



★ EARLY ★ BIRD ★ NEWS ★

The ROTARY CLUB of CARBONDALE-BREAKFAST

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

★ District Governors: Blanche Carlton Sloan, Jack Langowski ★

Club #26836



9 DECEMBER 2014

Service
▲ Self

◆ TODAY ◆

Business Meeting: Annual Elections

RI President District Governor
Gary C.K. Huang Lane Harvey

DATES TO KNOW

- December Rotary Theme: *Family Month*
- 16 Holiday Gift Exchange
- 17 Multi-club Holiday Social ...
Newell House, 5 - 7 pm
- Feb 7/21/28 Pre-PETS: 2/7-JALC
- Mar 14-15 PETS & Officer Training, Effingham
- June 6-9 International Convention, São Paulo

December Meetings

Organizer: J Betz, Board

- 2 Where is ~~Waldo~~ Waring?
- 9 Business Meeting
- 16 Holiday Social - Gift Exchange
- 23 No Meeting - *Happy Holidays!*
- 30 No Meeting - *Happy New Year!*

Goal Achieved! 100% participation

EVERY
ROTARIAN
EVERY
YEAR

Assignments: December 2014

	<u>Greeter & Introductions</u>	<u>Moment of Reflection</u>	<u>Rotary Insight (RI) / Classification Talk (CT) / Getting to Know Ourselves</u>
2	J Langowski	C Vaughn	L Bremer (GKO)
9	R Lenzi	G Waring	S Carsrud (CT)
16	T Mathias	O Weidner	M Cropper (RI)
23	S Ojewuyi	J Wides	B Fox (RI)
30	<i>No Meeting - Happy Holidays</i>		

Early Bird News prepared weekly (Deadline: Sunday, 4 pm).
PDF on the club website.

NEWS: Rotary Roundup

Polio Breakthrough

Rotary and its partners in the Global Polio Eradication Initiative are approaching a significant milestone: eradication of type 3 wild poliovirus. The last case of polio caused by the type 3 virus was reported in Yobe, Nigeria, in Nov. 2012.

Absence of polio in Nigeria reflects other progress. The number of *type 1* cases has been reduced to just six so far in 2014, compared with 51 for the same period in 2013.

In Pakistan, the breakthrough against type 3 is also promising news; type 3 was last reported in 2012.

Ebola in Liberia

Samuel Enders (Yonkers-East Yonkers Rotary Club) was in the midst of the Ebola epidemic in his native country in June. His American Dream Academy has supplied medical supplies and as well as chlorinated water to communities to prevent the spread of the disease.

Global Grant: Education in India

Two years ago, U.S. Rotary members in Maine set out to improve the education system in Bikaner, Rajasthan, India. Paired with the Rotary Club of Bikaner, they first provided desks for four schools, then used a global grant to support recruiting of students and provide professional development for teachers.

REMINDERS

Makeups:

Mon. Noon, Herrin, Civic Center
Tues. 6:00 pm, Jackson-Williamson Co-Sunset, Bandana's Rest.
Wed. 7:30 am, Carterville Area, 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.

🎵 Bird Calls 🎵

- 📌 **This Week:** Elections, other business
- 🎵 **December Birthdays:** J Betz (12).
- 📌 **Programs:** December (J Betz), January (?).
- ✳️ **Reminder:** When you contribute to TRF, please notify club Foundation chair, **PE Fran**.
- 💰 **Pig!** Missed a meeting? Please make up your contribution to assure full funding of scholarships.
- ➔ **Roster Updates?** Please notify Secretary **Dan**.
- 📌 **Dues:** Jan. 1, Apr. 1, July 1, Oct.1. Treas. **Shane**.

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**YOUR NOTES** 🏠👉👈👉

*Hog Wild!*

M Cropper, C Vaughn,  
S Heyer, G Petrowich,  
J Wides, M Sinnott,  
O Weidner, S Battiste,  
T Mathias, L Bremer,  
D Becque, F Becque,  
F Betz, J Betz, G Waring,  
S Carsrud, J Langowski,  
R Osborn, B Fox, R Sarao,  
J Ailinani, J Salmo,

*I'm a hungry hog!  
Make me a happy hog!*



## Visiting Rotarians & Guests

Jim Sinnott, AnnMeredith Waring, Sean Jabr

### “Awesome Antarctica”

George Waring once again has dazzled us with a very informative and especially eye-appealing presentation.

Antarctica ... fifth largest continent – 5.4 million square miles ... 98% ice, up to a mile thick ... driest continent ... most elevated continent.

The presentation featured a great variety of species: seals (fur, elephant, crabeater ...), whales (orca, blue, humpback ...), penguins (king, emperor, Adelie), birds (albatross, petrel, prion, sheathbill ...), dolphins, krill, and more.

George’s photos highlighted the sometimes stark, but naturally beautiful sights, including picturesque ice formations. In the warmer months (November, December), moss, lichen, and algae can be visible, adding unexpected color and variety to the ice.

Colorful maps showed how the Southern Ocean adjoins the Pacific Ocean, Atlantic Ocean, and Indian Ocean.

In winter, temperatures can reach -120° F, winds to 100 mph, blizzards, and 24-hour darkness.

**2014-15**

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