Kiwanis Club of Mecklenburg, Charlotte, Inc.

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Missile Launcher: Bob Swanson

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

Meeting: Monday, October 1, 2012 Next Meeting: Monday, October 15

## HAPPY NEW YEAR!

No. We are not getting ahead of ourselves. It is not January 1.

But October 1, 2012 is the beginning of the new KIWANIS year 2012/2013. And we have a whole set of new leaders at all levels from International President down.

As for us here, we'll be led for the next 12 months by *Candi Knudsen*. If the way she has pitched in and WORKED since joining us is any indication, we'll be in good hands; and we look forward to a banner year upcoming.

## Today's Program

President Candi came well-prepared, after having done considerable homework. She outlined her goals and ambitions for the year to come. Then later in the afternoon



Introducing a guest of Jenn's

she emailed to all members a summary for the benefit of you who could (or DID!) not attend.

Candi's benefit from attending Kiwanis training sessions definitely was

showing through. Mark my words: she will go down as being one of the better Presidents we've had for a long time. Candi: THANKS already!!

If I agreed with you, we'd both be wrong.

I used to be indecisive. Now I'm not so sure.

To be sure of hitting your target, shoot first and then call whatever you hit the target.

You do not need a parachute to skydive. You only need a parachute to skydive again.

## Sad News

It is with heavy hearts that we learn of the passing of Dorothy Mullis Hagler, better known as "Dot." Dot, 91, was the grandmother of Kiwanians Matt Hagler, Keri Brennan, and Katie Neeler.

Dot lived a long and quite productive life, and had a most special relationship with her grandchildren.

An obituary was published in the Charlotte Observer of Tuesday, October 2.

Our deepest sympathy to the Hagler family.

## *DIDJANO*:

Individual Kiwanians are NOT members of Kiwanis International. They are members of their respective Kiwanis Clubs, which, in turn, are members of Kiwanis International.

That fact seems trivial, but it was a very important factor in the court proceedings of circa1986 during the litigation involving the question of admitting women into Kiwanis membership.

Also a most important factor was the fact that most of our Clubs meet in public meeting facilities, where discriminating is illegal.

Meets 12:00 Noon, 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Mondays: Villa Antonio Ristorante, 4707 South Boulevard
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