

# The Mecklenburg Missile

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Kiwanis Club of Mecklenburg, Charlotte, Inc.

Organized August 5, 1952

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

Missile Launcher: Bob Swanson

Meeting: Monday, June 1, 2009

Attendance: 18 Members; 4 guests

## TODAY'S MEETING

Marcia Lampert, of Buddy Kemp Caring House.

This facility is a non-profit organization affiliated with Novant Health and dedicated to providing non-medical cancer support. They offer support groups, counseling services, educational services, a resource library, etc. Their web site proclaims:



Located just two blocks from Presbyterian Hospital, the Presbyterian Buddy Kemp Caring House offers support groups, counseling services, educational programs and a resource library for individuals of all ages diagnosed with cancer, their families and friends. All services are free and are available to anyone who desires.

In some respects it is similar to Hospice. But Hospice is generally more restrictive in that its focus is on relieving symptoms and supporting patients whose life expectancy is six months or less. Also, Hospice actually involves medical care.

To learn more, Buddy Kemp Caring has several web sites you can look up. To find them, run a search for "Buddy Kemp Caring."

THANKS to our speaker today for an informative and interesting program.

## DIDJAKNOW?

Until 1969 Kiwanis operated on a calendar year - - our administrative year was January 1 to December 31. In 1969 it was changed to the administrative and fiscal year we still observe: October 1 through September 30. Thus in 1969 all officers, committees, etc., had just a nine-months year.

## WE'RE INVITED!

By our Lieutenant Governor to [CANS BAR](#) for charter presentation to Kiwanis Uptown Club.

When: Thursday, June 18, 7:00 PM.

What: Charter presentation, plus silent auction and raffle.

Cost: \$25 in advance; \$30 at door.



Lt. Gov. Rachel Clifton

## DIDJAKNOWMORE?

International Trustees and Officers are elected by the delegate body at the annual International Convention. The normal sequence of succession is from International Trustee to Vice President, then to President-Elect, and, finally, President, then (automatically) to Immediate Past President..

The International Board of Trustees is composed of an International President, President-Elect, Vice President, Immediate Past President, and 12 International Trustees. Trustees are elected for three-year terms, and are not eligible for re-election; while Officers serve for one year only. The only constitutional requirement for candidacy for International office - other than being a member in good standing of a Kiwanis Club in good standing - is that the individual must have served as a District Governor.

Meets 12:00 Noon, 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Mondays: Crowne Plaza Charlotte Hotel - 201 S. McDowell St.

Web Site: <http://www.mecklenburgkiwanis.org>