

Bull Run Rotary Club

February 2, 2010

Manassas, Virginia

Club Number : 26632

Weekly Breakfast Meetings

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

9403 Main Street (Corner of Main & Center)

Downtown Manassas



This Week's Program: Debbie Abbott, the Executive Director of BEACON for Adult Literacy

Last Week: Craig Betterly with Centreville Sod spoke about the production of sod and grass.



Club Social Event

The Club had a social on Saturday January 23rd at the Bowl America on Mathis Ave. Bowlers were Tiffany Webb, Edite Pereira-Jones, her son Mario and sister-in-law Suzy, Debbie Edenhart, Donna Flory, Bill and Melissa Wegley, Sandy Miller and Elaine Sours. Afterwards Tom Dougher and Dan Radtke joined some of the group for chicken wings at World of Wings in Bristow. Thanks to Tiffany and Debbie for organizing this fun day.

Strikes for SERVE Bowl-A-Thon.

The annual SERVE, Inc. Bowl-a-Thon will be held at Bowl America, 9000 Mathis Avenue, Manassas, VA on Saturday March 13th. More info and signup sheets to come.

It's Official

Membership chair Dan Radtke has made Tiffany Webb an "official member". He has removed her "new member" sticker from her name badge. She also received a Rotary key chain. New members are to complete informative tasks to learn about Rotary and the Bull Run Rotary Club before their new member status is converted to official membership.



Foundation Matching Points

If you donate over \$500 to the Rotary Foundation your donation will be matched to help you reach a new Paul Harris Fellow level. See Dabney Schneider for more info.

February is World Understanding Month

Weekly Notes & Updates 50/50

The Grand Prize is now over \$193. Last week Tom Lensis won \$14. 39 cards remain. The elusive Ace of Spades is still out there. Do not forget to buy your tickets!



Birthdays

Scarlett Huang-February 4th

Sandy Miller-February 20th

Elaine Sours-February 21st

Monte Carlo Nite

Saturday April 17, 2010

@ 6:30 PM-11:00 PM

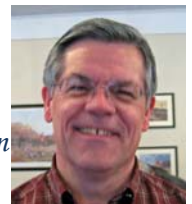
Virginia Portuguese Center

9509 Lee Court in the City of Manassas

Tickets \$50 per person

Welcome New Member Mike!

Mike Tracy with MPLT Business Services has been accepted for membership!



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They are Everyday Living Cards!!!
www.glscrip.com. Debbie Edenhart is taking orders. Buy gift cards for your business expenses. Example if you use STAPLES for your work supplies then buy gift cards to pay for them. Use Lowes or Home Depot then buy your gift cards and pay for your work or everyday purchases with our gift cards. Same as cash!

RI Convention



2010 RI Convention in
Montréal, Québec,
Canada, 20-23 June



Sophisticated yet friendly, Montréal offers an ideal setting for Rotarians to gather at the 2010 RI Convention. More than 80 nationalities and ethnic groups reside in Montréal. In addition, it is also the largest francophone city outside of Paris, making it the most bilingual metropolis in North America. Register early now for "An International Experience" and to receive the best rates and accommodations. Go to the convention and experience fellowship and Rotary at an international level.

Venues

The venues will be the Bell Centre for plenary sessions and the Palais des congrès de Montréal for breakout sessions, booths, and the House of Friendship. These venues are within a short walk or métro ride of each other and many of the downtown hotels.

2010 host event tickets

The host committee has planned events, tours, and a Host Hospitality evening with multiple options to help convention goers experience Montréal's cultural offerings with local Rotarians. Some of these events have limited capacities, so be sure to purchase your tickets early.

2010 registration

Registration for one preconvention event (except for the International Institute) is included in the price of your convention registration.

Four Ways to Register

Online at www.rotary.org

Fill out the writable PDF online and **e-mail** to: ri.registration@rotary.org
Download the form and **fax** to: RI Registration Services, +1-847-866-3064

Mail to: Rotary International, 14244 Collections Center Dr., Chicago, IL 60693 USA

Rotary Website Directory

Bull Run	www.bullrunrotary.org
District 7610	www.rotary7610.org
Rotary International	www.rotary.org

Joke

Top 11 Reasons to Celebrate Groundhog Day

11. It's on nearly every calendar.
10. Helps relieve cabin fever
9. Spring or not, its six weeks till St. Paddy's Day.
8. Forecast is no less reliable than the National Weather Service.
7. At least one of them critters is bound to see things your way.
6. Valentine's Day is too depressing for nerds.
5. Unlike the Easter bunny, he keeps his dirty paws outside.
4. As they used to say on radio: "The Shadow knows".
3. Its fun to say "Punxsutawney".
2. If a rodent can bring us an early spring, more power to him.
1. In Minnesota, either way we come out ahead.

Upcoming Events and Meeting Programs

Tom Dougher-Program Chair

Tuesday	02/02	Rick Morenzoni Ping-Pong Raffle Drawing (Jan.)
Tuesday	02/09	Amanda Maddox Ping-Pong Raffle Drawing
Tuesday	02/16	Sandy Miller Board Meeting
Tuesday	02/23	Club Assembly
Tuesday	03/02	Ed Powell
Tuesday	03/09	Dan Radtke
Tuesday	03/16	Coleman Rector Board Meeting
Tuesday	03/23	Club Assembly
Tuesday	03/30	Jay Rotz
Saturday	04/17	MCN
Thurs	04/29-05/02	District Conference-Will'burg, VA