

# Bull Run Rotary Club

## Manassas, Virginia

Weekly Breakfast Meetings

Tuesday, 7:30 a.m., City Tavern at Old Towne Inn

9403 Main Street (Corner of Main & Center)

Downtown Manassas

August 3, 2010

"Service Above Self"

Club Number: 26632



### **This Week's Program:** The Honorable Judge Craig Johnston

**Last Week:** 2010-2011 Rotary 7610 District Governor Ron Marion had dinner with our Board at Carmello's & Little Portugal Restaurant on Monday July 26<sup>th</sup> and then visited the Club on Tuesday. The Governor updated us on RI's Changes for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century and their Future Vision Plan. Rotary's Future is to be

**Bigger...Better...BOLDER**

**Governor Marion's emphasis for 2010-2011**

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|-------------------|----------------------------|
| Membership        | Extension                  |
| Polio Eradication | Youth Programs             |
| Foundation Giving | Native American Initiative |



**Governor Ron Marion and President Coleman Rector**



**Governor's Dinner**



**2010-2011 Club Board with Gov. Ron Marion**



**Dan Radtke** received a District Governor's Citation for his service to the District as RYLA chair



**Sandy Miller** receives the new Rotary District 7610 Triple Crown Pin for distinction with the Rotary Foundation.



### **Friends of Lou Maroon 17<sup>th</sup> Annual Golf Celebration**

Wednesday Sept. 15, 2010 at the Piedmont Club, Haymarket, VA. A benefit to support SERVE, Inc. a program of Northern Virginia Family Services. Hosted by the Manassas and Bull Run Rotary Clubs. **Bill Burton and Tom Lensis** are Co-Chairs



### **August is Membership and Extension Month**

### **Weekly Notes & Updates**

**50/50**

The Grand Prize is now over \$582. Last week **Jennifer Daversa** won \$13. 14 cards remain. The elusive Ace of Spades is still out there. Do not forget to buy your tickets!



### **Birthdays**

**Rick Morenzoni**-August 18th

**William Wegley**- August 29th

### **Bull Run Rotary Club**

### **Member Anniversaries**

**Sandy Miller**-1 years

### **Board Meeting Today**

### **Ping-Pong Winners**

The winners of the July Ping-Pong Raffle drawings are as follows:

\$250.00 # 032 **Craig Johnston**

\$ 50.00 # 006 **Sandy Miller**

\$ 25.00 # 033 **Terri Flight**

Thanks again to all of you for your support of this important fundraiser

**NATs vs. CUBS** tickets still available. **Wednesday Aug. 25<sup>th</sup> 7:05 pm**

### **Rotary Foundation Seminar**

The next Rotary Foundation Seminar will be held on Saturday Aug 21, 2010 at North Stafford High School. All Rotarians welcomed. Club officers and directors are encouraged to attend.

## Seven Habits of Highly Effective Rotarians



### 1. ATTENDANCE:

by Dr Jagdish Bhatt, D3140 India

Effective Rotarians always try to attend their club meetings or make up at other clubs as much as possible. They are aware that regular attendance is an important part of their membership commitment and do not miss a chance to attend. They participate on committees which they are members of, plus others if invited. They are keen to attend all club events and district functions. They participate in the District Assembly and District Conference each year, and have attended a recent Rotary International Convention.

### 2. FELLOWSHIP:

Effective Rotarians enjoy meeting other members and often feel this fellowship is as important to Rotary as the actual business part of a meeting. They go out of their way to talk to those whom they do not know and believe a stranger is just a friend they have not met yet. Outside of Rotary they also enjoy meeting people and getting acquainted with them. At large Rotary gatherings they make an effort to meet others, rather than just fraternizing with friends from their own club.

### 3. VOCATION:

Effective Rotarians respect every vocation and understand how the classification system is the basis of Rotary. They firmly believe that each vocation provides a cog in the wheel and is important, however insignificant it may appear. They firmly believe each member should try to excel in their job and they try to support and help others to reach their full potential.

### 4. DISCIPLINE:

Effective Rotarians understand the value of self-discipline and know that productive accomplishments are hard to achieve without it. They realize that both inner and outer discipline must be maintained in a proper balance and can enforce both disciplines when and where required.

### 5. TIME, MONEY & ENERGY:

Effective Rotarians know they have a purpose in Rotary and fully realize they must earmark a certain amount of time, money and energy to maintain this commitment. They also realize these three things should be shared in proper balance between their family, vocation and community.

### 6. EMPATHY:

Effective Rotarians put themselves in the position of the other person, especially if that person is in difficulty. They know that mere sympathy may not be enough, can be empathetic and feel compassion for the difficulties of others. They believe that what they are doing for their community is merely returning a small part of what they have already received from it. While they may appreciate recognition for their efforts they do not hanker for it.

### 7. IMAGE OF ROTARY:

Effective Rotarians may sometimes feel that all is not right with Rotary or there are too many 'politics'. They know some elements in Rotary need improvement but rather than be negative they use a positive approach to help rectify things. They maintain a positive attitude and portray a good image of Rotary, both inside and outside the organization.

## Rotary Website Directory

Bull Run	<a href="http://www.bullrunrotary.org">www.bullrunrotary.org</a>
District 7610	<a href="http://www.rotary7610.org">www.rotary7610.org</a>
Rotary International	<a href="http://www.rotary.org">www.rotary.org</a>

### Joke

A DEA officer stopped at a ranch in Texas and talked with an old rancher. He told the rancher, "I need to inspect your ranch for illegally grown drugs." The rancher said, "Okay, but do not go in that field over there." as he pointed out the location.

The DEA officer verbally exploded saying, "Mister, I have the authority of the Federal Government with me." Reaching into his rear pant's pocket, he removed his badge and proudly displayed it to the rancher. **"See this badge? This badge means I am allowed to go wherever I wish, on any land. No questions asked or answered. Have I made myself clear? Do you understand?"**

The rancher nodded politely, apologized, and went about his chores.

A short time later the old rancher heard loud screams and saw the DEA officer running for his life... being chased by the rancher's big Santa Gertrudis bull.

With every step the bull was gaining ground on the officer and it seemed likely that he would be gored before he reached safety. The officer was clearly terrified. The rancher threw down his tools and ran to the fence and yelled at the top of his lungs,

**"YOUR BADGE! SHOW HIM YOUR BADGE!"**

## Upcoming Events and Meeting Programs

### Tom Dougher-Program Chair

Tuesday 08/03	Craig Johnston Board Meeting
Tuesday 08/10	Scarlett Huang Ping-Pong Raffle Drawing
Tuesday 08/17	Donna Flory
Tuesday 08/24	Elaine Sours
Wednes 08/25	Rotary Baseball Nats vs. Cubs
Tuesday 08/31	Tom Lensis
Tuesday 09/07	Rick Morenzoni Board Meeting
Tuesday 09/14	Sandy Miller Ping-Pong Raffle Drawing
Wednes 09/15	Lou Maroon Golf Celebration
Friday 09/24-26	RYLA
Saturday 09/25	Children's Wellness Festival