

★ EARLY ★ BIRD ★ NEWS ★

The ROTARY CLUB of CARBONDALE-BREAKFAST

★ Pres. Citations: 1996-97, 1997-98, 1998-99, 1999-2000, 2000-01, 2003-04, 2004-05, 2005-06, 2006-07, 2008-09, 2010-11, 2012-13 ★

★ Governor's Trophy: 1996-97, 2012-13 ★ ★ Bulletin: 1993, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2010 ★ ★ Web Site: 2009 ★

★ District Governors: Blanche Carlton Sloan, Jack Langowski ★

Club #26036

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YEAR

22 APRIL 2014

Service
▲ Self

◆ **T O D A Y** ◆
Angie Kuehl
Community Market

RI President **Ron Burton** District Governor **Mike Nowobilski**

DATES TO KNOW

April Theme: *Magazine Month*
 April 26 District Assembly, JALC
 May 3 Club Assembly: Planning for 2014-2015
 June 1-4 International Convention, Sydney, Australia
 28 District Changeover Dinner, Mt. Vernon
 July 26 Membership/Foundation Seminar
 25-27 RYLA @ Little Grassy
 1 May-Registration. 1 June-Late registration.
 November District Conference, Mt. Vernon

April Meetings

Organizer: K Renfro

- 1 Jennifer Behnken, Urban Forestry
- 8 Business Meeting
- 15 Mayor Don Monty
- 22 Angie Kuehl, Community Market
- 29 Fifth Tuesday Social - 6:00 p.m.

EREY 2013-14 Goal: 100% participation

REMINDERS

Makeups:

Mon. Noon, Herrin, Civic Center
 Mon. Noon, Harrisburg, Ponderosa Steak House
 Mon. 6:00 pm, Jackson-Williamson Co-Sunset, The Haven
 Wed. 7:30 am, Carterville, Crab Orchard G.C.
 Wed. Noon, Carbondale, Lakeland School
 Th. 7:00 am, Anna-Jonesboro, Union County Hospital
 Th. Noon, Marion, First Methodist Church
Contributions: The Rotary Foundation, 14280 Collections
 Center Drive, Chicago, IL 60693

Meeting Makeups: Mark "M" in the date block on attendance sheet and clip the makeup card to the clipboard.

Banners: Visiting another club? Take a banner—bring one back.

Doing Good Globally

In Tamil Nadu, India, two doctors, both members of the **Rotary Club of Srirangam**, discovered an alarming trend in the remote city outskirts of Trichy, women dying of breast cancer. Drs. K. Govindaraj and K.N. Srinivasan knew that much of the death and suffering could be avoided, and both were motivated by their personal experiences with the disease. Through a Rotary global grant, the men were able to buy and outfit their own bus. Since April 2012, the Shantha Foundation's mammobus, supported by local Rotarians and the **Rotary Club of Rockville, Maryland**, has administered 2,500 free breast cancer screenings.

The **Rotary Club of Bhiwadi (India)** recently completed a service project to provide an ICU on Wheels with such lifesaving equipment as ventilator, defibrillator, monitor, suction pump, oxygen supply, etc. The project was initiated in January 2013 with the help of a Matching Grant.

A project to provide clean water to all of Lebanon's schools is uniting leaders from many of the country's diverse religious, cultural, and political divisions. In 2011, **Rotary members in northern Lebanon** decided to install new tanks and water filters in a few nearby schools with the help of a Rotary Foundation grant. Within a few years, other district leaders saw the potential of creating one giant water project that could reach every school and involve all 24 of the country's Rotary clubs.

Assignments: APRIL 2014

	<u>Greeter & Introductions</u>	<u>Moment of Reflection</u>	<u>Rotary Insight (RI) / Classification Talk (CT) / Getting to Know Ourselves</u>
1	M Cropper	T Rogers	D Becque (GKO)
8	J Hesketh	R Sarao	F Becque (RI)
15	S Heyer	M Sinnott	F Betz (RI)
22	C Hinde	C Vaughn	J Betz (RI)
29	M Johansson	G Waring	M Black (CT)

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🎵 Bird Calls 🎵


Last Meeting

- ✓ **District Assembly:** Sat., 26 April, 8 a.m. @ JALC: Club officers, club committee chairs, district officers - any Rotarian is welcome.
- ▶ **Adopt-a-Spot:** Thanks to T Rogers, R Osborn, F Betz, J Wides, J Corker, S Battiste and two sons.
- 🎵 **April Birthdays:** T Mathias (4), Curtis Vaughn (30).
- ◊ **Programs:** April (K Renfro), May (T Mathias), June (Board).
- * **Reminder:** When you contribute to The Rotary Foundation, please notify Foundation chair, **PE Steve**.
- 💰 **Pig!** Missed a meeting? Please make up your contribution.
- ➔ **Roster Updates?** Notify Secretary **Dan**.
- ☐ **Dues:** Jan. 1, Apr. 1, July 1, Oct.1. Treasurer **Shane**.

YOUR NOTES ▼▼▼

Hog Wild Again!

T Mathias, F Betz, J Betz,
S Battiste, M Sinnott,
D Becque, F Becque,
C Hinde, C Parker,
G Petrowich, O Weidner,
S Carsrud, R Osborn,
G Waring, J Wides,
R Sarao, M Cropper,
S Heyer, T Rogers,
B Fox, *who's next?*



Yum! Yum! More, please!

Visiting Rotarians & Guests

Deanna Giacomia (T Mathias)

City Budget Preview

Acting Mayor **Don Monty** provided an inside-out view of the city budget and budget planning for 2014-15. Monty served 36 years for the city, including his first year as an intern, then his service on the City Council before being named Acting Mayor.

He started by displaying three notebooks: (1) the shorter public version of the budget, (2) the "meaty" full version, and (3) the Community Improvement Program compilation. For 2014-15, anticipated revenue will tally \$25.5 million, with \$22.4 million in personnel costs, the largest expense item.

Next, he summarized the overall organization of the city, in terms of both departments and budget funds, noting the overlapping differences in structure. Among the funds he mentioned were these: general, water and sewer, solid waste, parking, rental properties, motor fuel tax, library, and health insurance. In contrast, he noted that many departments have multiple fund lines, emphasizing the complexity of the budget planning task.

In turn, he cited several specific concerns for the coming budget. Among cost increases, he explained various aspects of pension requirements, union contract provisions, health insurance, and fuel and utilities.

For contrast, he reported that expected sales tax revenues are likely to decline, citing the general economy, reduced SIUC enrollment, internet sales, rental properties, and the lag in revenue sharing from the State of Illinois.

2013-14

KEY CONTACTS

***Board members**

President* President-elect* / Foundation Cmte Chair Vice President* / International Cmte Chair Past President* / Service Projects..... Secretary* Treasurer* Director* / Youth Cmte Chair..... Director* / Bulletin/Programs/Admin Cmte Ch Director* / Public Image Cmte Chair..... Sergeant-at-Arms	Randy Osborn Steve Battiste Martha Cropper ... Kathy Renfro Dan Becque Shane Carsrud Tessie Ojewuyi Terry Mathias Greg Petrowich ... Craig Hinde	randy.o@bgc-cdale.org steve@businessresourcegroup.net mcropper777@gmail.com kato.ren618@gmail.com mdbecque@gmail.com shane.carsrud@oldnational.com theresa.ojewuyi@wellsfargoadvisors.com mathiasil@aol.com gpetrowich@gmail.com hindecraig@gmail.com 925-3403 201-7509 201-5688 713-0412 529-3307 457-3741 856-332-5381 924-5655 303-8345 549-5572
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