

CLUB NEWS

KIWANIS CLUB OF MECKLENBURG COUNTY CHARTERED IN 1952

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KIWANIS WEEK 39

President *GERALD* led off the meeting and called on *CHET HELT* to lead us in singing *America* and reciting the *Pledge of America*. *CHET* then delivered the invocation. *JOHN JONES, JR.* performed well in his role as the *Greeter*, preceding the meeting. Two prospective members, realtor *BERTRAM HORNE* and insurance executive *DOUGLAS DICKERSON* were with us for the meeting, and, hopefully, both will soon be added to our membership rolls.. The bulletin editor was pleasantly surprised to find that *SARAH DOCKERY* had joined the Club during his month's absence. Including our speaker and two guests, attendance totaled only 16.

THIS WEEK

You or your company would normally have had to pay big bucks to hear nationally -ranked motivational speaker *TY BOYD* deliver one of his always interesting and useful talks... but today it was absolutely free for all members and guests who attended our meeting,

TY's message was wound around the topic, "The Best is Yet to Come" and along the way he dropped some real gems such as, "An Ounce of Passion is Worth a Lifetime of Technique" *TY*, who's father and brother were both Kiwanians, said that while he teaches his students to communicate by talking , he also stresses how important it is for them to listen inventively

He characterized President Clinton as being a great communicacator, with great charisma. He told us that people come away after meeting the former president feeling as if he took a genuine interest in them.

Summing up, *TY* told us the four secrets to being successful were; 1. Be passionate about what you are doing, 2. Really listen to the person you are with, 3. Do you very best, don't try to be perfect,

4. Find a way to relate intimately with the other person or group.

NEXT MEETING

We next meet on Monday, June 20, when *DR.. SCOTT MCGINNIS*, Radiation Oncologist with Presbyterian Hospital, will be our speaker.

An inter-club meeting is scheduled with the Central Charlotte Club for June 17. Those absent from this week's meeting should note that the Club voted to omit the July 4 meeting. No makeup meeting was scheduled.

INTERNATIONAL & DISTRICT MEETINGS

GERALD, FRANK and *MATT* will be representing the Club at the International meeting in Hawaii, June .. *MATTHEW, MARK AND LUKE*, naw... *MATTHEW, MARK* and *GERALD* also will be our representatives at the District Convention in August.

TABLE TALK

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PRESIDENT.....GERALD BAYSDEN (704/331-2220)
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QUENTIN ANDERSON (704/542-9623)
GASTON GAGE.....(704/334-3317)
JOHN JONES, SR.....(704/525-5717)

CLASS OF 2005

BOB ASHMORE.....(704/489-2123)
SAM MCMAHON(704/525-2177)
LOGAN PRATT.....(704/571-7812)

Saddened to learn that former member, *WALLY HENDERSON* is in bad shape at Presbyterian,,,,Good to see *BOB ASHMORE* take the \$36 jackpot in today's drawing. What would the Club ever do without *JOHN JONES* and his uncanny ability to convert most every one he meets into a member of our Club. The only problem with our "Samaritan's Feet" patch we were awarded, is where we can find space on banner.to stick it.

Web Administrator's Note: It is with much sadness that we report Club Past President (1984/1985) Wally Henderson died on Wednesday, June 8, 2005.