



# FLYWHEEL

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## Business Ethics

By Dick Pritts

Rich Peoples spoke on business ethics indicating that RI has the tools for business ethics. The three tools that RI provides Rotarians to implement the best practices of business ethics in their profession are: The Object of Rotary, Four Way Test and Code of Conduct.

The object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise. In particular to encourage and foster the development of acquaintance as an opportunity of service; promote high ethical standards in business and professions; apply the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business and community life; and the advancement of international understanding, goodwill and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.

The Four Way Test is the standard against which Rotarians measure ethical behavior. We reinforce the tenets of the Four Way Test at each of our meetings. Our club has taken this important concept on ethics of what we think, say or do to teach the middle school students here in Franklin so that they can start incorporating these concepts into their personal lives.

Rotarian Code of Conduct requires us to act with integrity and high ethical standards in our personal and professional life. We Rotarians are committed to ethical behavior. We are required to deal fairly with others and treat them and their occupation with respect. Rotarians have a responsibility to teach young people and to be a benefit to society. Rotarians are to avoid behavior that reflects adversely on Rotary or other Rotarians. When we became Rotarians we became a part of a family of like-minded people around the world.





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## Make-up Opportunity with Back Pack Fill at CareNet

If you need a make-up the next backpack fill will be **Monday January 25th** at CareNet from 4-6pm. The additional winter dates are as follows: **Monday Feb 22nd and Monday March 28th.**

Please see Community Service Chair Cindy Rodgers if you would like to volunteer!



## Brew Fellowship Membership Due Today!

Rotary Family Fellowship of similar

interests has a new opportunity for members who have an interest in beer. RI has a Brew Fellowship (Beer Rotarians Enjoy Worldwide) and the annual cost is \$20. **Closeout of membership is today.** You can also order a fellowship button down short sleeve dress shirt for \$45. If you are interested see PE Lenny **now!!!**

## First Official Posting

This is the first official posting for Gary St Arnould being proposed for membership sponsored by Hoyt Massey. If you have any comments or concerns, see President Sean or any board member.

## The Rotary Club of Asheville - Metro

Presents

BEAT THE WINTER BLUES BALL (A FUNDRAISER FOR CART AND ABCCM'S HOUSING FOR HOMELESS)

JANUARY 28, 2016 6:00PM - 10:00PM

MASONIC TEMPLE 80

BROAWAY (DOWNTOWN ASHEVILLE)

DANCE TO THE MUSIC OF ROCKELL SCOTT AND MOTOWN BLUE

HEAVY HORS D'OEUVRES CATERED BY CORNER KITCHEN CATERING

OPEN CASH BAR

TICKETS ARE \$30 PER PERSON AND INCLUDE 1 FREE DRINK AT THE BAR

GREAT SILENT AUCTION ITEMS INCLUDING SIGNED GUITARS BY BB KING AND ERIC CLAPTON

50 - 50 RAFFLE AND OTHER RAFFLES

FREE PARKING AT HOME TRUST BANK 10 WOODFIN STREET

PURCHASE TICKETS ONLINE @ [purplepass.com/](http://purplepass.com/)  
Rotary beat the blues CREDIT CARDS WELCOMED

COME ENJOY THE FUN AND BEAT THE WINTER BLUES WITH ROTARY CLUB OF ASHEVILLE - METRO



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## Perfect Attendance 2nd Quarter 2015-16

Congratulations to the following Rotarians having perfect attendance without make-up in the second quarter: Larry Hollifield, Tom James, Dick Pritts, Cardi White and John Yermack.

Congratulations to the following members had perfect attendance with make-ups: Shaina Adkins, John Barbee, Lee Berger, Demi Bray, Gary Bray, Judy Chapman, Tom Coley, Gary Dills, Sandy Frazier, Jim Garner, Paul Garner, Jeff Gillette, Janet Greene, Stacy Guffey, Linda Harbuck, John Hubsch, Lenny Jordan, Karen Kenney, Susie Ledford, Amy Manshack, Hoyt Massey, Mike Norris, Patsy Parker, Rich Peoples, Vic Perry, Clayton Ramsey, Marvin Ramsey, Cindy Rodgers, Dennis Sanders, Gary Shields, John Short, Debbie Tallent, Jim Wilson and Nancie Wilson. If you have missed meetings we encourage you to make-up!

## Recognition of Sponsors of New members

On Wednesday President Sean recognized PP Nancie Wilson and Bob Scott for bringing in new members since July 1st, 2013. The sponsor recognition program was initiated by past RI President Ron Burton. It's the responsibility of all of us to bring in a new member. Keep up the great work!



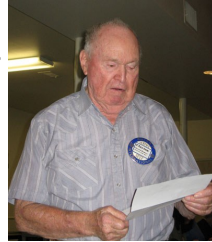
Rotary Service 1/ 20

Prayer/Pledge: Gary Bray

Greeter: Marvin Ramsey



## Clayton's Corner A Little Humor Helps



- Because they had no reservations at a busy restaurant, my elderly neighbor and his wife were told there would be a 45 minute wait for a table.

"Young man, we're both 90 years old," the husband said. "We may not have 45 minutes.

They were seated immediately.

- The reason politicians try so hard to get re-elected is that they would "hate" to have to make a living under the laws they have just passed.

- All eyes were on the radiant bride as her father escorted her down the aisle. They reached the altar and the waiting groom. The bride kissed her father and placed something in his hand.

The guests in the front pews responded with ripples of laughter. Even the priest smiled broadly.

As her father gave her away in marriage, the bride gave him back his credit card.

## Prayers and Thoughts

- Keep Lee Berger in your thoughts and prayers as she recovers from shoulder surgery.
- Keep Fred Lindstrom in your thoughts and prayers as he recovers from a nasty fall after health incident.



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## January is Vocational Service Month

During this month Rotarians are encouraged to focus on this important avenue of service. Discussions of vocational service can lead to important service projects that not only develop the ethical consciousness and vocational skills of Rotarians but talents within their communities. This winter the Rotary Club of Franklin will be holding another shadow day as well as recognizing ethical businesses or individuals that go above and beyond their service. For more information on vocational service see vocational chair Karen Kenney or Rich Peoples.

### Shadow Day with students in the Spring!

There will be another shadow day for students to shadow Rotarian Professionals this spring. The first one was a success and we encourage Rotarians to take part. Rotary is a service organization focused on our youth and it's a great way for our young people of tomorrow to see first hand our Rotarians at work and potential careers they maybe interested in. See Karen Kenney or Rich Peoples if you are interested.



### Board Meeting January 21st

Our next board meeting will be Thursday January 21st 500p fellowship/530p start time at Lazy Hiker's Conference Room. **If you are in need of a makeup please plan to attend.** On Thursday January 14th the club will be hosting a Satellite Club information event at Lazy Hiker 530p.



### Remembering No More- A Story of Change Ticket Prices: FREE

Movie Detail:

Carl White's Life In the Carolinas syndicated TV show is pleased to announce the screening of a special episode, Remembering No More- A Story of Change. Presented by Franklin Rotary and Franklin Day Break Rotary, this episode features the story of one man and 40,000 of his fellow Rotarians who decided to do something to make a difference in the fight against Alzheimer's Disease. The organization CART (Coins for Alzheimer's Research Trust) began with the simple concept of collecting spare pocket change during the weekly Rotary meetings. The idea grew from a few thousand to millions of dollars that have now gone to fund urgently needed seed grants for Alzheimer's research. Alzheimer's currently affects more than six million Americans and more than forty-seven million people worldwide. Show host Carl White says, "The journey in developing this story is very emotional and rewarding at the same time. We've learned a lot and met many wonderful people who have dedicated their life to this cause. And the fact that it all started here in the Carolinas, is good reason for us all to be very proud."

**March 4th at 6:30 PM (Great Make up Opportunity)**

**Tartan Hall**

**First Presbyterian Church**

**26 Church Street, Franklin NC 28734**





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## The Rotary Club of Franklin Officers and Board Members 2015-16

District Governor: Billi Black

Assistant District Governor: Ken Nicholson

President: Sean Gibson

President-elect: Lenny Jordan

President-nominee: Judy Chapman

Secretary: Patsy Parker

Treasurer: John Barbee

Vocational Service: Karen Kenney

Community Service: Cindy Rodgers

Youth Service: Amy Manshach-Chair/Larry Hollifield-Co-Chair

International Service: Stacy Guffey

Foundation Chair: Jim Garner

Membership Chair: Linda Harbuck

Program Chair: Vic Perry

Public Image Chair: Debbie Tallent ...Flywheel Editor: Dick Pritts

Sgt. At Arms: Jacob Reiche

Immediate Past President: Susie Ledford

*Thanks for all you do in service!*

## Next Meeting

Wednesday January

20th—Appalachian

Music ...See You 12

Noon Tartan Hall



## Upcoming Events



Jan 14—Satellite Club Event 530p Lazy Hiker

Jan 20—Tom Estes—Appalachian Music

Jan 21—Board Meeting 5p/530p lazy Hiker

Jan 27—Tim Warner—National Park Service

## 50/50 Drawing

1 Ticket —\$1.00

3 Tickets —\$2.00

5 Tickets —\$3.00

10 Tickets—\$5.00

25 Tickets—\$10.00



## 50 50 Drawing



Vic Greene did not win the \$42 pot. There are 10 cards left..buy your ticket for a chance to win!