



Weekly Newsletter of the Jacksonville Rotary Club,  
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"Service Above Self"

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**ROTARY THIS FRIDAY MARCH 24, 2006 AT HAMILTON'S**  
Program: **Kathy Jamison, "Living & Teaching in France"**

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**NEXT WEEK:**

- **Membership Committee, Monday, March 27<sup>th</sup>, Noon, Godfathers**
  - **Publicity Committee Tuesday March 28, Noon, Due Gatti's**
  - **Club Social - Friday, March 31, 5 to 6:30, Barnes House**
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**Volunteers at Rotary for March:**

*Thanks for your help!*

**24<sup>th</sup>**

**Greeters: Shawn McCombs, Tony Williams and Jim Shipp**

**Sgt Arms: Helen Downey & Kurt Gwillim**      **Song Leader: Fred Osburn**

**Invocation: Tony Williams**

**Recognitions: Jean Jumper**

**Program Chair: Wally Jamison**

**31<sup>st</sup>**

**Greeters: Ginny Fanning, Jim Shipp and Kevin Heitz**

**Sgt Arms: Lynne Pennell & Lori Hall**

**Song Leader: Fred Osburn**

**Invocation (*need a volunteer*)**

**Recognitions: Jean Jumper**

**Program Chair: Sharon Zuiderveld, Laurie Flori: "Sears Homes"**

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**Sign up to be on ROTARY Relay for Life team**

Basic info: Relay for Life is at Illinois College June 23-24.

To get more info or join our team, send me an email at [kmorgish@uwalumni.com](mailto:kmorgish@uwalumni.com) or call me at 608-444-1860. Thanks much.    Katie Orgish

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**REMINDER – Rotary District Conference - We need your participation!**

**We are the hosts so we need everyone there!**

**Jacksonville Friday & Saturday April 28 & 29, Golf Thursday April 27**

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**Rotary Foundation Giving**

The top 2 clubs in the District in Rotary Foundation Giving will each win a Paul Harris Fellow Award. Contributions between July 1, 2005 and **March 31, 2006**. Our goal is to be one of those two clubs. We thank those who are already part of one of our Paul Harris Fellow Circles and have made their contribution for this year. We invite others to become part of a Circle at either \$200.00 or \$100.00 and we encourage any other contributions. We do need to have these so we can have them in **by March 31**.

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**ROTARY REPORT 3/17- Todd Evans**

O my, we had us a glorious time a meetin' on St. Patty's Day. Twas a fine meal we had of corned beef and cabbage and plenty o' visitin' among da members of our fine little club. Trent Cain, kicked things off with a lovely ringin' o' da bell.

We was smartly greeted by some o' the finest folk ever produced. Bob Leach, Amy Peters and Tony Williams gave us a Top o' the Mornin' and a hearty handshake.

Ray Phipps did a fine job of invokin'. Fred Osborn led us in a grand rendition of 'When Irish Eyes Were Smilin'. I don't think there was a dry eye in da house after we sang that one.

Jim Shipp, looking rather smart in his leprechaun outfit, said things was a goin' well with the Bass Tournament. Greg Hillis said he was a needin' some help with his Diapers and Backpacks on April 29. Katie Orgish said she was a formin' a team for the Relay for Life that is to be held on the 23 and 24 o' this coming June. Fred Clinton thanked those who pitched in wit da club float for da glorious St. Patty's parade. He said our fine float was voted second best and for that, the club was given \$75.

Cecilia Amadei, the lovely lass from the beautiful land of Italy was with us. Bailey Ganz was there with her dad, Brian. Kaitlyn, Megan and Ryan Bickhaus, grandchildren of Glenn and Diana Olinger joined us.

Da program was all five of our candidates for the local sheriff's job. We had Democrats Joe Tapscott and Tab Turke and Republicans Richard Evans, Jeff Lair and Randy Duvendack. I have no idea if any of those boys is Irish. Nobody made a mention of outlawin' whiskey so they all seem to be fine gentlemen to me.

Kent Kilpatrick drew unsuccessfully for the 50/50. Kent Kilpatrick, now that boy 's so Irish he bleeds green.

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**You and Your Guest are cordially invited to attend a**

**Rotary Reception**

**Hosted by Axel and Loreli Steuer**

**Friday March 31, 2006, 5 to 6:30 PM – Drop by after work**

**At Barnes House, 310 Lockwood Place**

**Please RSVP by this Friday March 24, 245-3001, [amstahel@ic.edu](mailto:amstahel@ic.edu)**

**Or let us know at Rotary this Friday.**

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## **REMINDER IMPORTANT APRIL ROTARY DATES :**

- Rotary Bass Fishing Tournament - Sunday, April 9
- Rotary Scholar Athlete Awards - Thursday evening, April 20
- Rotary District Conference in Jacksonville -  
Friday & Saturday April 28 & 29 - Golf Thurs 27th
- Diapers to Backpacks – Saturday April 29

*Please mark your calendar and plan to attend!*

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## **PROPOSE A NEW MEMBER**

Our club is one of the top clubs in the district in number of new members this year; we want to be THE TOP CLUB! To achieve this we need every members help! We would ask every current member to consider fellow workers, business associates, friends, neighbors, family, that would be qualified and be good Rotary members. Propose them for Rotary, or if you have names that you think would be good and might be interested but would like for someone else to approach them to get these names to Kevin Heitz.

- Procedure:
- Submit name to Board of Directors for approval.
  - Prospect is then contacted to determine interest, invite to Rotary, etc.
  - Hold orientation with prospect, inform about Rotary, ask to fill out application
  - Publish name to membership
  - If no objections, and upon payment of admission and dues, welcomed as new member.

*Special thanks to those members who have already assisted in bringing in one or more new members this year!*

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***See you at Rotary This Friday - Bring a Guest!***

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