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**February 4, 2004**

## Next Week at Rotary...

Joel Schrader will be the speaker at the next Rotary meeting. Joel is owner and designer of Joel Schrader Web Design in Frankfort, which opened in June 2000. He has created and managed web sites for both commercial and political interests. Examples include frankfortgrandtheatre.org, kentuckybooks.com, and belleviewcondo.com.



Joel was Senior Duty Officer at the 24-Hour Operation Center, Central Intelligence Agency Langley, Virginia. He managed an 11-person team responsible for providing all-source information on national security matters to the Director of the Central Intelligence Agency.

He also provided accurate, comprehensive, and timely all-source information on national security matters to Director of the Central Intelligence Agency; filtered and processed time-critical incoming classified information for delivery to senior Agency officials, key Intelligence Community officers and other US Government agencies; managed quick turnaround responses to field operatives in support of crisis situations such

as terrorist attacks, drug interdiction, and foreign military actions; and trained staff officers in 24-hour Watch Office procedures.

Joel was Senior Duty Officer, CIA Representative in the White House Situation Room, National Security Council (NSC) in Washington, DC from January 1998 to March 2000. There he managed a 4-person team responsible for preparing summaries of world events for officials; briefed top White House and NSC officials on breaking foreign events; coordinated the President's telephone calls to other world leaders and acted as note-taker.

Associations include: Leadership Frankfort Program, Frankfort-Area Chamber of Commerce, Bridgeport Ruritan Club and the Frankfort Kiwanis Club.

## Welcome

### New Member! !

Name: Fred Snyder  
Address: 132 Country Lane  
Frankfort, KY 40601  
Hm: 695-5573  
Classification:  
Government - Administrator



## Scholarship Committee

Thanks to the following Rotarians who recently served on the Scholarship Committee: Nancy Edwards (chair), Ed Dance, Don Dykman, Ed Speer, Joe Johnson, Bob Johnston, Ruth Leathers, Jim Wolcott, and Richard Taylor.

## Congratulations

Congratulation to fellow Rotarian Kim Richardson on the birth of her new baby girl, born 2/4/04. Mom and daughter are doing fine.

## Happy Birthday...

... to John Callaway, William Elam, Kim Richardson, Shirrell Smith, Tom Utterback, Dave Weller and Tyler West, who celebrate their birthdays on February.

Opening Exercise ..... Tom Fugate Greeter. .... Jim Wolcott

## Make-ups for Jan. 28

Thomas Adkins      Jim Smith  
Chuck Ellestad      Sherrill Smith  
Jim Graves      Frank Sower  
Beth Johnson      Pete Walsh  
Stacy Lamb      David Weller  
Terry Shockley

Attendance Percentage: 85.98%

## These Need Make-ups for Feb. 4

Larry Arnett      Wallace Kent  
Terry Barnes      Sallie Lanham  
Ron Bryant      Ann Maenza  
Preston Cecil      Hub Perdw  
Frank Dailey      Kim Richardson  
Ed Dance      Tim Rose  
Ron Fraass      Joe Rudder  
Tom Fugate      John Shasky  
Steven Gale      James Shepherd  
Robert Goodwin      Len Shirrell  
Polly Green      Frank Sower  
Alan Hamilton      Tom Utterback  
Christina Harrison      Steven Vincent  
Ed Hatchett, Jr.      Pete Walsh  
Beth Johnson      Sheila White  
David Keller

## This Week's Speaker...

The speaker for the day was Ron Crouch of the Kentucky State Data Center. He spoke about the major changes taking place in our society and how we are today an inverted pyramid when it comes to the aging of our population. 15 countries of the European Union are at 15% below the replacement rate. While reality changes, perceptions do not. For example, the two most Catholic countries in Europe, Spain and Italy, have the lowest population growth rates and Kentucky is no longer "barefoot and pregnant." When politicians speak about bringing back young people, they are talking about people who were never born. It is a myth that there

is a "brain drain" because, after the baby boom generation, population growth was much smaller and teen pregnancy rates went down. Teens are more responsible than we think they are. We must spend time thinking more about the important issues. For example, while young people are generally not in danger at schools, over 2,000 were killed by parents or caregivers and over 8,000 were killed in traffic accidents last year. We need to put drivers' education instead of metal detectors in the schools. He spoke of major shifts, which include:

- (1) The United States is experiencing a major demographic revolution. We need more immigrants.
- (2) Diversity by race and by age are both critical issues. The biggest challenge we face is an aging population and we may have to redefine the word "old."
- (3) The "middle-aging," not the aging of our population is now taking place. The aging of our population is a decade or more off.
- (4) Major changes are taking place in our households and families.
- (5) There are major regional differences across the United States.
- (6) Our economy is changing, and we are not prepared for the new knowledge economy.
- (7) Bubba is in trouble whether he is white, black, or brown.
- (8) Births to unmarried mothers and children at risk are major challenges. 34% of children in Franklin County are born to mothers out of wedlock.
- (9) The costs of an aging society are unsustainable and we need to rethink the concept of "old." We do not have an expanding workforce. This is not necessarily good or bad news but this is just a change to which we need to adjust. Most of the population increase is in the 45-54-age bracket. We need to plan for the future.
- (10) We have a "sick care" system masquerading as a "health care system." On the positive side, the high number of high school graduates is good news for Kentucky's future and particularly in Franklin County. However, there is a shrinking population of young people to take care of older people. We will need an increasing number of younger African-Americans and Hispanics to take care of an aging population. Thank you Ron Crouch for a very stimulating and thought-provoking program, and Rene Siria for introducing it.

## Relay for Life

The Frankfort Rotary Club is a Lap Sponsor for Relay for Life. The kick-off is at the Carter House, February 10 at 5:30 PM. The Relay will be May 14-15 at Lakeview Park. Please consider being a sponsor and see Bill Leroy or Joe Johnson for further information.

## Program Chair

Robert Roach will be the new program chair for May following the absence of the previous selected Rotarian. If you have any suggestions for speakers please contact Robert Hm# 875-5280 or wk# 695-0744.

## Board Action

The board approved new member Ray Stewart contingent upon on no negative response after publication in the newsletter.

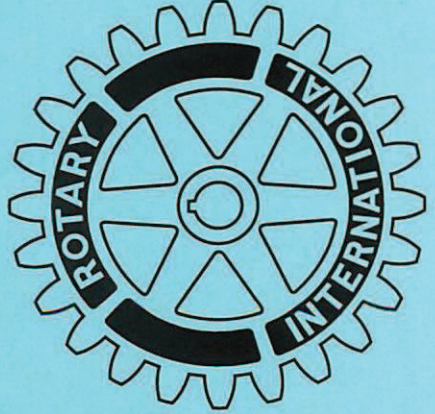
## Calendar of Important Events

*(Committee Chairs should notify Paula Rarden of upcoming meetings)*

New Member Orientation will be 12:00 noon on Friday, February 13, at the RB Brown Building.

Board of Directors meeting February 16, 2004 at 5:15 p.m., RB Brown building on Louisville Rd.

Rotary International Dinner will be February 26, 2004.



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**Next Week at Rotary...**

**Joanne K. Glasser**

**President, Eastern Kentucky University**

Joanne Glasser is the 10th President of Eastern Kentucky University, a century-old comprehensive university of nearly 16,000 students and 90,000 alumni, with its main campus located in Richmond and extended campuses in Corbin, Danville, and Manchester.



Since assuming the presidency Oct. 29, 2001, President Glasser has become a recognized leader in higher education across Kentucky and the nation and as a president of "firsts."

Not only is she EKVU's first female president, but as Vice Chair of the Ohio Valley Conference's Presidents this year, Joanne Glasser became a member of the OVC's first female leadership team. This leadership role for President Glasser also represents the first time in NCAA history that women have held the top two leadership positions of a Division I conference in the same year.

EKVU's new vision statement perhaps best states Joanne Glasser's dream for EKVU: "Eastern Kentucky University will be the leading comprehensive university in the Commonwealth of Kentucky, earning national distinction, where students come first."

A native of Baltimore, Maryland, President Glasser brings to Eastern nearly 30 years of executive level experience within the areas of public higher education, government, and legal affairs. Before joining EKVU, President Glasser served as Executive Vice President at Towson University in Maryland. There, she developed award-winning programs in fundraising, public relations, marketing, and alumni relations. She also planned and developed Towson's highly successful \$17.5 million capital campaign, the first major campaign in the institution's history. She is planning a similar effort for EKVU beginning in 2003-04.

President Glasser holds a Bachelor of Arts Degree from George Washington University; a Juris Doctorate Degree from The University of Maryland School of Law; and a Certificate from the Harvard Graduate School of Education's Institute of Education Management.

She is the mother of two children, Jared, 27, and Jacqueline, 17.

Opening Exercise ..... Bob Bullock  
Greeter ..... Jim Smith

**Board Action**

The Board approved new members Harold Fletcher, Reid Myers and Thomas Salisbury contingent upon no negative response after publication in the newsletter.

Approved extending leave-of-absence for Jim Shepherd until 3/30/04.

Approved leave-of-absence for Kim Richardson from 2/4/04 to 5/4/04.

Approved leave-of-absence for Sallie Lanham from 2/4/04 to 4/7/04.

**CORRECTION**

Fellow Rotarians Robert Roach will be April 2004 Program Chair.  
May will be William Elam and June will be Ron Bryant.

**Make-ups for Feb. 4**

Ed Dance  
Polly Green  
Hub Perdew  
Len Shirrell  
Frank Sower  
Pete Walsh

Attendance Percentage: 80.00%

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Larry Arnett  
Bobbye Brown  
Bob Bullock  
Preston Cecil  
Monte Chance  
Frank Dailey  
Ed Dance  
Charles Dickinson  
Bob Dollase  
Steve Dooley  
Nancy Edwards  
William Elam  
Ron Fraass  
Robert Goodwin  
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Wallace Kent  
Ann Maenza  
E. Terry Magel  
Carol Palmore  
John Palmore  
Robert Roach  
Joe Rudder  
John Shasky  
Nancy Simon  
Sherrill Smith  
Frank Sower  
Tom Utterback  
Steven Vincent  
Richard Watkins  
Sheila White  
Bill Wingfield

**This Week's Speaker...**

The speaker for the day was Joel Schrader, who spoke about merger of city and county governments. He stated that even upon merger, the positions of county judge, constables, sheriff and county clerk will remain. The school systems are not affected. Also not affected will be the tourist commission and the development authority. The Urge to Merge group last year studied what it would take to merge the governments so Franklin County and the City of Frankfort can speak with one voice to the legislature. Often the fact that local government does not speak with one voice

gives the legislature the excuse not to send money to local government. The issue of merger will be on the ballot this November 2. We will have the opportunity and the chance to vote on a new constitution here at home. It will be on the same ballot along with the presidential election. There are 27 members on the merger commission who are working on a new charter, are equally divided between city and county residents, and come from all walks of life. The four committees on the commission are: (1) Public relations to get the word out; (2) Taxation and services; (3) Personnel and boards; (4) Organization and structure. However, more input is needed from citizens. The commission meets once a week and the subcommittees have 5-15 people on them. Input is needed to: (1) Name the governmental entity; (2) Name the Chief Executive Officer in an attempt to move away from the names mayor and county judge; (3) Will it be a partisan or non-partisan race?; (4) How many elected officers should there be? The consensus on the commission is that the majority should run from districts with some at large positions; (5) What should the terms of the CEO and officers be? Two years may not be long enough and the terms should be staggered if we have longer terms. (6) What should the pay be which should be high enough to attract quality people; (7) How will vacancies be filled in the future? There will be upcoming public forums on February 19 at Peaks Mill School, February 21 at KSU, and February 24 at the Bald Knob School. The final document will be finished at the end of June, which is what you will be voting on. Joel says he does not know how he will vote until he sees the finished document. In responding to questions from the audience, he stated that the Commission is bound by state statute to draft the document in question although the time frame is tight. Joel agrees that he is not interested in fattening the bureaucracy and we need more efficiency and accessibility. Thank you Joel for a very interesting and informative program.

## Board of Directors Meeting

The monthly board meeting will be Monday 2/16/04 at 5:15 p.m. at the RB Brown Building on Louisville Rd.

## District Conference

### Sergeant-at-Arms Needed

Volunteers are still needed to serve as Sergeant-at-Arms at the District Conference April 16 - 18. Only two-hour shifts are planned. A sign-up sheet will be on the outside table at next Wednesday's meeting.

## Rotary International Dinner

Rotary International Dinner will be February 26, 200 with former Governor Martha Layne Collins as the special guest speaker. Contact: Beth Johnson.

## International Programs

1) Tune into Frankfort's Channel 10's Global Connection interview with Dr. Anne Butler and Dr. Gashaw Lake, Professors from KSU, who will discuss "African American History Month: International Linkages." There will be a special emphasis upon Dr. Ralph Bunche, an American and an outstanding UN employee, who won the Nobel Peace Prize. Program airs on Tuesday, Feb. 17 at 7 p.m. and Wednesday, Feb. 18 at 9 a.m.

2) The Frankfort Chapter United Nations Association of the USA will continue this interesting discussion about Dr. Ralph Bunche at its monthly meeting on Monday, Feb. 23 at 7:30 p.m. at KSU's Alumni House. Dr. Butler and Dr. Lake will be the main speakers, along with a very unique videotape. It is free and open to the public.

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### Meeting Change!

**There will be no Wednesday, Feb. 25 meeting, and there will be no sign-in sheet.** If you aren't attending the International Dinner they you will need to do a make-up.

### Rotary International Dinner

The Frankfort Rotary Club Rotary International Dinner will be next week instead of our regular meeting on February 26 at 6 PM at the Frankfort Country Club. The cost for the meal is \$22. The speaker is Martha Layne Collins and entertainment will be by Clyde Jackson. Please contact Joe Johnson at 695-4560 or Charles Hinds at 223-7260 to make your reservation.

### District Sergeant-at-Arms Needed

Volunteers are still needed to serve as Sergeant-at-Arms at the District Conference April 16 - 18. Only two-hour shifts are planned. A sign-up sheet will be on the outside table at next Wednesday's meeting.

### Rotary Make-up Meeting

A Rotary Make-up meeting is scheduled for Monday March 1 at the VFW building at Capital Ave. and Second Street. The meeting will last from 11:45 to 12:45. Lunch will be available.

### Make-ups for Feb. 11

Bobbye Brown  
Bob Bullock  
Ed Dance  
Steve Dooley  
Nancy Edwards  
Polly Green  
Carol Palmore  
John Palmore  
Sherrill Smith  
Frank Sower

**Attendance Percentage: 79.21%**

### These Need Make-ups for Feb. 18

Larry Arnett  
Terry Barnes  
RB Brown  
Preston Cecil  
Monte Chance  
Ted Collins  
Frank Dailey  
Ed Dance  
Steve Dooley  
William Elam  
Ron Fraass  
Steven Gale  
Robert Goodwin  
Polly Green  
Christina Harrison  
Joe Johnson  
Bob Johnston  
Wallace Kent  
Marie Murray  
Carol Palmore  
Christina Richards  
Joe Rudder  
John Shasky  
Frank Sower  
John Sower  
Sheila White  
John Williams  
Bill Wingfield

### This Week's Speaker...

Last weeks speaker was a 5-foot-tall, 100-pound giant of an educator, Joanne K. Glasser of Baltimore Md., the President of Eastern Kentucky University. She stressed that as Kentucky moves from an agrarian- to a knowledge-based economy, a post-secondary education will be more important. Are we going to meet the challenge of 25,000 teachers retiring in the next decade? Can we imagine a Kentucky where our brightest students leave the state? Education must be a high priority, and it is an *investment*, not an expense. EKV will do its fair share of working with Governor Fletcher in this current fiscal cri-

sis, although she noted that EKV's new mission statement ends with "Students Come First." Her message to us is that the success of our Commonwealth depends on the success of our colleges and universities.

### Board Action February 16, 2004

Attending: Don Dykman, Joe Johnson, Clay Hulette, Bob Johnston, Steve Dooley, Dennis VanHorn, Bobbye Brown, Richard Boyer, Pete Walsh, Ron Christopher and Paula Rarden.

\* Listened to Club Service report from Bob Johnston.

\* Approved restricting expenditures from reserve to a balance in excess of \$10,000. Not to be spent accept in emergency as demand by the Board.

\* Approve reimbursing all Rotary members whom pays their own registration to this year's District Conference registration fees.

\* Approved minutes of the January 19, 2004 meeting with corrections to note, received a thank you letter from the UNICEF organization.

\* Approved Treasurer's report provided by Pete Walsh.

\* Listened to Membership report from Clay Hulette. He discussed potential new member's list and reviewed the new member and members that had dropped from July 1, 2003.

\* Reviewed Boards Priority Report for the 2003-04 Fireside Chats. Developed action and steps to eliminate the priorities.

\* Approved adoption of the Resolution in Memoriam of Asa Tipton with any typo corrections to be corrected if needed.

\* Listened to International Service report from Joe Johnson. He discussed a letter from Franklin County Family Court thanking for our contributions and asking us to keep them on the future budgets.

\* Listened to Vocational Service report from Bobbye Brown.

\* Board noted there would be no sign-in sheet at the hotel for Wednesday, February 25, 2004.

\* Board indicated the support of WHAS Crusade for Children.

\* Approved Rene Siria Leave of absence from 3/24/04 to 4/7/04.

\* Approved Bob Dollase for leave of absence from 2/11/04 to 3/11/04.

\* Acknowledged letters of resignation from David Keller, Ray Holbrook and Tony Charters with regrets.

\* Scheduled next board meeting for March 15, 2004.

### Our Thoughts and Prayers...

Please keep José Bollar in your thoughts and prayers as he continues to recovery from his surgery and treatments.

Please keep Duane Ellis in your thoughts and prayers as he recovers from heart by-pass surgery.

Please remember Sallie Lanham as she recovers from a broken leg.

### Need for JA teachers

Lynn Hudgins needs 11 more teachers for the spring semester. All are in the elementary grades. Contact Lynn @ 859-219-2423.

### International Programs to Air

The Frankfort Chapter United Nations Association of the USA will continue this interesting discussion about Dr. Ralph Bunche at its monthly meeting on Monday, Feb. 23 at 7:30 p.m. at KSU's Alumni House. Dr. Butler and Dr. Lake will be the main speakers, along with very unique videotape. It is free and open to the public.

Tune into Frankfort's Global Connection for an interesting interview with Dr. Funwi Ayuninjam who will discuss "Kentucky' State University's International Programs". The program airs on Tuesday, February 24, at 7 p.m. and on Wednesday, February 25, at 9 a.m. The program will re-air on Tuesday, March 2, at 7 p.m. and March 3, at 9 a.m.

## The Rotary Foundation Paul Harris Fellows

Armstrong, Donald L.  
Bain, Tonya M.  
Braun, Tom  
Brockman, James M.  
Brown, Bobby Belwood  
Brown, R.B.  
Bullock, Robert V.  
Bush, Vaughn M.  
Bustin, Andrew G.  
Cave, Russell  
Chandler, A.B.  
Chenault, John C.  
Chenault, Mary Elizabeth  
Christopher, Ron  
Clawson, Kim Elizabeth  
Holder  
Coblin, Granville  
Cockley, William  
Coomes, Roger A.  
Crossman, Tom  
Dance, Edward L.  
Davis, Edward T.  
Dryden, Wally  
Edwards, Nancy R.  
Ellis, Duane  
Fraass, Ron  
Fuchs, Gregory  
Fudge, Carl  
Gerard, John I.  
Gillig, John S.  
Graves, James  
Green, Polly A.  
Hicks, Robert  
Hinds, Charles  
Hinds, Joseph  
Holder, Barry K.  
Holder, Barry K. Jr.  
Holder, Helen S.  
Holder, Pamela Marie  
Isaac, Tom D.  
Johnson, Jane Gibbs  
Johnson, Joe R.  
Johnson, Joe Russell  
Johnston, Robert  
Keller, David  
Kent, Wallace  
King, Denis  
Kitson, Lagene  
Leadingham, Henry  
Leatherby, Harold  
Leathers, Ollie C.  
Leathers, Ruth  
Leroy, Bill  
Loyd, John

Marcus, Elliott H.  
McCray, Ethel  
Miller, Paula F.  
Miller, William A.  
Newman, Sherry Lynn  
Noble, David  
Owens, Jack  
Palmore, Carol M.  
Palmore, John  
Perdew, H.T.  
Rawlings, John T.  
Richards, Christine  
Richards, Richard O.  
Richardson, James  
Ridgel, Gus  
Roach, L.M. "Poss"  
Rush, Martha  
Rush, Robert H.  
Rush, Willett H.  
Sandidge, David  
Scrivner, Michael L.  
Shirrell, Jack N.  
Shirrell, Joyce B.  
Shirrell, Len S.  
Shockley, Terry R.  
Shockley, Margaret Jo  
Shropshire, Grover  
Shropshire, Phyllis C.  
Smith, Jim M.  
Smith, LeRoy  
Smith, Louise  
Smith, Sherrill  
Sower, Dean R.  
Sower, Frank W.  
Sower, John R.  
Sower, Minnie Lynn  
Speer, Edgar A.  
Stewart, William S.  
Thompson, Andrew M.  
Thompson, Edmond  
Tipton, A.I.  
Tipton, Mrs. Asa I.  
Troutwine, Lee  
Turner, Joseph L.  
Tyrer, Ronald  
Vesner, Kurt R.  
Watkins, Dick  
Weitzel, Walter C.  
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Willis, Charles S.  
Wingfield, William L.  
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***Next Week at Rotary...***

## **Don Wood, Executive Director, National Christian College Athletic Association**

The NCCAA is an intercollegiate athletic association serving Christian colleges and universities. It conducts 23 National Championships and Invationals for its 108 member institutions. Their mission is to serve the Great Commission through athletics.

**Personal:** Married to Kelly Wood 18 years; 2 children, Courtney (13) and Grant (8). Hosting Rotary Exchange Student from The Philippines, Mandy (17)

**Education:** Northwest Guilford High School (1978); Southern Wesleyan University (1982), B.A Education ; Oklahoma State University, Graduate Work, Physical Education

**Employment:** Men's Soccer Coach, Limestone College (1983-1984); Area Director, Wendy's International (1985-1987); Athletics Director, Men's Soccer/Golf Coach, Bartlesville Wesleyan College (1987-1992); Associate Professor, Men's Soccer/Golf Coach, Indiana Wesleyan University (1992-1996); Vice-President, DataFund Links (1996-2000); NCCAA Executive Director (2000-present)

**Memberships:** Professional Golfers Association (PGA) (1996-2000); Sports Outreach America Board (1999-present); Advisory Board, Sports Spectrum Magazine (1999-present); Greenville Downtown Rotary (2001-present); First Wesleyan Church, Central, SC; HIS Radio/WLFJ 89.3 Advisory Board (2001-present); City Connect Ministry Staff (2003-present)

**Interests:** Family activities (husband, dad, camping, sports); Church activities (Sunday School teacher, Finance Committee); Golf; Clemson Area Soccer Club - Coach U14 Girls; Speaker for civic groups, church meetings, chapels

**Life Verse:** Philippians 4:8

**Opening Exercise** ..... Tyler West  
**Greeters** ..... Richard Taylor

## **Make-up for Feb. 18**

Ed Dance                      Bob Johnston  
Steve Dooley                Carol Palmore  
Polly Green                 Christine Richards  
Joe Johnson                 Frank Sower

**Attendance Percentage: 80.20%**

## **Correction to Board Minutes**

The following are corrections to the board minutes of Feb. 16, 2004:

\*Approved creating an emergency reserve of \$10,000, not to be spent other than for emergency situations as determined by the Board.

\*Board considering reimbursing Frankfort Rotary members who pay their own registration fees to this years District Conference depending on input from members.

\*Reviewed Boards Priority Report for 2003-04 Fireside Chats and developed action plan.

## **New Board Action**

Board approved Leave-of-absences for Duane Ellis from 2/19/04 to 4/18/04.

## **Rotary Make-up Meeting**

A Rotary make-up meeting is scheduled for Monday March 1 at the VFW building at Capitol Ave. and Second Street. The meeting will last from 11:45 to 12:45. Lunch will be available.

## **District Conference**

### **Sergeant-at-Arms Needed**

Volunteers are still needed to serve as Sergeant-at-Arms at the District Conference April 16 - 18. Only two-hour shifts are planned. A sign-up sheet will be on the outside table at next Wednesday's meeting.

## **Calendar of Important Events**

*(Committee Chairs should notify Paula Rarden of upcoming meetings)*

All Rotarians are encouraged to attend the District Conference on April 16-18 in Frankfort. Contact: Barry K. Holder

## **Guinness record and 500 pairs of drumsticks are new arsenal against polio**

*From Rotary News Basket*

Not content to rest on its laurels, the Rotary Club of Tacoma, Washington, USA, has broken its own Guinness record to help sound polio's death knell.

Drawn by the desire to have fun and do good at the same time, 504 drummers congregated at the Tacoma Dome, a 6.1-acre (24,686-square meter) entertainment complex in downtown Tacoma, on 16 February, to pull off Woodstick 2004, the club's signature polio eradication fundraiser. At least \$12,000 was raised at the event, which broke the Guinness Record established last March when 264 club-assembled drummers played together on sets at the Tacoma Narrows Airport. When all the pledges are in, a check will be sent to The Rotary Foundation.

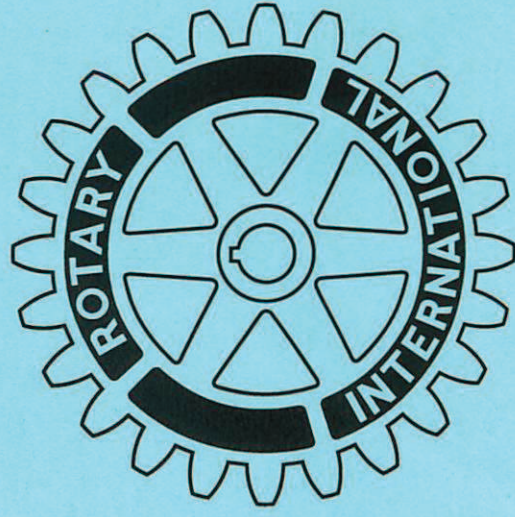
"I'm thrilled we did it again," says project initiator and Tacoma Rotarian Chris Kimball, who is a seasoned gospel, jazz, and rock musician and

financial planner rolled-in-one. "It was so much fun and we raised more money for eradicating polio. We will keep doing this or something else until this disease is history."

Led by maestro Harvey Felder of the Tacoma Symphony, this year's ensemble played "Break It Again, Sam," an original composition by Kimball, for five minutes to establish a new record. Eleven celebrity drummers including Jim Akrum (who played with Frank Sinatra, Dean Martin), Tony Coleman (B.B. King), Mike Derosier (Heart), Liberty DeVitto (Billy Joel), Jeff Kathan (Paul Rogers Band, Bad Company), and Alan White (Yes) participated in the five-minute display of perfect timing. After playing the synchronized piece, the drummers broke out into an improvised gig featuring popular songs like John Lennon's "Imagine."

Some 60 Rotarians volunteered to coordinate the project and most of the Tacoma club members helped underwrite the costs involved. "Everybody's heart was in it and they all pitched in to help assemble more drummers than we had the last time," says Kimball. "Everybody wants to do it again for Rotary and the children. We really want to do more to make people know about Rotary."

"We are proud to play our part in this very important worldwide effort," says Pete Taylor, co-organizer of the event.



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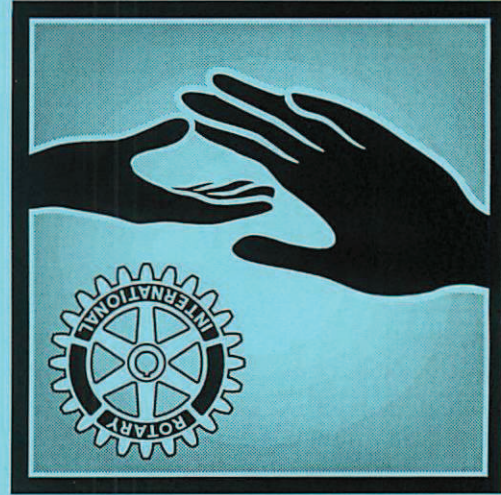
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