



**Don Nunnely and his wife Lillian just celebrated their 60th anniversary by taking a trip to Scandinavia.**



**It was good to have Charlie Hinds back with us.**

### Well Said...

Show me a sane man and I will cure him for you. -*Carl Jung, psychiatrist (1875-1961)*

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 Wednesday at the Capital Plaza Hotel  
 From 11:45 a.m. Until 1:00 p.m.**

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#### NEIGHBORING CLUBS

|                  |                                            |            |
|------------------|--------------------------------------------|------------|
| <b>Monday:</b>   | Eminence-Henry County Public Library ..... | 12:00 noon |
|                  | Owenton-Smith House .....                  | 12:10 p.m. |
| <b>Tuesday:</b>  | Lexington Sunshine-Lafayette Club .....    | 7:00 a.m.  |
|                  | Georgetown-Golden Corral .....             | 12:00 noon |
|                  | Shelbyville-Centenary United Meth .....    | 12:00 noon |
|                  | Versailles-At the Hospital .....           | 12:00 noon |
| <b>Thursday:</b> | Lawrenceburg-Anderson Public Library ..... | 12:00 noon |
|                  | Lexington-Fasig Tipton.....                | 12:00 noon |
|                  | Louisville-Galt House .....                | 12:10 p.m. |

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### *Next Week's Speaker...*

Forty years ago, our guest speaker **William A. Skinner** was the leading contender to represent the United States in the javelin competition at the 1972 Olympic Games in Munich, Germany. "Skinner," as he is affectionately referred to by friends and family, including Nelda, his wife of over 40 years, was a world-class athlete featuring the javelin throw in the late 1960s and early '70s. A native of New Castle, Delaware, Skinner and Nelda have resided in Georgetown, KY since 1979. A high school dropout, Skinner joined the Navy at age 17 and later earned his GED, then, receiving track scholarships at the University of Tennessee, he earned an industrial education degree in just 3 years. He met Nelda while at UT. Along with his Navy career, Skinner, with his "Have Javelin Will Travel," has traveled to perhaps 20 countries, spanning 4 continents. In his heyday he won numerous AAU, NCAA, and World Games competitions, setting many javelin distance records in the process... all without taking any enhancement drugs or steroids! Skinner was a projected medal winner leading up to the 1972 Munich Summer Olympics, until a near-death encounter ended his Olympic dreams.

### **Make-ups for July 11**

|                |              |
|----------------|--------------|
| Pat Badgett    | Larry Tracey |
| Douglas Howard | David Weller |
| Sherrill Smith |              |

**Attendance Percentage: 66%**

### **Make-ups Needed for July 18**

|                  |                    |
|------------------|--------------------|
| Michael Ball     | Christina Harrison |
| Brian Booth      | Lloyd Hillard      |
| Richard Boyer    | Douglas Howard     |
| Jordan Branham   | William Legg       |
| RB Brown         | Larry Luebbers     |
| Kristin Cantrell | Jason Middleton    |
| David Cobb       | Phillip Shepherd   |
| Ted Collins      | Fred Snyder        |
| Boyce Crocker    | John Sower         |
| William Elam     | Steve Tobin        |
| Gregory Fuchs    | Katherine Walden   |

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

The speaker for the day was John Webb who is an Environmental Scientist and employed by the Division of Water in the Department of Natural Resources. He currently serves as chairman of the board for the Kentucky River Watershed Watch. He stated that in 1969 a river in Cleveland, Ohio actually caught fire and in response the Congress passed the 1972 Clean Water Act. There were three (3) goals of the Act which were to eliminate pollutants by 1985,



**The speaker for the day was John Webb, seated with program chair Don Dampier.**

improve the quality of water and recreation and to control the discharge of toxic pollutants. Pollution has two (2) sources: one-point source and non-point source. The single point comes from a single identifiable source such as a factory, and the non-point is from run-off such as farmland. Toxic wastes often come from nutrients and sediment discharge. The challenges of the Clean Water Act were the propagation of recreation and marine life. Water quality is important to the people of Kentucky, and watershed issues are at the top of environmental concerns. Kentucky has 90,000 miles of streams and 630 acres of wetlands. However, over half of pollution comes from non-point sources. Watershed Watch trains volunteers how to look at streams and make an analysis. The Kentucky Watershed Watch is active in all eight major river basins.

### **Attendance Pins Awarded**

Congratulations to the following Rotarians who received their Perfect Attendance Pins for July: Barry Holder, Jr., 28 years; Pat Badgett, 17 years; and John Avent, two years.

### **Board Action July 16, 2012**

Attending: Charlie Geveden, Clay Hulette, John Avent, Dave Steele, Brenda Rice, Tom Utterback, Sellus Wilder, Steve Dooley, Dudley Ellis, Larry Tracey, Nathaniel Bebe and Paula Rarden.

- The board reviewed the June Board minutes. Tom Utterback approved, seconded by John Avent.
- Approved leave-of-absence for Steven Gale from 6/13/12 to 1/16/13. Sellus Wilder approved, seconded by Tom Utterback.
- John Avent, Treasurer presented the financial report for month and fiscal year ending June 30. Tom Utterback moved to approve the report and close the books for fiscal year. Sellus Wilder seconded.

- President Charlie reported that the club's goal this year is focused on building the club's membership.
- Approved new members Sarah Bulter, Mary Clinton and Fred Deaton contingent upon no negative response after publication in the newsletter. Tom Utterback approved, seconded by Dave Steele.
- New Generation, Sellus Wilder reported that he would maintain the clubs facebook but, if there were anyone else that would want to take it over that would be great.
- International Director, Brenda Rice reported that the International Dinner would be 2/28/13.
- Membership Director, Tom Utterback reported that there is a new member orientation scheduled for 7/18/12 and 7/25/12 at the regularly scheduled time of the weekly meeting.
- Scheduled next board meeting for August 20, 2012 at 5 p. m. at the First Federal Building on West Main Street, 2nd floor.

**The Cable Ten cameraman for the day was Zack Hubbard.**



**Sellus Wilder announced the birth of a boy, Leo Felton Wilder.**