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P.O. Box 522, Media, PA 19063

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P.O. Box 2028, Media, PA 19063

Club Officers 2007-2008

Nancy Geisel *President*
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Tom Gibson

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Barbara Laurenzi & *Fall Fantasy Auction*
Rosemarie Halt

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District 7450

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Arthur Kline *Assistant District Governor*

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Rotary International

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Look for changes to the Medium in the upcoming weeks. If you have any ideas about how to make this publication better, e-mail me! ~ Courtney

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Reception Committee

Program

Date	Chairperson	Greeter	Speaker/Subject
September 13	Lynne Green	Lawrence Weathers	Swarthmore College
September 20	Karin Gustafson	Andi Youndt	TBA
September 27	George Albany	Jonathan Becker	Russ DiFuria – District Governor of Rotary District 7450
October 4	Anthony Cavaliere	Robert Dimond	TBA
October 11	Lori Markusfeld	Daniel Fredland	TBA
October 18		Nancy Geisel	TBA
October 25	Ellen Gorbey	Courtney Ballauer	Climbing Mt. Kilomanjaro
November 1	Anthony Cavaliere	Rosemarie Halt	TBA

Calendar of Events

2007 Rotary Auction Meeting - September 27, October 11, 18, 25, November 1, 8, & 15
The meeting will be held at 11:30 a.m. at the Towne House. All are welcome.

Rotary Auction – November 16, 2007

40th Annual Pancake Day – March or Early April, 2008

Soap Box Derby – May or June, 2008

Rotary Board Meeting.....Second Tuesday of every month
The meetings will be held at 12 p.m. at the Towne House.

Rotary Foundation.....Fourth Thursday of every month
These meeting will be held at 11 a.m. at the Towne House.

Sunshine Committee

Let Lynne Green know about anyone who is ill, has passed away, has gotten married, has had a new baby, etc. Please contact her via email at: pgs8@comcast.net.

Schedule of Events Rotary District 7450

More information can be obtained at www.rotary7450.org

A copy of the **Rotary Foundation of Media** by-laws, latest Treasurer's report and guidelines for requesting funds are available at <http://www.mediarotary.org/foundation/>. A comprehensive list of recipients is also available for your perusal.

<i>Classification Talks</i>	Gene Kane	<i>Weekly Prayer Committee</i>	Rev. Bob Kesel
<i>Fair Trade Committees</i>	Tom Hibberd	<i>Soap Box Derby</i>	Bill Tyson
<i>Fall Fantasy Auction</i>	Barbara Laurenzi & Rosemarie Halt	<i>Sunshine Committee</i>	Lynne Green
<i>Grocery register tapes/scripts & American Cell Phone Drive</i>	Jack Sproul	<i>The Medium</i>	Courtney Ballauer & Tom Gregory
<i>New Membership Committee</i>	Bill Strine	<i>Used Ink Cartridges & Service Projec & Literacyt</i>	David Belanger
<i>Program Committee & Rotaract & Rotary Night at the Phillies</i>	Ken Delmar	<i>Rotary Information & By-Laws Update & Committee of *</i>	John Vairo
<i>Press Releases</i>	Jason Locklear	<i>Website</i>	Virginia Falkenbach
<i>Students of the Month</i>	Jack Hontz	<i>Classification Talks</i>	Gene Kane
<i>Attendance</i>	Carole McMahon	<i>Poker Chip Seating</i>	Valorie Bradley & Joe Kleschick

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DON'T FORGET TO SIGN IN AT EVERY MEETING

phones on vibrate - \$10 charge if they ring

Rotarians are responsible for all information changes with Courtney Ballauer

Joint Meeting of the Officers, Board Members, and Foundation

Join us on September 25 from 12 – 1:30 p.m. at the Towne House. Please remember that if you attend that meeting, you will need to pay for your own lunch.

FUN with Baskets

A number of classy, decorative baskets will be made up for the major fund-raiser, the Fall Rotary Auction. Please bring in any items now that you may have to add to a basket. Below is the "Theme Basket" that we will be contributing to this month. Donations for the Monthly Theme Basket will be accepted the last Thursday of the month at our meeting!!!

September – Music of the Night Basket (music lessons, cd's, tickets to a play, etc.)

Donations to VFW

Here is a list of requested items for our active military from this area. Please donate the following items:

Coloring Books	Baby Wipes
Crayons	Cotton Balls
Small, Safe Toys	Q-Tips
Silly String	Toiletry packets from hotels
Tooth Paste/Brush	Powdered Drinks
Sunglass Inserts	Training Pants
Toilet Tissues (1- ply)	Donations

etc...

Help Level the Playing Field!

We now have in stock a supply of Fair Trade Sports Balls intended for distribution to the Media Youth Center, Community youth sports programs, schools, churches, as well as the children and grandchildren of Media Rotarians. Individually, they cost:

Basketballs	\$15
Footballs, volleyballs & soccer balls	\$20

If you have any contact with any local youth or adult team, start them with a few balls and we'll go from there. We can teach them:

1. Respect for yourself as an athlete
2. Respect for your competition (whether you just won or lost). And...
3. Respect for the hands, which made your ball (with which you play, train, and compete).

For more information, go to <http://www.fairtradesports.com>.

Membership Update

At this past board meeting, it was discussed and agreed upon that if you bring a new member to the club, the free lunch that they receive will be given to them on the day of their induction.

Acme Register Tape

As of the end of June, we have completed 11 years of the Acme Register Tape Program.

22,552 Register tapes have been processed to provide \$7,886.51 to the Media Rotary Foundation. When we submit our receipts, a check, generated from Acme's Home Office is mailed directly to the Rotary Foundation.

This past year, we have fallen from our yearly average of \$716.96. We are currently at \$561.56 so, please bring in those register tapes!

SAVE THE DATE

Remember to save the date for the Fall Fantasy Auction that will be held on Friday, November 16, 2007. See you there!

Rotary International: Newsroom

Number One Job: Recruit

By Tiffany Woods

August 2007

(...continued from last week)

Recycle The Rotarian

You've read the most recent issue of The Rotarian, and now it's under a pile of magazines on your coffee table. Gasp! Worse yet, when you tidy up, some of you may even consider tossing the magazine into the trash. Stop. Think about recycling. No, not in the bin. Recycle your old magazines by passing them out to friends, or keep them on hand to give to club visitors, speakers, and prospective members. Attach a letter from your club's president that lists projects and activities along with contact information. Also, ask club members to place back issues of The Rotarian in their office waiting rooms or lobbies. Or be like the Rotary Club of Exeter, N.H., USA, and leave a copy at your library.

Go door to door

"By going outside your comfort zone, you can discover many men and women who would make good Rotarians," says Bob Kelley, an RI membership zone coordinator and membership of the Rotary Club of Selma, Ala., "Just before becoming club president, I realized how many businesses I had never stopped into because I might not have needed to wallpaper a room or practice martial arts." For months, Kelley made a point of going into every store in town that he'd never visited, and as a result, seven new members joined his club. (continued next week...)

September Birthdays

9/1	Valarie Bradley
9/4	O. Warren Higgins
9/12	Martin Sarkees, Jr. Jack Wisniewski
9/18	Karl Price
9/22	David Belanger
9/28	Jeff Cadorette
9/29	Dale Moppert

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Classifications

George A. Albany, III – Banking, Savings Bank
Teresa Angarita – Construction Company
Don Bak – Architect
Courtney Ballauer – Community Health
Edward J. Beadle – Dentist
Lewis B. Betty, Jr. – Law – Probate
Jonathan Becker – Estate Attorney
David L. Belanger – Library Administration
Joseph S. Bodalski – Financial Consultant
Valarie Bradley – Real Estate Inspections
Martin Brian – Pharmacist
Jeffry Cadorette – Property Management
Anthony Cavaliere – Banking
George Cristoforidis – Home Health Care Equipment
Bruce Clark – Municipal Manager
Jim Clyma – Real Estate – Commercial
William K. Davis – Community Planner
Kenneth Delmar – Plastics, Packaging
Robert L. Dimond – Veterans Affairs
Robert W. Edmondson –
Al L. Elko – Accounting – CPA
Virginia Falkenbach – Computer – Web Design
Daniel Fredland – Elder Law
Ed Garabedian – Corporate Benefits
Nancy A. Geisel – Real Estate – Sales
Michael Gibbons – Music Producer
Tom Gibson – Public Relations
Ellen Gorby – Salon/Spa
Lynne L. Green – Realtor Leasing
Tom H. Gregory – Printing – Quick Copy
William S. Gross – Retail Men’s Clothing
Karin Gustafson – Advertising/Promotion
Ted Hadley -
Rosemarie Halt – Pharmacist
Stanley T. Hibberd – Casualty Insurance
O. Warren Higgins – Law – Retired
Walton B. Hill – Education – Technical College
Sally Holub – Magazine
John Hontz – Education – Music
Audrey Huetter – Theatre Marketing
Andrew Hunt – Investment Representative
Peter E. Irish – Automotive Sales/Leasing
Eugene L. Kane – Medicine – Optometrist
Alex E. Karkenny – Stock Broker
Denise Kerr – School Superintendent
Reverend Robert Kesel – Clergy – Presbyterian
Joseph Kleschick – Ship Building
Terrance A. Kline – Law
Pat Kosinski –
Narenda Krishna, MD – Ophthalmologist
Barbara Laurenzi – Banking – Business Banking
Paul Laviola – Financial Planner
Nicholas Lippincott – Law – Litigation
Marla Luzzi – Radio Communications
Peter A. Mardinly – Law – Tax
Lori Markusfeld – Fundraising
Carole McMahan – Home Healthcare
Victor A. Menghetti, Sr. - Veterinarian
Bryan Messick – Banking
Dale Moppert – Bank – Retail
David E. Pergrin -
Ted Pleibel, III – Sign Maker
Evelyn Preising, MA –
Karl Fredrick Price – Non Profit Museum
Penelope Reed – Theater
Dennis Rehrig – Med-Chiropractor
Roger Ricker – Theater
J. Nelson Rigby – Funeral Director
Mark Sanderson – Architecture
Martin T. Sarkees, Jr. – Accountant
George S. Saulnier – Law
John J. Schlesinger – School Administrator
Mollie Shiflet – O’Brien – Law – Real Estate
Georg H. Slick – Superintendent Emeritus
Dennis Slostad – Media Real Estate
Fran Smith – Insurance Consultant
Jeffrey A. Smith – Borough Manager
Warren D. Smith – Dental Laboratory
Larry V. Smoose – Clergy
Jack Sproul – Laundry – Coin Op
Robert L. Stahl – Decorator
Linda E. Stone – Commercial Banking
Walter Strine, Sr. -
William B. Strine – Engineer – Consultant
James W. Thomas – Springfield Ford, Inc.
Jay A. Thomas – Automobile – Retail
Greg Torre – Alarm Service
William Tyson – Oil Refining
John D. Vairo – Higher Education Administration
Lawrence Weathers, III – Auto-Leasing, Sales, Service,
Parts
Randolph B. Winton – Money Manager
Jack Wisniewski – Retired – Helicopter Engineer
Jackie L. Woolfall – Marketing & Public Relations
Andrea Youndt – Director - YMCA

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