

Welcome to the Rotary Club of Highlands

Celebrating 64 years of Service

Today's Meeting

April 6, 2010

Call to Order : Paul Schmitt, President

Invocation and Pledge : Pete Ray, Chaplain

Happy Dollars : Slocum Howland, Sergeant at Arms

Announcements : Paul Schmitt

Today's Program



April 6: Wild South : Lamar Marshall

Lamar Marshall is the founder of Wild South, a regional conservation organization committed to preserving the quality of life in the southern Appalachians. He is currently mapping the Cherokee Indian trail system of western North Carolina including those of the Highlands and Cashiers area.

April Birthdays

Kaye Gorecki – April 9

Charles Robinson – April 9

John Bauknight – April 10

Jodie Cook – April 10

April Wedding Anniversaries

Marilyn Underhill – April 6

Paul Schmitt – April 7

John Rymer – April 11

Jim Rothermel – April 14

Our Program Sponsors

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Register today for the upcoming District Conference

The Rotary District Conference for our District is scheduled for April 30th – May 2nd in Stone Mountain, GA. The registration deadline is April 13th – for cost, program and other information visit: Rotary7670.org. Many thanks go to Rotarian Richard Delany for the OEI District Conference door prize donation of a complimentary night at Old Edwards Inn and dinner for two at Madison's.

Our Rotary District is looking for door prizes from hotels, B&B's and restaurants - state your own terms, dates, etc. In return, the District will e-mail every Rotarian in District about your offer as well as promote it at the District Conference – a great advertising opportunity. Contact Paul Schmitt or Jodie Cook for more information.



Rotary Bingo a continued success

Interact Bingo, of April Fool's Day fame, generated \$1000 for the Highlands School Rotary Interact Club. Special thanks go to Tom Jesup at the Highlands School and Rotarian Cynthia Dendy our liaison with the Interact Club for their work in promoting Interact Bingo. Thanks to the Rotary Bingo team: Tay Bronaugh, Slocum Howland, Luther Turner, Brian McClellan, Jim Barton, Thomas Craig, Jodie Cook, Nancy Gould-Aaron, Caroline Cook and Sarah Sloan. A thank you also to Dave Jellison, Selwyn Chalker and Maxine at the Civic Center for the Bingo popcorn.

Register now for annual Rotary Golf Tournament

The Rotary Club of Highlands 21st annual Golf Tournament will be held this year on Wednesday, May 19, 2010, at Trillium Link and Lake Club, with a shotgun start at 12:00. Get together a foursome and sign up for an afternoon of golf and good fun. Registration for individual players is \$125, which includes golf, followed by an awards ceremony, and a buffet supper. Call Rotary member Brian Stiehler (787-2778) for info.

Our Rotary Stars

Last week, club president Paul Schmitt presented Rotary Stars to club members that have exemplified community service on the club's behalf. Above, Cynthia Dendy accepts her star for her dedication as our Interact liaison. Other Star recipients were: Jodie Cook, Tony Potts, Bobby Lewis, Selwyn Chalker, Kathy Maps, Jim Rothermel, Bill Nellis and Sue Blair.



Literacy Bingo funds awarded

During last week's meeting, Bingo chair Jodie Cook presented a check for \$2000 to Literacy Council past president Marjorie Fielding, middle, and Literacy Council executive directory Bessie Goggins. The funds were raised at the Literacy Bingo event held March 18.

Upcoming Program



April 13: Hudson Library Board Building Committee : Bob Trevathan

Bob Trevathan is Chairman of the Hudson Library Board Building Committee and will speak to us about the Library's expansion plans. He and his wife Sandie have lived in Highlands since 1996. Bob retired from Delta Airlines in 2003 having served as a Captain since 1973. He was also a C-141 Command Pilot in the U.S. Air Force from 1970 to 1973.