

The Mecklenburg Missile

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Kiwanis Club of Mecklenburg, Charlotte, Inc.

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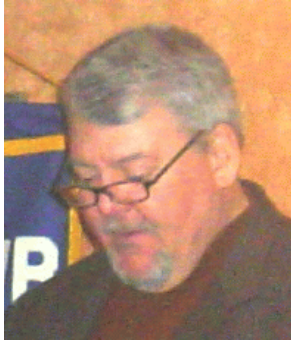
Missile Launcher: Bob Swanson

Meeting: Monday, January 23, 2012

Next Meeting: Monday, February 6

Today's Program

Bruce Hensley, head of his own PR firm, specializing in restaurants. Bruce also founded the idea of Charlotte Restaurant Week - which is flourishing. Participating restaurants offer 3-course meals for \$30.00.



site:

charlotterestaurantweek.com

Events Coming

Carolinas District MidYear Conference

Info at right.

Kiwanis International Convention

The 2012 Convention will be held in New Orleans, Louisiana, from June 28 to July 1. Each Kiwanis Club in good standing is entitled to **two** delegates. And there are provisions for other representation if a Club cannot find its own two delegates.

Carolinas District Convention

Will take place this year in Cary, North Carolina, August 24 - 26. Each Carolinas District Kiwanis Club in good standing is entitled to **three** delegates. As indicated for International Convention, there are provisions for other representation if a Club cannot find its own three delegates. This is where District officers for the coming year will be elected and installed, as well as bylaws amendments, and resolutions will be considered.

International Bylaws Amendments

I wrote in a recent "Missile" about the Kiwanis International Council: what it is, what it does, and how it works. I didn't know prophetic doing that really was. A "Kiwanis Dateline" published just last week listed a dozen (12) amendments just enacted by Council. They seem to be mostly, if not all, in the "housekeeping" category, and none appear to be particularly controversial. They will be presented to the delegates for ratification at the 2012 International Convention in New Orleans. Until then they are the law in Kiwanis!

MidYear Conference

This annual event will take place again this year at the Kingston Plantation Embassy Suites, Myrtle Beach, South Carolina. It's been held there for several consecutive years. This facility is a thriving resort and residence and well-suited to this kind of meeting.

This is primarily a training and information program, and there is no business conducted. So no delegates are required.

International Trustees and Officers are elected by the delegate body at the annual International Convention. The normal sequence of succession is from International Trustee (three-year term, no reelection) to Vice President, then to President-Elect, and, finally, President, then (automatically) to Immediate Past President..

NEXT MEETING

Monday, February 6, regular time, regular place.

Meets 12:00 Noon, 1st & 3rd Mondays: Villa Antonio Ristorante, 4707 South Boulevard
Web Site: <http://www.mecklenburgkiwanis.org>