

MARCH PROGRAMS



# Literacy Month

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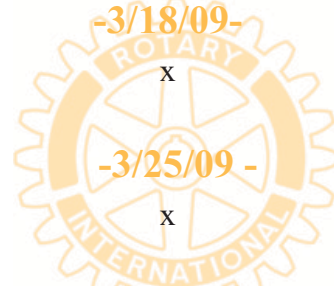
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**Other Rotary Happenings**

9-15: (2009) World Rotaract Week

15: Deadline to submit applications to district governor for the External Relations Best Cooperative Projects Award & Significant Achievement Award

27-28 (2009): Presidential Membership Conference (Baltimore, Maryland, USA)

**Charter Night**



Our club recently enjoyed a fabulous Charter Night at the Hampton Yacht club with its stunning view of sailboats in their slips and the Hampton skyline. Conversation flowed as members and spouses grazed on hors d'oeuvres and sipped their favorite beverages before a tasty buffet dinner. Charter Night celebrates the founding of the Virginia Peninsula Rotary Club in 1976.



A highlight of the evening was the recognition of recent Paul Harris Fellows. Past District Governor Jim Pierce assisted our club's Rotary Foundation chairs Adrian Marshall and Richard Blackwell in handing out PHF certificates, medallions and pins. Several current Paul Harris Fellows received additional sapphires. Joan and Leonard Aaron, Abe Firestone, Neal Garrett and Ann and Tom Hunnicutt

each got their first sapphires. Tom Morris and Diane Hagemann received their second sapphires. New Paul Harris Fellows are Rob Carmines, Gail Pearce, Jim Haggard, Drew Hagemann, spouse of Rotarian Diane; and Lucinda Cronenberg, spouse of Rotarian Allen .



**Great News About Jim Pierce**

After serving as District Governor with distinction, Jim Pierce has been appointed to Zone, regional and international positions. RI President Elect John Kenny (Scotland) appointed Jim as Zone Coordinator for the Rotary Water Resource Group. Rotary is committed to improving safe water and sanitation facilities in an effort to combat the deaths of 5,000 children a day who succumb to these unhealthy conditions. Also, Jim has been appointed by Past RI President Glenn Estess as the Assistant Regional



Rotary Foundation Coordinator for the 242 Rotary clubs in Virginia and Maryland. Finally, RI President D.K. Lee has appointed Jim and Suki to represent him at a District meeting in Seoul, Korea. Among Jim's responsibilities will be to make three speeches, one of which will be in Korean. Fortunately, Jim has a good coach. Congratulations to Jim and Suki!

**Welcome Back**

We are delighted to welcome Staci Hicks back to our club after taking some maternity time off. We value Staci's commitment to Rotary and the community. Cap Neilson is Staci's sponsor.



**Unable to attend regular club meeting?**

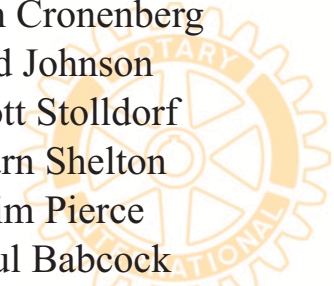
Makeups at nearby clubs are easy and fun. Here is a list of local Rotary clubs with day, time and location of their meetings:

- Newport News, Tuesday 12:00, James River Country Club, 1500 Country Club Rd.
- Oyster Point of Newport News, Friday 7:30 a.m., Christopher Newport University
- Hampton, Thursday 6:30 p.m. Radisson Hotel
- Warwick, Monday 6:30 p.m., Hilton Women's Club, Main Street, Newport News
- Yorktown, Wednesday 6:30 p.m., Bill's Seafood

MARCH BIRTHDAYS



Danny Carroll	3/8
Allen Cronenberg	3/8
Ed Johnson	3/11
Scott Stoll Dorf	3/12
Karn Shelton	3/18
Jim Pierce	3/20
Paul Babcock	3/23
Adrian Marshall	3/28



## THE 4-WAY TEST



From the earliest days of the organization, Rotarians were concerned with promoting high ethical standards in their professional lives. One of the world's most widely printed and quoted statements of business ethics is The 4-Way Test, which was created in 1932 by Rotarian Herbert J. Taylor. Adopted by Rotary in 1943, The 4-Way Test asks:

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?

## CLUB INFORMATION



### Membership & Attendance

Total Members at the end of the month: 65  
 Average Attendance: 758.46%  
 Number of Meetings held in the month: 4 of 4

### Club Finances

Assets	
BB&T of Va Operating Account	\$ 39,583.57
Certificate of Deposit	\$ 5,647.74
Club Pen Inventory	\$ 690.00
Computing Equipment	\$ 361.99
Member's Current Accounts	\$ 3,824.00
Martin Gracey Award Fund	\$ 9,162.29
Total Assets	\$ 59,269.59
Liabilities	
Carmen Lyra Project School Fund	\$ 9,162.29
Boundless Playground Commitment	\$ 3,500.00
Wounded Warriors	\$ 343.33
PHF Clearing	\$ 4,707.00
Martin Gracey Award Liability	\$ 9,162.29
Total Liabilities	\$ 19,212.62
Net Assets	\$ 40,056.97

\* As of 2/28/09

## PENWHEEL STAFF



Leonard Aaron  
 Danny Carroll  
 Allen Cronenberg  
 Abe Firestone

## PENINSULA ROTARY CLUB ROSTER



✖ Joan Aaron	✖ Leonard Aaron	✖ Sally James Andrews
★ Shawn Avery	☆ Paul Babcock	☆ Catherine Bacon
☆ Keith Bales	★ Mike Barton	★ Richard Blackwell
★ Alvin Bryant	★ Robert Carmines	★ Danny Carroll
★ Jeff Clemons	★ Allen Cronenberg	v Jamie Dodd
★ Arthur Dister	★ Janet Lee Dupont	✖ Charles Edmonson
★ Peter Faucher	★ Kim Feinbauer	✖ Abe Firestone
◇ John Frantz	★ Francine Gagne	✖ Neal Garrett
◇ Diane Hagemann	★ Jimmy Haggard	☆ Frank Haislip
◇ Lanny Hinson	✖ Ann Hunnicutt	✖ Tom Hunnicutt
● Ed Johnson	★ Joe Johnson	☆ Robert B. Jones, Jr.
★ Adrian Marshall	☆ Elizabeth McCoury	★ Jeff Mendelsohn
★ David Miller	☆ Catherine Miller	★ Glenn Morris
◇ Tom Morris	★ Tom Morris III	† Cap Neilson
★ Gail Pearce	† James Pierce	★ Gregory Richardson
★ L.J. Richman, Jr.	★ Al Roosendaal	★ Patrick Russo
☆ Dan Shultz	☆ Karen Shelton	☆ Rob Shuford, Jr.
★ Ray Spencer	☆ Jeff Stodghill	☆ Scott Stollendorf
★ Ned Spencer	★ Susan Strehle	★ Dick Summerville
☆ Paul Szabo	★ Linda Thornhill	★ Howard Waters
★ Harvey Weinstein	◇ Dwight Wolf	★ Roger Wolfe
★ Kevin Yeargin		

## PAUL HARRIS NON-MEMBERS

★ Nancy Adams	★ Margaret Mendelsohn
★ Douglas R. Browning	★ Carolyn Morris
★ Lucinda Cronenberg	★ Linda Neilson
★ Frances Glenn DeLoach	★ Jay Pierce
★ Barbara Dister	★ Suki Pierce
★ Susan Edmonson	★ Sheri Gayle Richman
★ Ernestine Firestone	^ Boo Williams ('93)
★ Jermina C. Glenn (dec)	^ Bobby Freeman ('03)
★ Phyllis N. Glenn	^ Paul Tribble ('02)
★ Caroline Goodson	^ Margaret Yancey ('97)
★ Margaret Goodson	^ Jane Susan Frank ('96)
★ Marion Gracey	^ Gen. Michael Loh ('95)
★ Clarence E. Hinson (dec)	^ Walter Segaloff ('94)
★ Andrew Hagemann	^ Harry Wason ('06)
★ Rita Johnson	

☆ Paul Harris Sustaining ★ Paul Harris Fellowship  
 ✖ Paul Harris Single Sapphire ◇ Paul Harris Double Sapphire  
 ✨ Paul Harris Triple Sapphire † Paul Harris Quadruple Sapphire  
 ● Paul Harris Quintuple Sapphire  
 ^ Honorary Paul Harris Fellowship (L) Lifetime Member

## PAST PRESIDENTS



07 Jeff Clemons	90 Howard Waters
06 Susan Strehle	89 Leonard B. Aaron
05 Tom Morris, Jr.	88 Jeffery L. Mendelsohn
04 Walter "Cap" Neilson	87 Dennis O. Gillikin
03 Diane Hagemann	86 Louis O. Miller, Jr.
02 Ann Hunnicutt	85 Charles E. Behymer
01 Dr. Richard Summerville	84 Charles F. Groom, Jr.
00 Gary (Sonny) Riggs	83 Robert G. Fry, III
99 Jim Pierce	82 James S. G. Davenport
98 Greg Richardson	81 Chris J. Toney, Jr.
97 Evan Peterson	80 Thomas A. Rawls
96 Danny Carroll	79 Dr. Lanny C. Hinson
95 Robert O. H. Mitchell	78 Carl C. Goodson
94 Angela M. Dougherty	77 F. Dudley Fulton, Jr.
93 T. N. Hunnicutt, III	E. B. Barker, Jr.
92 Bruce C. Goodson	76 Howard E. Glenn, Jr.
91 Stephen S. Stone	

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