



# ★ 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, 2013-14 ★  
★ 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

# 13 MAY 2014

Service  
▲ Self

### ◆ TODAY ◆ Business Meeting

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

### Peace Corps Partnership

To promote global development and volunteer service, **Rotary International** and the **Peace Corps** have agreed to a one-year pilot program in the Philippines, Thailand, and Togo. Through the agreement, Rotary clubs and Peace Corps volunteers share their resources and knowledge to enhance the impact of development projects in these three countries.

Peace Corps Acting Director **Carrie Hessler-Radelet** and RI General Secretary **John Hewko** signed the letter of collaboration on 5 May. Both organizations are committed to improving lives and building stronger communities by addressing root causes of violence and conflict, such as poverty, illiteracy, disease, and lack of access to clean water and sanitation.

### DATES TO KNOW

- June 1-4 International Convention, Sydney, Australia
- 17 DG Mike Nowobilski - Citation presentation!
- 28 Dist. Changeover/Foundation Dinner, Mt. Vernon
- July 26 Membership/Foundation Seminar @ JALC
- 25-27 RYLA @ Little Grassy
- Oct. 21 DG Lane Harvey - Official Visit
- November District Conference, Mt. Vernon

### May Meetings

Organizer: T Mathias

### Summary: Club Board Meeting

- 6 Valerie Boyer, SIUC: Autism Spectrum Disorders
- 13 Business Meeting
- 20 Deanna Giacoma, The Hypnotic Effect
- 27 TBA

- Minutes & Treasury
- Disburse to The Women's Center, Belize Children's program, Teen Health Conference, and BGCC
- CCHS scholarships
- Committees for 2014-2015
- RYLA: July 2014
- District Grant for 2104-15
- June meetings/events

### ERYE 2013-14 Goal: 100% participation

### REMINDERS

#### Makeups:

- Mon. Noon, Herrin, Civic Center
- Mon. 6:00 pm, Jackson-Williamson Co-Sunset, The Haven
- Wed. 7:30 am, Cartersville, 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.

### Assignments: MAY 2014

	<u>Greeter &amp; Introductions</u>	<u>Moment of Reflection</u>	<u>Rotary Insight (RI) / Classification Talk (CT) / Getting to Know Ourselves</u>
6	J Langowski	O Weidner	D Booth (GKO)
13	R Lenzi	J Wides	M Cropper (RI)
20	T Mathias	J Ailinani	R Fox (GKO)
27	O Ojewuyi	S Battiste	J Hesketh (RI)

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**♪ Bird Calls ♪**

- ★ **Citation:** Our club is one of twelve in D6510 to earn the *RI President's Citation* for 2013-2014.
- ▶ **PDG Jack:** Thanks for the RI update fresh from a visit to the Evanston center.
- 😊 **Home Host:** Fmr Rotarian Christina Voss asked for club members' assistance to host one or two visiting youth from Germany during the 2014-15 school year.
- 🎵 **May Birthdays:** S Battiste (21), M Sinnott (26), R Osborn (27).
- 📅 **Programs:** 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**

Christina Voss

**Autism Spectrum Disorders**

**Valerie Boyer**, director of the SIUC Center for Autism Spectrum Disorders (ASD), shared a closer view of the origins, services, and practices of the Center. She is an Assistant Professor in Communication Disorders and Science.

She summarized autism as a "deficit in social communication," commonly marked with ritual behaviors, regimentation, and heightened special interests. The number of persons with ASD is increasing, partially from increased awareness, improved diagnosis, and the regular aging of those identified in previous years.

The Center is primarily involved in service, training, and some research. The service component includes diagnostic services, intensive therapy, consultation with school districts, and counseling for families. Therapy includes three hours per week for 15-16 families.

The training of new/future professionals is an evolving program, including both instruction and hands-on involvement in the Center's service programs. Ongoing research enhances both the service and the training elements. Diagnosis begins with an initial screening (often by phone) and a level two team consultation based on extensive observation.

The Center is funded by a state grant, which supports three full-time staff, one speech pathologist, and a licensed counselor.

**2013-14**

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