

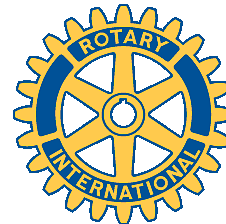
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Good Afternoon Rotarians:

Prayer Cathy Martin and Humor Rita Starnes.

PROGRAMS FOR DECEMBER

	December 2008 Theme: Family Focus on the family and its importance especially through the HOLIDAYS		
Date	Responsible Member	Speaker	Program Topic/Presenter
12/3		Christmas party	Holiday Party with spouses at N H Scheppers Distributing
12/10	Rita Starnes	Rita Starnes	" Do you hear what I hear"
12/17	Bill Robinett	Erin Crab	Ambassadorial Scholar Presentation
12/24	No meeting		Merry Christmas to you and your family
12/31	No meeting		Happy New Year to you and your family



Nielsen's 6080 December Newsletter

December is Family Month

Have you sent your
ballot for the Council of
Legislation issues?

Due before December
15th

Fax: 573-374-1175

**Have you made
our District
Web-site a
"Favorite"?**

www.rotary6080.org

For the
Directory:

For a Directory:

Username: rotary6080

Password: RD6080

*Username/password
are both case sensitive*

Why not access other
club's sites for ideas?

Check out the Club list.

**GROUP STUDY
EXCHANGE WITH
NIGERIA**

***Inbound: April 5th to
May 3, 2009***

***Outbound: May 4th to
June 1st, 2009***

**Making up attendance
Club attendance is**

important! Make sure your
members are making up their
meetings or doing it on-line at
www.rotaryclubone.com and
get their make up form to your
club secretary for credit. It is

December is Rotary International's Family Month. I think this is very appropriate given the holidays that dominate the next several weeks. When you think of the holidays, you usually think of family. The Rotary Family is no exception. We take this time to reconnect with "family" we have made through Rotary whether it be a Christmas card to someone we met in another club or a youth exchange student that previously stayed in our home. Take time to make a phone call or send an email to reconnect with your Rotary Family this month.

Seasons Best to you and your!

Sherry

Bound for Birmingham - Be a Part of the 100th Rotary Convention

If you want to truly experience the international scope of Rotary, attending a Rotary International Convention is a must. Rotarians from more than 150 countries are expected to attend the 2009 RI Convention in Birmingham, England next June 21 - 24.

The Birmingham Convention will mark the 100th time Rotarians from around the world have gathered to celebrate the service and fellowship that makes Rotary special. Convention goers will hear inspiring speakers, attend informative breakout sessions, learn about successful club and district projects, and make new friends in the House of Friendship.

Rotary travelers will have the opportunity explore the reinvigorated city of Birmingham and the medieval castles of England's West Midlands region. Pre- and post-convention tours of the Great Britain, Ireland and other parts of Europe are also available through Johnson's Quality Coach Travel, <http://www.johnsonspreandposttours.co.uk/>.

For more information about the 2009 RI Convention or to register, please visit

www.rotary.org

The early registration deadline is December 15, so check it out today!

Brad Bodenhausen, District Chm.

International Convention

Brad@springfieldchamber.com

such a great way to meet other Rotarians and get ideas!

HAVE A WONDERFUL

Christmas

Club Elections in December

Remember to forward your elected officers to the District Secretary,
Lori Drake
LDrake@ozarkadv.com

Is YOUR CLUB looking for a PROJECT?

ProjectLINK is RI's on-line, searchable database which lists Rotary club and district projects in need of funding, volunteers, donated goods, and/or partners for a Rotary Foundation Matching Grant, and model projects that can be used as examples of best practices.

For example, if your club is seeking a project that will help support President Lee's emphasis of reducing child mortality, you might conduct a search on the advanced tab, by entering keywords such as "child," "nutrition," "water filtration," or "AIDS."

RI hopes that this publication will be a huge success and prove an effective tool for clubs in their international service projects.

Sincerely,

Sherry Nielsen
Rotary District Governor 2008-09

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I look forward to seeing each of you this Wednesday and I hope you take the time to read Sherry's newsletter above.

President Nancy

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