

The Battlefielder

ROTARY CLUB OF GETTYSBURG, PA

Weekly Bulletin— July 9, 2007



NEXT MEETING — JULY 16
Gettysburg Hotel— Noon

Representative Dan Moul
Legislative Update

LAST MEETING — JULY 9

After giving us a brief history of “You’re a Grand Old Flag,” Carey Moore led us in a spirited rendition of that George M. Cohan favorite.

Jennifer Railing brought the invocation that related to our country’s founding and to the Battle of Gettysburg, both of whose anniversaries we commemorated this past week.

Scott Wehler presented three community groups with funds derived from our Capital Steps effort. Scott presented a \$1000 to Kathy Nelson-Small for the **United Way of Adams County**, \$600 to Nancy Forgang for the **Meals and More Program**, and \$1000 to Megan Shreve for **SCCAP**.

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Hooray for Norris Flowers who also had a successful Heritage Days

FOURTH QUARTER MAKE-UPS

- Crawford, Parmentier, Wehler - 04/14 - District Conference
- Mosser - 04/23—
- Jennifer Railing - 04/24, 05/01, 06/12 - all at New Oxford
- Bill Railing - 04/24, 05/01 - all at New Oxford

DID YOU KNOW?

The District Governor for 2007-2008 is Dennis A. Kovacevich from Hanover.

PRESIDENT MARK GRIM LAUNCHES THE NEW ROTARY YEAR

Mark Grim, with 28 years of Marine Corps experience and flexibility, assumed command of the troops for the 2007-2008 Rotary year. Helen Redding, Assistant District Governor, formally swore Mark in as this year’s president. Helen and Mark then inducted incoming officers and lane directors. See pictures below.



“ROTARY SHARES”

President Mark, in referencing the 2007-2008 RI slogan of “Rotary Shares,” called on Rotarians to offer their time, talents, expertise, and compassion, as well as their treasure in a commitment to continue to help those in our community who need us. President Grim announced the names of those Rotarians who are taking leadership of many of our programs this year. He called on us as Rotarians to give our full support to these endeavors as we have in the past.



MARK’S GOALS FOR THE YEAR

President Mark has formulated five major goals for his year as president:

- (1) increase club membership by +6 members;
- (2) continue to support the Rotary Foundation at a level of \$100 per member;
- (3) seek to strengthen interclub communication and cooperation;
- (4) increase community awareness of Rotary;
- (5) and have **FUN**.

**REPORTED THIS WEEK BY
BOB GOUGH
THANK YOU!**



YEAH!

CONGRATULATIONS

Mark's first pleasurable task was to present **PERFECT ATTENDANCE AWARDS**

- Jennifer Railing 3 years
 - Ken Farabaugh, 19 years,
 - Bill Railing, an **incredible 42 years!**
- Congratulations to each of you.

Make it your goal to get your perfect attendance award next year. This is a brand new Rotary year so start NOW! Make-ups are easy and fun and will give you the opportunity to create new friendships from other areas. Check the website— www.gettysburgrotary.org —for the list of locations for make-ups. Please call the Railings if you have any questions about procedures for a make-up. (344-1205 — wailing@gettysburg.edu)

BY THE WAY—

We thank Florence Tarbox for keeping our website current! (Be sure to look at it.) Good job, Flo. However, Flo is begging for up to date, new material as it becomes available. She would welcome help from Officers, Committee members and any Rotarian. She is well aware that some items need to be changed and asks for your help. (*Directly from Flo, currently in California!*)



WEAR YOUR BADGE!

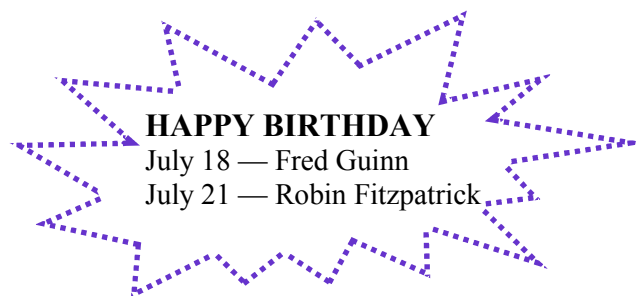
Each week John Kresky and Roger Williams arrange the name badges for us to pick up. Let's show our appreciation for their work by wearing your badge at each meeting.

You may know all the members, but *they* might not know you! Let's get to know each other better. Knowing the name of the Rotarian next to you at the food buffet or seated next to you is a great way to start promoting Fellowship in the club.

If you prefer, "necklaces" are available, just ask for one. We have a limited supply but will gladly order more if needed.

A MEMBER IN THE NEWS

Many Happy Bucks were in honor of Kelly Dilts who was recently recognized by the Pennsylvania Bar Association for her "pro bono" work with the MidPenn Legal Services. Kelly credits her employer, Bob McQuaide for allowing her to take the pro bono cases. Nice going, Kelly and Bob!



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

July 18 — Fred Guinn

July 21 — Robin Fitzpatrick

JOKE OF THE WEEK

Kib Roulette offered this one. If you can beat it, email us—sheenej@comcast.net



Q—"What did #2 say to #3 about unruly #6?"

A—"Just a product of our times."

WE MISSED YOU....

Birkner, Defuge, Dombrowsky, Hankey, Hans, Hanson, Hoch, Kough, Leshner, Lonky, McQuaide, Moul, Murphy, Musselman, Patrono, Peters, Peterson, Powley, Rappoldt, Ritter, Starkey, Tarbox, VanMeerbeke, Wagaman, and Weintraub