Chief Marty A. Sumner is a twenty-nine year veteran with the High Point, North Carolina Police Department. Chief Sumner was appointed Chief of Police in March of 2012 by then High Point City Manager Strib Boynton after serving eight years as Assistant Chief. Chief Sumner's previous assignments include Major Crime Deterrence & Prevention, Patrol, Vice Narcotics, detectives, training, administrative assistant to the chief, field training supervisor, field training commander and the Tactical Team retiring as the team commander in 2003. In 2002, Sumner was promoted to captain, then major and assistant chief in 2003. His predecessor, Chief Jim Fealy promoted Sumner to deputy chief in 2011.

Chief Sumner is a graduate of John Wesley College in 1995, graduating summa cum laude. The High Point native completed the Southern Police Institute Administrative Officers Course at the University of Louisville in 2000 and the Senior Executives in State and Local Government at Harvard in 2006. Chief Sumner helped design and implement the "High Point" approach to eliminating neighborhood drug markets, which won the 2007 Innovations in American Government award from the Ash Institute at Harvard and the 2008 National League of Cities Gold Award.

Sumner has also been active in the High Point community, serving as the first chair of Community Resource Network in 2009 and as chair of the Salvation Army Boys and Girls Club Advisory Board from 2003 to 2008. Chief Sumner and wife Kathy have been married for 28 years; they have two sons Holden 19 and Jared 16.
Last Week at Rotary .... (continued from page 1)
at Mendenhall Transportation Center. Andy Harris and Emily Littlefield picked up their Blue Badges. While front and center, Tim thanked Emily for bringing some of her Laurel U students and thanked them for their help in preparing our tickets for distribution. Andy used the time to plug this year’s football pool which began Thursday and included Thursday night games. President Tim called up “the Queen Man Himself” Ken Esposito with his deck of cards and basket of tickets in tow. Tom Conley held the winning ticket in the Queen of Hearts game, but his cut that uncovered the wrong queen left the pot intact. Tim changed his description to the “Queen Duke Man” as Ken exited the room. Kem McAllister had the privilege of introducing our District Governor Larry Lassiter, Who was greeted with a standing ovation. Larry through out a few accolades our club’s way recognizing our club’s seven past district governors, praising our $758,000 cumulative giving to the Rotary Foundation, highlighting our leading total in the district for new Paul Harris Society members last year, and mentioning our always near the top giving to Polio Plus. Larry recounted his first hand experience in Rio this summer seeing up close the work of our Rotary Foundation in a school, partially funded by our district, in a tough area of that city. He acknowledged our fun fellowship that goes along side inspired service. He told of a Rotary Club so small that they only had a 3 Way Test. . . . . . (1) Was it fun? (2) Will anybody get hurt? (3) Will anybody find out? Sorry he said, our club doesn’t qualify. We are too big. He challenged us to seek out new members and to retain our current membership base. He encouraged our growth in the Paul Harris Society. Larry encouraged Family of Rotary Events and doing things with other clubs. He mentioned focuses on Alzheimer’s Disease and Women’s Heart issues. And of course he included Polio Plus where he gave us the recent news that Africa is now 1 year polio free from new cases. Pakistan is down 70% this year and is cooperating at wiping out the disease. Afghanistan remains the obstacle to world eradication. Larry challenged us to become “World Class” Rotarians in our gifts to the Foundation and Sponsorship of a new member. He urged us to find our niche in Rotary and serve well. “Be a Gift to the World!” Larry invited us all to the Greenbrier for the next district conference and told us as Rotarians we need to be evolutionary all of the time and revolutionary at times. He closed by saying that people will not remember what you say or what you do, but they will always remember how you make them feel! The audience gave Mr. Lassiter another standing ovation. President Tim presented the D.G. with the speaker’s gift, a clock flanked by a conservative looking golfer. Those who have seen Larry on the golf course know that his clothing has at times been a bit, shall we say, flamboyant! Those golfers from Troy know how to spice up the district golf outing. President Tim decide that he liked his designation of his guests as being ‘the posse’. So he encouraged us to invite our own posse to Rotary and invite someone to join! We adjourned with the 4 Way Test.

SAVE THE DATE

Habitat for Humanity

Next Build . . .

NOV. 5 & 6

7:30 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

Questions? See Joe Youngblood

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The Rotary Club

FOOTBALL POOL

Kicked Off

Last Thursday

Who’s Our Best Prognosticator?

Have Some Fun!

Join the Action

Gotta Play To Win!

Tom Conley cuts the deck as Ken Esposito looks on. The Queen of Spades won’t do the trick and the game goes on!

Delores Lassiter, Assistant District Governor Kem McAllister, President Tim Mabe. District Governor Larry Lassiter, and Past District Governor Dave McCoy at Rotary last Thursday.
The March 7, 1969 High Point Enterprise recounts in a story that the Rotary Club of High Point had a speaker and slide show by Captain C.B. Jennings, USN retired, who was at the time the superintendent of the North Carolina Battle-ship Memorial in Wilmington. That speaker was introduced by our own Max Meeks, a U.S. Navy veteran himself. During that intro, Max, proudly I am sure, told the audience that he participated in the Iwo Jima invasion on February 29, 1945. He said that “at one time during the battle, he saw from the deck of the ship some men raising a flag on Mount Sarabachi, but did not realize what a historic event he was witnessing”. Living history walks among us . . . . not to mention a great display of SERVICE ABOVE SELF before he was even a Rotarian! We salute you Max!
THE BIRTHDAY BOYS

Jim Armstrong  Monday, Sept. 7th
Rick Blake        Monday, Sept. 7th
Bobby Jackson    Monday, Sept. 7th
Greg Suire       Monday, Sept. 7th
David Wall       Thurs., Sept. 10th
Dave McCoy       Fri., Sept. 11th

THE BIRTHDAY BOYS

Maurice & Laura Hull  7 years
Tim & Debbie Mabe     14 years
Sunday, Sept. 6th     Monday, Sept. 7th

Happy Anniversary

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ABSENCE

For week of September 3rd

Sept 17 Dan Hauser & Scott Cherry H.P.U. Athletics
Oct. 1 Lt. Col. Frank Montgomery Iwo Jima Campaign Veteran
Oct. 8 No Thursday Meeting FRIDAY OCT. 9th IS BBQ & AUCTION

Make Your Calendar

THURSDAY

Sept 17

Sept 24

Ron Wellman
Wake Forest University Athletics Director

DON'T FORGET TO DO A MAKE UP

MAKE UPS:
For week of September 3rd
BOARD MEETING:
Dunbar 6/1, White 6/1
E-CLUB MAKEUP:
Hennessy 8/31, Williamson 8/30
COOKBOOK COMMITTEE MEETING:
Smith 6/4
GOLF COMMITTEE MEETING:
Trinklein 4/15
MOBILE MEALS:
Harriss 4/23

EASY MAKE UPS:
You can now receive make up credit through the internet. Just go to the website www.rotaryclubsnc.org
This site gives you another make up opportunity you can do from the comfort of your own home. This is a fully chartered club by Rotary International. You can choose a ‘Program’ that you want to read, answer some questions, and print out the make up slip. All they ask is that the person donate the cost of the meal of the home club to help offset the cost of maintaining the site. If you contribute the cost of your meal, please be sure and let Kem Ellis or Dave McCoy know so that you will receive meal credit on your next statement.
WE NEED SPONSORSHIPS!

Yes! I want to be a sponsor for the High Point Rotary
piggybank fund.

Checks Payable to High Point Rotary Club
PO Box 5503 High Point, NC 27262

WHO DO YOU KNOW THAT WILL HELP?

GREAT PERKS FOR SPONSORS

WE NEED GREAT AUCTION ITEMS
Already on tap are . . .
(1) A romantic dinner & room at J.H. Adams Inn, plus movie tickets
(2) Dinner & Margaritas for 8 on a sunset pontoon boat cruise at Lake Jeanette.
(3) Gift Certificates from Company’s Coming, Real Creations & J.H. Adams Inn.

RAFFLE TICKETS ARE JUST $ 5 THIS YEAR.
That is an easy sell.
And this is a great way for us to make more money to boost our profits for Horsepower and other charities.

Need More Tickets?
See Mark Pierce
We’ll get them to You!

PLEASE SIGN UP TO WORK
Only 50 Rotarians have signed up to work on the BBQ and Auction Event.
EVERYONE is expected to Participate!
Sign up now, before you are assigned to a committee.
Committees & Chairs can be found on At right
Questions?
See Jeff Fuller or Dave McCoy
To sign up!

COMMITTEES
MARKETING COMMITTEE: Dwight Shaw, chair
Promotes the Event in the Community
DELIVERY COMMITTEE: Steve Ilderton, chair
Arranges deliveries to businesses
ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE: Joyce Kernodle, chair
Helps with securing entertainment
FOOD COMMITTEE: Carroll Brown, chair
Helps with Food Preparation
DINING ROOM COM: B. Norris, M. Morgan, chairs
Ensures set up and serves food for eat in
AUCTION COM: M. Parrish, N. Cridlebaugh, chairs
Secures auction items , set up items, takes down
CORPORATE SPONSORS: Committee
Helps with securing corporate sponsorships
CLEAN UP COM: George White, Tim Smyth, chairs
Keeps tables clear, handles trash during and at end
FINANCE COM: Ken Esposito, Dave McCoy chairs
Keeps track of $, collects $ (this committee is closed)

MAILING COMMITTEE: Branch McCollum, chair
Handles order prep for delivery teams & drive thru

Sponsorship Opportunities

Presenting Sponsor $5,000

- 20 Complimentary Meal Tickets
- Prominent Listing of Name and Logo on all Marketing Material including Flyers, Print Ads, Auction Website, Banners, Bill Boards & Tickets
- Special Mention on any Radio or TV Spots (subject to our ability to secure those)
- Banner at the Event (provided by company)
- Acknowledgement at Event by MC
- Free booth/table at event to promote your business

Gold Sponsor $1,000

- 10 Complimentary Meal Tickets
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Silver Sponsor $500

- 5 Complimentary Meal Tickets
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Table Sponsor $100

- Company Name, Logo and Contact Information on a table at the event

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