

MAY PROGRAMS

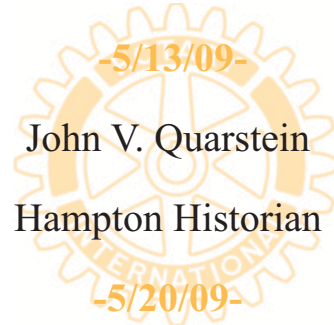


Making Dreams Real ...

-5/6/09-

Lanny C. Hinson, DDS

“Surprise”



John V. Quarstein
Hampton Historian

-5/20/09-

Charlotte Klammer

History of St. Luke’s Church

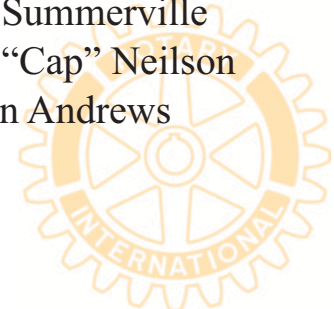
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Martin Gracey Award Presentation

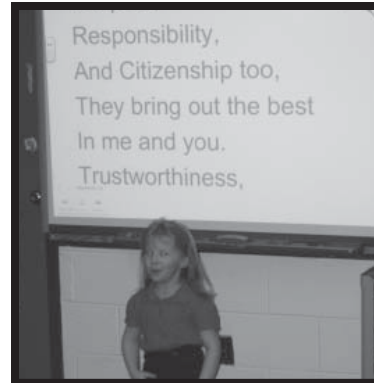
MAY BIRTHDAYS



David Miller	5/5
Dick Summerville	5/20
Walter “Cap” Neilson	5/25
Ann Andrews	5/31



Star Achievers Academy



Our regular meeting was recently held at the Star Achievers Academy where we learned about its unique program designed to provide “students in the middle” with the educational, motivational, and leadership skills to

succeed. Located at the Cooper Elementary Magnet School for Technology in Hampton, the Academy is a public-private partnership between the Hampton City Schools, the YMCA, our Rotary Club and several area businesses, health systems, private citizens and service organizations. The mission at Star Achievers Academy YMCA is to foster the talents and abilities of the “children in the middle”, the often-overlooked average achieving student. The team of gifted teachers and staff believe that all children, given the right support, can learn. Students can attend the school from throughout the city. Cooper is one of Hampton’s most successful magnet schools.



Approximately 400 Hampton students attend the K-5th grade school. Admission is highly competitive; of the 300 applicants, only sixty are admitted each year. Integration of technology into all aspects of learning is the key to developing intellectual curiosity, analytical thinking, reasoning and creativity. Key measures of student achievement and parent satisfaction are a source of great pride at

Cooper.

One hundred percent of its kindergarten students pass the PALS test. Daily attendance is 97 percent. Cooper ranks first among Hampton’s elementary schools with 32,000 books read during the school year.



On our tour of the school we visited open classrooms abuzz with group projects and independent activities.

Ann Andrews



Our club recently welcomed Ann Andrews as a new member into the fellowship and service of Rotary. Ann was born and raised in Fairfax, but became a Tidewater transplant when she arrived at ODU. She worked in the health care

field for thirty years, retired in 2005 whereupon she embarked on a career in real estate with RE/MAX. Ann and her husband, who is a pastor, started HarborPointe Community Church on Mercury Boulevard in 2002. Founded for the purpose of reaching the twenty-somethings, this “blue jeans and flip flops style church,” as Ann describes it, has about

120 congregants ranging from toddlers to 90. Two of her three stepsons and their families, including two grandchildren, live in Hampton. Another, whose wife is awaiting a call in the Lutheran ministry, teaches at Whitworth University in Spokane. We look forward to years of friendship and service with this new Rotarian.

Membership

How do we stop attrition at the club level?
Solution: Retention

(Club Leadership Level)

- ✧INDUCT new members in a meaningful manner
- ✧ORIENT new members
- ✧EDUCATE Rotarians at all membership levels
- ✧INVOLVE Rotarians in all aspects of the club
- ✧CONDUCT vibrant club meetings
- ✧BUILD an enthusiastic mentoring program
- ✧ENCOURAGE exceptional fellowship
- ✧ASSIST financially members in difficulty
- ✧FIFTH TEST (Is it fun for all concerned?)

(Member Level)

- ✧KNOW who new members are
- ✧WELCOME new members
- ✧INTRODUCE new members to other members
- ✧SIT with new members at meetings
- ✧SHARE your Rotary Story
- ✧TALK to new members. Ask about job, family, history
- ✧FOLLOW-UP with new members
- ✧HAVE FUN (if you have fun, others will have fun!)

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

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:	66
Average Attendance:	60.10%
Number of Meetings held in the month:	4 of 4

Club Finances

Assets	
BB&T of Va Operating Account	\$ 42,448.05
Certificate of Deposit	\$ 5,647.74
Martin Gracey Award Fund	\$ 9,177.79
Computing Equipment	\$ 361.99
Club Pen Inventory	\$ 690.00
Member's Current Accounts	\$ 4,070.00
Total Assets	\$ 62,395.57
Liabilities	
Wounded Warriors	\$ 3,500.00
Boundless Playground Commitment	\$ 1,500.00
Carmen Lyra Project School Fund	\$
Martin Gracey Award Liability	\$ 9,177.79
PHF Clearing	\$ 2,615.00
Total Liabilities	\$ 16,792.79
Net Assets	\$ 45,602.78

* As of 4/30/09

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 Feinauer	✖ 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
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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.
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92 Bruce C. Goodson	76 Howard E. Glenn, Jr.
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