

► THIS WEEK'S RIDDLE:

THE WEEKLY RIDDLE HAS BEEN DISCONTINUED, AS IT IS HAVING A NEGATIVE EFFECT ON TICKET SALES! SO, BUY YOUR TICKETS!

► THERE WILL BE NO MEETINGS ON DECEMBER 26TH AND JANUARY 2ND.

December 5, 2005

2005-2006 Rotary Theme

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**SERVICE Above Self**

# The Houghton Lake Rotarian

DISTRICT 6290

## SERVICE ABOVE SELF

### THE FOUR WAY TEST OF THE THINGS WE SAY OR DO

- 1) IS IT THE TRUTH?
- 2) IS IT FAIR TO ALL CONCERNED?
- 3) WILL IT BUILD GOOD WILL AND BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
- 4) WILL IT BE BENEFICIAL TO ALL CONCERNED?

### THE FOUR AVENUES OF ROTARY SERVICE

#### VOCATIONAL SERVICE

REPRESENTING THE DIGNITY AND UTILITY OF ONE'S VOCATION TO OTHERS

#### CLUB SERVICE

ACTIVITIES TO MAKE A CLUB FUNCTION SUCCESSFULLY

#### COMMUNITY SERVICE

ACTIVITIES TO IMPROVE THE QUALITY OF LIFE IN ONE'S COMMUNITY. ASSISTANCE TO YOUTH, THE AGED, THE HANDICAPPED AND OTHERS

#### INTERNATIONAL SERVICE

PROGRAMS AND ACTIVITIES TO ADVANCE INTERNATIONAL UNDERSTANDING, GOODWILL AND PEACE. MEETING HUMANITARIAN NEEDS OF PEOPLE IN MANY LANDS

Dear Fellow Rotarians,

It was past RI President Jonathan B. Majiyagbe who emphasized the importance of the family of Rotary by creating the Family of Rotary Task Force, continued the following year by 2004-05 RI President Glenn E. Estess Sr. These two gentlemen also urged clubs and districts to start family of Rotary committees. This year, I have discontinued the task force because I feel it has achieved its mission. Clubs and districts all over the world have created family of Rotary committees. For those who have not, it is never too late.



It may be worth giving some thought to the question: Just what is the family of Rotary?

Of course, each Rotarian has a personal family. Some of these families are very heavily involved in Rotary service, while others are not. This may be for cultural or for personal reasons. The decision to support Rotary is really up to the individuals and is not something that Rotary International can force upon anybody.

But the family of Rotary can be more than a single family unit. It can represent many aspects of the organization. The RI Board is part of the family of Rotary International. So is each district as well as each club. Each Group Study Exchange team is part of the family of Rotary. So are our Rotaractors and Interactors and our Youth Exchange students studying abroad. Our RI training leaders and all our committees and resource groups from various parts of the family of Rotary. Finally, The Rotary Foundation is a large and important part of our family of Rotary.

It is important that we care about the family of Rotary. It helps us in our work and it creates fellowship and friendship—two of the cornerstones of Rotary International.

Even though the Family of Rotary Task Force no longer exists, its spirit is very much alive and sound. I urge all those districts and clubs that have not created a family of Rotary committee to start one during the month of December, which is Family Month. By doing so, we honor our commitment to *Service Above Self* and continue to show the world the great leadership of Rotary International.

Carl-Wilhelm Stenhammar  
President, Rotary International

#### Program

T. Anderson	12/5
B. Collin	12/12
R. Cudney	12/19
CHRISTMAS	12/26
NEW YEAR'S	1/2
A. Docherty	1/9
D. Follrath	1/16
S. Fuller	1/23

#### Greeters

Szach/Spicer
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Souder/Sisson
NO MEETING
NO MEETING
Sheppard/Seymour
Patterson/Pacella
Patterson/Pacella

#### Calendar

- Board meeting—December 12, 2005
- TUT Chili-Cookoff—January 21 & 28, 2006
- Rotary Auction—April 29, 2006 @ Quality Inn

## December is Rotary Family Month!

**Rotary Club of Houghton Lake  
2005-2006 Officers and Board Members**

**President**  
**Past President**  
**President Elect**  
**President Nominee**  
**Secretary**  
**Treasurer**

**John Stark**  
**Randy Seymour**  
**Debbie Banks**  
  
**Vicki Kalmbach**  
**Bert Sisson**

**Board Member, Vocational Service**  
**Board Member, Community Service**  
**Board Member, Club Service**  
**Board Member, International Service**

**Debbie Banks**  
**Tom Moreau**  
**Anita Sheppard**  
**Wendy Turner**

**2005/2006 Committees**

**Vocational Chair**  
Career Day  
Strive Program  
Scholarship  
Life Leadership  
Meap Breakfast  
Vocational Award

**Debbie Banks**  
MacKenzie  
Barnes  
Walker  
Anderson  
McMillan  
Patterson

**Community Chair**  
Park Project  
Bike Rodeo  
Track Meet  
Adopt-a-Highway  
Interact  
Citizen Award  
Habitat for Humanity

**Tom Moreau**  
McNamara  
Milner/Moreau  
Oliver  
Hunter  
Oliver/MacKenzie  
Patterson  
Banks

**Club Service Chair**  
Club Historian  
Auction  
Golf Outing  
Weekly Program  
Weekly Bulletin  
Webmaster  
Spouse Appreciation  
Sergeant at Arms  
Membership &  
Retention

**Anita Sheppard**  
Anderson  
Sheppard  
Homan/Barnes  
Boggs  
Barnes  
G. Gandolfi  
Anderson  
Hanson  
Banks

**International Chair**  
International  
Exchange Program  
World Community  
Service Project  
Foundation & Polio  
Plus

**Wendy Turner**  
Turner  
  
G. Gandolfi  
  
Kalmbach

*Rotary Club of HL meets each Monday at Coyle's-12:15pm*

**Rotary Membership:**

<b>Terry Anderson-PP</b>	<b>Ron Homan</b>	<b>Anita Sheppard</b>
<b>Debbie Banks-PE</b>	<b>Kiley Howes</b>	<b>Bert Sisson</b>
<b>Stacey Barnes</b>	<b>Steve Hunter</b>	<b>Barb Souder-PP</b>
<b>Charlie Berg</b>	<b>Vickie Kalmbach</b>	<b>Phillip Spicer-PP</b>
<b>Lou Boggs</b>	<b>Jim Kent-H</b>	<b>John Stark-P</b>
<b>Dick Brown</b>	<b>Carolyn Krompetz</b>	<b>Brenda Szach</b>
<b>Gavin Carnegie-H</b>	<b>Rhonda Lamberg</b>	<b>Sheryl Tester</b>
<b>Bill Collin</b>	<b>Dave Lamer</b>	<b>Wendy Turner</b>
<b>Robbyn Cudney</b>	<b>Denise MacKenzie</b>	<b>Rodney Walker</b>
<b>Jim Deamud</b>	<b>Dan McGregor</b>	<b>Laurie Wallin-PP</b>
<b>Allison Docherty</b>	<b>Greg McMillan</b>	
<b>Dick Follrath</b>	<b>Tom McNamara-PP</b>	
<b>Sindy Fuller</b>	<b>Darrell Milner-PP</b>	
<b>Bob Gandolfi-PP</b>	<b>Tom Moreau-PP</b>	
<b>Gary Gandolfi-PP</b>	<b>Marv Myers</b>	
<b>Matt Grover</b>	<b>Bill Oliver-PP</b>	
<b>Rick Hacker</b>	<b>Bob Pacella</b>	
<b>Amy Hance</b>	<b>Karen Patterson</b>	
<b>David Hanson</b>	<b>Randy Seymour-PP</b>	

**HL High School Interact Club**

President	Amanda Davis
Past President	Courtney Yoder
President Elect	Malory Clock
Secretary	
Treasurer	Jessica McClenathan
Freshman Director	TBD
Sophomore Director	Stephanie Foster
Junior Director	Kelly McGurk
Senior Director	Katie Wiggins
Advisors	Bill Oliver Denise MacKenzie

*Interact meets twice monthly after school*

**Interact Membership:**

Maria Arbogast	Kelly Lepper
Mike Bowman	Adrienne Linskey
Annie Clayton	Sarah Lockhart
Malory Clock	Jessica McClenathan
Amanda Davis	Kelly McGurk
Megan Drog	Wendy Nielson
Shantel Estevez	Alex Randall
Michelle Fitzgerald	Tori Sampson
Stephanie Foster	Mindy Saxton
Jacqueline Hallauer	Jessi Tharp
Ashley Hamel	Ashley Tillman
Leanna Harvey	Shawna Trahan
Brittany Herbst	Brooke Webber
Sarah Killinger	Allisha Whitfield
Caitlin Kunik	Katie Wiggins

**November 28, 2005 retrospect:**

Program: Club Assembly  
Interact Guests: Jessica McClenathan, Alex Randall  
Other Guests: Shannon Foreman, Dr. Sharp, Carolyn Piechek, PJ Steeby, Kathy Pease

Birthday:

**HL Rotary news:**

- Classification speeches will be done each week by the person who has the program for that week. A suggested outline is available and will be given to the person a week ahead of time. This is a good way for everyone to get to know each other.
- The Club needs a President Nominee! See John if you are interested.
- There will be a Chili Cook-off planning committee meeting after the Rotary meeting TODAY! Please stay for a few minutes if you are interested in helping to plan the event.

**HLHS Interact news:**

- Working on a joint project with the Key Club to paint new lines in the high school parking lot and assign parking spaces to students.

**Proposed Members:**

<u>Name</u>	<u>Classification</u>	<u>Business/Company</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>	<u>Week</u>
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Any objections to proposed members must be submitted to the Rotary board before the third week on this list. A @ in the Week column indicates "Approved for membership".

**Inbound Exchange Student:**

Home city, country:

**Outbound Exchange Student:**

Host country:



**Meetings can be made up at lunch time at:**

Monday:	Kalkaska Memorial Hospital, Kalkaska
Tuesday:	McGuires, Cadillac
Wednesday:	Patti's Townhouse, Grayling
Thursday:	BJ's, Gaylord Michael's on the River, Roscommon