

# The Mecklenburg Missile

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Kiwanis Club of Mecklenburg, Charlotte, Inc.

P. O. Box 33573, Charlotte, NC 28233-3573

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January 9, 2006

Attendance: 19 Members, 6 Guests

## Mecklenburg Kiwanis adopts long-term project!



President-Elect (Dr.) Mark Mogul arranged our program today, bringing with him several guests: members of the staff at Presbyterian Hospital and family members of his patients.

Dr. Mark spoke briefly about children being afflicted with cancer. A little-known fact is that cancer is the #2 killer of children, behind only accidents. Most of our thinking about cancer focuses on adults, often the elderly. It just never occurs to us that cancer in children really is a MAJOR problem.

Stacy Jesso, President of Presbyterian Hospital Foundation, spoke about what Kiwanis could do to further the efforts in the field of Pediatric Oncology.



Mary Scott pleasant treating her damp eyes



related how helpful and everybody at the clinic was in son. Her "testimony" left a few among the audience.



Pat Campbell talked about the working in the "family" atmosphere and how fine it was to be associated with such wonderful and caring people; and that plans for the future were most exciting.

Aviation NEWS is all-too-often the uninformed interviewing the unqualified, resulting in drivel for the uneducated.

Dr. Mark and Ms. Jesso spoke of several possibilities how Kiwanis might get involved in this medical specialty. They related a building, which dream of a new would add much needed space to their facility. Wouldn't it be SOMETHING if we could build a KIWANIS PEDIATRIC ONCOLOGY CENTER?!? (Editor's Note: In 1986-1987 our International theme was "Make Miracles Happen," and our team was known as *The Miracle Makers*. Can we do it again????)



President Matt wrapped it all up offering heartfelt thanks and appreciation to our guests and to those who came to speak to us today. He also asked if there would be a motion for Mecklenburg a project of the project study was made was NO w a s enthusiastic: Kiwanis Club to adopt dealing with pediatric scope, term, and name to be determined as the progresses. Motion and seconded. There discussion. The vote unanimous and MOTION PASSED!



### NEXT MEETING

Monday, January 16, 2006. Now, after the holidays, we are back on our regular schedule: 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Mondays each month.

Club meets 12:00 Noon, 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Mondays: Best Western Charlotte Uptown - 201 S. McDowell St.

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