people try to turn back to odometers. Not me, I want people to know “why” I look this way. I’ve traveled a long way and some of the roads weren’t paved.

The GSE team made the front page of the paper for their travels! Rotary also received a thank you letter from one of the schools who received the “I like Me” books and the kids in the class signed it. The letter was given to Jeff.

This Saturday, Pete King will be at the Columbus Learning Center where the District Assembly will be held from 9:30 AM - 3:00 PM.

**FELLOWSHIP:**

- Troy and company gave a hilarious fellowship regarding the trunk monkey! If you have no idea what this is, it is a bunch of clips of a.... Trunk Monkey! Follow the link below to watch this:  
<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8avOiTUcD4Y>

They also showed a clip of a rejected way to get through investing in these economic times. Sorry... can't find a link to this.

- Tom and July honored **Jim Bickel** with a Paul Harris Fellowship! Jim has done an amazing job with getting the hospital back in shape after the flood. They also read a letter he wrote regarding the flood and how well it was handled, and he thanked the community for its support through the difficult

time. When Jim spoke after receiving his award, he was very surprised and very grateful.

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**May Birthdays**

- May 1 ..... Warren Baumgart
- May 2 ..... Hedy George
- May 3 ..... Harold Force
- May 8 ..... Ian Kohen
- May 12 ..... Mark Lindenlaub
- May 16 ..... George Dutro
- May 16 ..... Bob Woodruff
- May 17 ..... Julie Abedian
- May 17 ..... Mark Thompson
- May 19 ..... Keith Reising
- May 28 ..... Sherry Stark

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RECAP continued...

**PROGRAM:**

Jim also brought us our program today. We looked at where the hospital is close to one year after the great flood, and it has come a long way! It is not quite at 100%, but they are still offering services. Jim started by thanking his great team that has helped get the hospital back up and running well. The Executive team, the Trustees, and all leadership within the hospital did an incredible job!

Jim showed a view of the hospital the day after the flood and water was everywhere! There were feet upon feet of water in the parking lot and in the hospital basement. By January 2009, the Cardiology area, the Radiology area, and the sleep lab were open. By April of 2009, the majority of the first floor was back to its final condition. The only area not yet ready is the cafeteria. There are currently no walls yet in the basement (think open roller-skating rink) and it will take the remainder of 2010 to finish the basement.

The elevators in the lobby are not working and there is a temporary

floodwall protecting the loading dock. This wall is not completely water tight, but it should slow the water enough so that the water that does make it through can simply be pumped out. The new and improved gift shop is also open!

There have been some improvements made in the renovations of the hospital. There is now a private patient registration area instead of an open space to provide more confidentiality. The Lung Institute has expanded as well and there is new automated lab equipment. The pharmacy also has its robot back in place to fill prescriptions. This was a pain because it was being done by hand. This saves a lot of time. The hospital also has a permanent PET/CT scanner instead of a portable one that was brought in previously.

One year later, the hospital will be having events to signify the year after the flood. Indiana's Governor will also be on hand to have a press conference. There will be a picnic for all volunteers and staff and each department will prepare a two-page scrapbook to show how they participated in getting their

department back up and running. All of these pages will go into a huge hospital scrapbook.

There was a total of 178 million dollars in losses because of the flood. Funds currently received to offset the losses are approximately 115 million dollars, leaving a gap of approximately 63 million dollars. Potential funding could add up to 44.1 million dollars, which would leave the gap at 18.9 million dollars. There are other areas of funding the hospital is looking into, such as the stimulus monies and Federal Government appropriations.

The patient volume has not diminished since reopening the hospital. The in/out patient volume has been strong and so has the emergency department patients. The hospital has also hired additional physicians in 2009 including, but not limited to, a surgeon, a medical Oncologist, an Emergency Room Physician, and an OB/GYN.

## ATTENDANCE POLICY

You must maintain sixty (60) percent attendance to retain membership in Rotary. For a listing of "Make-up" sites throughout the district, please refer to the back of your Club Directory. If traveling, be sure to take our club banner to exchange with a visiting club. If you are traveling outside the state (or country), contact the Club President for meeting locations throughout the world. You are welcome at any Rotary Club!

### AREA CLUBS MEETING DATES AND TIMES FOR MAKE-UPS

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|-----------------------|---|---------------------------|---|
| ■ <b>Bloomington</b>  | Tues. 12:00 . . . . . Indiana Memorial Union  | ■ <b>Bloomington N</b>    | Thurs. 12:00 . . . . . I.U. Memorial U Bldg.. |
| ■ <b>Brown County</b> | Thurs. 7:30 am . . . Artist Colony, Nashville | ■ <b>Greensburg</b>       | Mon. 12:00 . . . . . Greensburg Country Club  |
| ■ <b>Seymour</b>      | Mon. 12:00 . . . . . Elks Lodge               | ■ <b>Columbus Sunrise</b> | Fri. 7:00 am . . . . . Donner Center          |



**PROGRAM  
SCHEDULE**



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**MAY**

MAY 4	PAUL BIPPEN	Rotary GSE Team / Boys (and Girls) in Brazil
MAY 11	JULIE ABEDIAN	Jim Bickel / CRH - One Year Later Comments - Fellowship: The Forman Group
MAY 18	MARK PILLAR	John Walter / Remember? Taking a Look Back at The Air Museum Comments - Fellowship: Mark Pillar
MAY 25	MEMORIAL DAY	NO MEETING

**JUNE**

JUNE 1	MAC McCORRY	Virginia Defourneaux - Polio Eradication Comments - Fellowship: Brad Gonsalves
JUNE 8	TOM PICKETT	Mary Clare King - Musical Tribute to Cole Porter
JUNE 15	MARK PILLAR	Mary Ellen Anable - Your Local Red Cross at Work
JUNE 22		Mark and John Elwood - The Job Market in Today's Economy
JUNE 29	IAN KOHEN	Board Members - Toasting / Roasting of Mac

**THE FOUR WAY TEST OF THE THINGS WE THINK, SAY OR DO:**

Rotary's motto  
**SERVICE**  
Above Self

- FIRST: Is it the Truth?
- SECOND: Is it Fair to all concerned?
- THIRD: Will it Build Good-will and Better Friendships?
- FOURTH: Will it be Beneficial to all concerned?



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### INVOCATIONS AND COLUMBUS ROTARY

Rotary members will be asked to give the invocation at meetings in alphabetical order, as we have occasionally done in the past. Please confirm the week prior to your turn. If you are unable to attend the meeting which you are responsible for delivering the invocation, please swap with another member who will be in attendance. A couple thoughts to bear in mind as your turn arrives:

- America is the most religious of Western countries. America is also the most religiously diverse of all Western countries.
- While rendered in each member's religious tradition, Rotary invocations should be inclusive rather than exclusive.
- Our goal is to invite all to partake at God's table while informing Rotary members about different traditions of giving invocations.

In short, we ask you to refrain from proselytizing your fellow Rotary members and their guests.

Questions? Talk to Ted Ogle, phone 343-2073.

#### The object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster:

1. The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;
2. High ethical standards in business and professions; the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations; and the dignifying by each Rotarian of his occupation as an opportunity to serve society;
3. The application of the ideal of service by every Rotarian to his personal, business and community life;
4. The advancement of international understanding, good will, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional men and women united in the ideal of service.

### INVOCATIONS SCHEDULE

May 4	Marty Arnett
May 11	Dan Arnholt
May 18	Dennis Aud
May 25	Holiday
June 1	Dave Barker
June 8	Warren Baumgart
June 15	Linda Behrman
June 22	Jeff Bergman
June 29	Jim Bickel

If you have updated information for the Oilcan... please send it to [mfreeman@pentzerprinting.com](mailto:mfreeman@pentzerprinting.com)

## 2008-09 BOARD

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