



2007-08 RI Theme

Birthdays & Wedding Anniversaries

Birthdays

-Rtn Steve Gruner (13th)

Spouse's Birthdays

-Patti May 30th (Rtn Marc Schulz)
-Caryl 9th (PP Lee Koenig)

Anniversaries

-PE Rob & Tracy Lytle (3rd)
-Rtn Kim & Eric Theller (14th)
-Rtn Bob & Charline Moyer (15th)

Rotary Club of Fremont, Ohio, USA * Chartered April 28, 1926 * Club No. 2332 * District 6600

JUNE IS R.I. DESIGNATED "ROTARY FELLOWSHIPS MONTH"

*A time to increase interest and membership
in one of the dozens Of Rotary Fellowships and celebrate the ideal of service
through common hobbies and professions*

PROGRAM FOR TODAY

Speaker: Ms. Lisa Shuey

Topic: "The Benefits of Yoga and Yoga for Golfers (with demonstrations)"

Rtn-in-charge: Rtn Uwe Jim Banks

Program for June 16, 2008

Speaker– Hosting Organizing Committee

Topic– "MESA Bike Tour Hosting by Fremont Rotary Club"

Rtn-in-charge– Rtn Angelica Rinehart

PROCEEDINGS ON MONDAY – June 02, 2008

VISITING ROTARIANS- n/a

CLUB GUESTS

<i>NAME</i>	<i>Guest of</i>
Ms. Diane Reif	Rtn Connie Durdel
Mr. Dennis Abdo	Rtn Cindy Abdo

CLUB PROCEEDINGS

President Helene called the meeting to order at 12:15 pm. She led members in the Rotary Prayer and followed with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Sgt-at-arms (SAA) Rtn Jim Yeager welcomed all Guests.

HAPPY BUCKS

SAA Rtn Jim has to pay for President Helene dumping over the badge box at the beginning of the meeting.

He collected money from the following members:

Rtn MJ Michaels for taking her badge home with her.

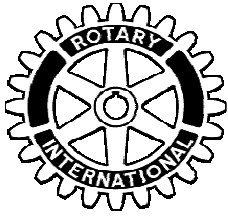
PP Jim Daubel for being back to Fremont.

Rtn Marsha Bordner for a successful Terra Foundation golf outing recently.

Rtn Troy Wildermuth for PostNet's grand opening ceremony this coming Thursday, and for the grand opening party this coming Saturday.
Rtn Marc Schultz for his son getting married.

Rtn Holly Stacy for her son graduating from high school and getting ready to go to college at Cincinnati.

President Helene for her son graduating high school.



Rotary Club of Fremont,
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Forthcoming Events...

JUNE 9th

BOARD MEMBERS – next board meeting is scheduled immediately after regular weekly meeting at Fremont Country Club.

JUNE 15TH

[International Convention - Los Angeles](#)

JULY 2008

[4th Annual MESA bike ride - July 13-19](#)

Fellowship project hits all the right notes

By Maureen Vaught

Rotary International News - 4 June 2008

Music is an integral part of Grenada's culture, and children in Grenada start learning to play instruments at a young age. But when back-to-back hurricanes hit the Caribbean island nation in 2004 and 2005, an unfamiliar silence fell over devastated schools.

The International Fellowship of Rotarian Musicians is bringing the music back. In its debut humanitarian project, it donated US\$2,500 to help rebuild the music program at St. Andrew's Roman Catholic School in Grenville. The school, which serves 500 students ages 5-15, lost all its musical instruments and books in the storms.

"Music inspires us all. It unites our children and enhances their feelings of self-worth and achievement," says Sister Lucy Gabriel, the school's director. The money helped purchase guitars, violins, music stands, and a partial set of steel pans, an important instrument in Caribbean music.

Fellowship member Peter Sotheran, of the Rotary Club of Guisborough & Great Ayton, Cleveland, England, presented the funds to the school in a ceremony last year. He also delivered an additional \$3,000 and 36 secondhand recorders (wind instruments valued at about \$28 each) that his club had collected from donors in England.

"Before I had finished unpacking, the children were experimenting to see what sounds they could produce," says Sotheran, whose club worked with the Rotary Club of Grenada East to rebuild the school's library.

The International Fellowship of Rotarian Musicians was founded in 1972. Its 400 members organize musical performances at Rotary functions, including RI conventions. As part of its mission to promote musical literacy, the group has started funding other school and community projects similar to the one in Grenada.

Join a Rotary Fellowship

The International Fellowship of Rotarian Musicians isn't the only show in town. There are more than 80 Rotary Fellowships. From sports and hobbies to professional interests, these groups draw members from around the world. They're just one more way Rotarians are promoting international fellowship, friendship, and service.

Here is a quick look at four Rotary Fellowships. To see a complete list, go to **Global Networking Groups database**

<http://www.rotary.org/EN/SERVICEANDFELLOWSHIP/FELLOWSHIP/GLOBALNETWORKINGGROUPS/Pages/gngdatabase.aspx>

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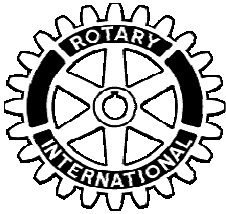
Of the things we think, say or do:

Is it the TRUTH?

Is it FAIR to all concerned?

Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?

Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?



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Rtn Angelica Rinehart

PRESIDENT'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

President Helene made the following announcements:

- 1) ROTARY SHIRT – it is available now, please pick up your order from Rtn Holly Stacy.
- 2) FOUNDATION BOARD MEETING – Board Members were reminded to attend the meeting on June 9, Monday.
- 3) PAST PRESIDENTS MEETING – Past Presidents were reminded that the next meeting is June 10, Tuesday. The meeting venue is Tech Center hosted by PP Denny Newman.

- 4) HEALTH RISK ASSESSMENT – PP Al Gorman provided the final reminder to Rotarians to complete the health risk assessment.
- 5) Rtn Julie Kreilick passed around the sign up for Rotarians to participate in the "service club olympics" to be held at the downtown farmer's market on Sept 20. \$500 will be donated to the winning service club's favorite charity. Also, Julie has classic car registration forms for the car show at the June 21 farmers market.
- 6) INCOMING BOARD MEETING – PE Rob Lytle reminded his team to stay back after lunch meeting.

Fremont Rotary PRAYER

(written by William B. Gavitt)

**Almighty Father,
whose bounteous love
has brought us to this
time and place,
Grant that we may
serve Thee by service
to others,
Bless this food,
our club and our
program to this end
Amen**

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

**I pledge allegiance to
the Flag of the United
States of America
and to the Republic
for which it stands
one Nation under
God, indivisible
with Liberty and
Justice for all**

PROGRAM OF THE DAY

Speaker – Rtn Uwe Eickert
Topic – “Valuing and Selling A Business; Techniques to increase sales value”

President Helene invited PP Bill Goad introduced the speaker, Rtn Uwe Eickert.

Rtn Uwe is a resident of Fremont who recently received his Masters degree from The Ohio State University and has successfully sold 5 businesses profitably within the past eight years.

Rtn Uwe spoke to the club on the topic of "Valuing and Selling a business". He discussed company valuation techniques, buyer synergy premiums,

asset or stock purchases, purchasing a business using cash or stock, and tax consequences. Key factors in pricing a deal from a buyer's perspective would include cost savings, revenue enhancement, process improvements, financial engineering and tax benefits.

One integral part in buying or selling a business is to have a third party negotiator. The tips Rtn Uwe gave when selling a business, is for the seller to lower inventory, build up cash, streamline work processes, analyze bonus and raise processes, and to analyze your customer base and go after the highest margin niches.

President Helene thanked Rtn Uwe with a gift as a token of appreciation.

Lottery Winner

Payout was \$13.00
Winner – PP Al Gorman
Good news – The Queen of Spades lives; it's worth \$254.00!

Secret Hand Shaker

There was NO secret hand shaker at this lunch meeting.