



# THE EARLY BIRD NEWS

## The ROTARY CLUB of CARBONDALE-BREAKFAST

☆ Presidential Citations: 1996-97, 1997-98, 1998-99, 1999-2000, 2000-01, 2003-04, 2004-05, 2005-06, 2006-07, 2008-09 ☆

☆ 1996-97 Governor's Trophy ☆ ☆ Club Bulletin: 1993, 2003, 2004, 2005 ☆ ☆ Web Site: 2009 ☆

☆ District Governors: Blanche Carlton Sloan, Jack Langowski ☆

Chartered October 1988 - #26036

Tuesday, 7 AM

Intermission Room, Varsity Center for the Arts

# HAPPY 105<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY!

## ◆ 23 February ◆

### Youth Services & Community Education

Randy Mathis & Brooke Hammel

### DATES TO KNOW

- 12-13 Mar Land of Lincoln PETS
- 10 Apr Rotary Leadership Inst., O'Fallon
- 1 May District Assembly
- 15 May Beautiful Southern Ride
- 20-23 June Intl. Convention, Montreal

RI President  
John Kenny

District Governor  
Joe Miller

### February Programs

Program Organizer: Randy Osborn

- 2 Jen Phillips: Options Program - BREHM
- 9 Business Meeting
- 16 Kris Sherrill: SIH: BASIC-Building Asset-Strong, Involved Communities
- 23 Randy Mathis/Brooke Hammel: Youth Services & Community Education - Carbondale Police Dept.

### Every Rotarian, Every Year

### REMINDERS

#### Makeups:

Mon. Noon, Herrin Civic Center  
 Tu. Noon, Du Quoin, Francie's  
 Wed. 7:30 am, Carterville, Kindling  
 Wed. Noon, Carbondale, Lakeland School  
 Th. 7:00 am, Anna-Jonesboro, Creek Lemon Rest., Vienna St.  
 Th. Noon, Marion, First Methodist Church, Main St.

Rotaract: 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Mondays, 8 pm, Thebes Rm., St. Center

Contributions: The Rotary Foundation, 14280 Collections

Center Drive, Chicago, IL 60693

Roster: Changes? Notify Dan Becque.

Recruitment: Ask for packets of information.

Meeting Makeups: Mark "M" in the block on the attendance

sheet and clip the makeup card to the clipboard.

Banners: Visiting another club? Take a banner—bring one back.

## New Member Benefits

Rotary International has formed a partnership with Citrix Online, a leading provider of easy-to-use Web conferencing products. Through this partnership, members will have access to exclusive offers on two easy-to-use, cost-effective tools for conducting online meetings.

**GoToMeeting** by Citrix Online allows presenters to share their computer screen with up to 15 meeting attendees. Users can change presenters and exchange keyboard and mouse control during the meeting. Unlimited meetings with VoIP and phone conferencing are available for one flat rate.

Citrix's **GoToWebinar** provides an easy way to create, convey, and record online presentations for audiences of up to 1,000 people. It allows users to disseminate information quickly without the hassle and costs of travel.

RI is using the Citrix tools to conduct many committee meetings. Districts, clubs, and Rotarians are all eligible for 60-day free trials of GoToMeeting and GoToWebinar and a 15 percent discount on both tools.

Using these products, Rotarians can easily collaborate on projects over the Web, hold Web-based fundraising events and virtual press conferences, and provide cost-effective and convenient member and leadership training.

.... **Each Rotarian: Reach One, Keep One** ....

### Assignments: February 2010

	Greeter & Introductions	Moment of Reflection	Rotary Insight (RI) / Classification Talk (CT) / Getting to Know Ourselves
2	J. Hesketh	M. Sinnott	J. Nessland (GKO)
9	O. Weidner	A. Winters	R. Sarao (RI)
16	D. Becque	G. Petrowich	D. Baker (RI)
23	J. Langowski	J. Betz	T. Carpenter (RI)

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PDF available on the club website.

## \* ANNOUNCEMENTS \*

▶ **GSE:** The visiting team from Korea will be in this area of the district on 1-4 April. Home hosts are needed for four men and one woman. A potluck get-together is being planned for Thursday, 1 April – *no foolin'*. Details to be announced ...

✿ **Blanche Sloan:** PDG Blanche will be staying with son Al and his family for several weeks. Contact info: Gina and Al Sloan, 148 Walnut Street, Hinckley, IL 60520, phone 815-286-7374. Gina's cell: 630-816-5551.

☑ **Reminder:** When you make a contribution to The Rotary Foundation, notify the club's Foundation chair: Rich Sarao (2009-10), Fred Betz (2010-11).

😊 **Contact:** Fah - fpytj@hotmail.com; Kathy Pine (host) - kpine@sandbergphoenix.com. JiYoung Lee – lujin55@gmail.com

◆ **Programs:** Wanted: Monthly program organizers - contact VP Fred Betz.

✿ **Pig!** Missed a meeting? Please make up your usual contribution at the next meeting.

☐ **Dues:** Due(s) dates: January 1, April 1, July 1, October 1 each year. Treasurer Shane Carsrud.

### ▼ YOUR NOTES ▼

## Service Self

## Guests & Visiting Rotarians

None  
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### A BRIGHTER FUTURE ...

**Kris Sherrill**, Community Health Coordinator for Southern Illinois Healthcare (SIH), shared valuable information under the banner “Develop Our Youth: Gain a Bright Future.”

“A healthy business needs a healthy workforce,” she noted. She highlighted several dimensions of business health: physical, financial, emotional, environmental.

From this springboard, Sherrill listed concerns that impact the community, focusing particularly on youth: youth migration, violence, teen pregnancy, alcohol and drug abuse, school dropout rates, economic vitality, and sustainability.

She then linked the two, citing the importance of youth to business. Among other issues, she defined and explained the concept of “presenteeism,” a correlate of absenteeism. In short, “presenteeism” indicates that the employee is present for work, but not necessarily able to function effectively.

She presented a video about forty developmental assets, citing the observation that youth who have fewer of these assets are less able to be productive workers and responsible citizens. Thus, she urges adults to be good role models and mentors.

### 2009-10

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