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RI MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of Rotary International is to support its member clubs in fulfilling the Object of Rotary by:

- Fostering unity among member clubs;
- Strengthening and expanding Rotary around the world;
- Communicating worldwide the work of Rotary; and
- Providing a system of international administration

THE 4-WAY TEST

Of the things we think, say or do:

1. Is it **TRUTH**?
2. Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
3. Will it build **GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?
4. Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

DRC PROGRAM CALENDAR

04/02 – Paul Harris Fellows Awards Program

Ken Lundstrom

All PHFs please wear your medallion & pin

04/09 – No Rotary – Holiday Observance

04/16 – Board Meeting – 11:30am

04/16 – GSE (Group Study Exchange) Team

District 1750 from Burgundy, France

04/23 – TBD

04/30 – Durham Social Services

5/07 – TBD

5/14 – TBD

5/21 – Jonathan Freeze

“DCVB Branding Campaign”

Introduction: Malcolm White

5/28 – No Rotary – Holiday Observance

6/04 – Scholarship Awards Program

6/11 – DRC Gathering at Washington Duke Inn

SERVICE SCHEDULE

	4/02	4/16
Musician:	Sara Marks	Sara Marks
Invocation:		
S-a-A Report:		
Program Write-up:	Sherrie DeVries	Sherry DeVries

 **DRC Raffle** -- Supports The RI Foundation Programs and Projects

Voluntary Contribution: \$1/ticket; \$5/6 tickets

3/26 – Total Collected: \$72.00

Winner: Don Stanger (yes, second week)

The CART Fund (Coins For Alzheimer's Research Trust)

3/26 - \$19.83

03/26/07 –

“Retrospective on Georges Rouse”

Ken Dalsheimer, Penelope Maunsell, Frank Konhaus

Our speakers on Monday, March 26, 2007 were Frank Konhaus, Kenny Dalsheimer, and Penelope Maunsell. These three individuals skillfully handled the topic, “Retrospective on Georges Rouse.”

For those who were not in attendance when the initial presentation on “The Georges Rouse Durham Project” was made, I am including a brief summary on the internationally famous photographer, Georges Rouse, and the Durham Project.



Internationally recognized French photographer and installation artist, Georges Rouse, fabricates magical worlds in everyday spaces that are impossible and perplexing visual conundrums. Armed only with paint, simple building materials, and the laws of perspective, Rouse creates strange optical puzzles which morph from two-dimensional images to three-dimensional images, depending on the viewer's vantage point. His intriguing body of work fuses photography, painting, and architecture into one aesthetic discipline.

Frank Konhaus and his wife, Ellen, had the vision for the Durham Project, and in 2006 invited Mr. Rouse to come to Durham to visit some potential sites for his photographic art and to get a feel for the people and the community. Mr. Rouse saw great potential for his work here in Durham and was very much impressed with the architecture and the positive energy for and interest displayed in the project.

After his initial visit, Mr. Rouse returned to Durham to do four major site-specific public art projects called “Warehouse Interventions” during a month-long residency in downtown Durham. As a result of his sojourn in Durham and with the help of over 200 volunteers, he completed the “Georges Rouse Durham Project.”

In addition to the wonderful photographic art produced, a film documentary of the inception, development and creation of the project was also produced. Our speakers on March 26th brought us the status of the documentary of Georges Rouse's visit to our community and the works he produced here. The film is currently about 75 percent through the editing process. When completed, the committee would like for this project to get national and international exposure. Suggestions have been considered of exposure through Public Broadcasting Stations, the Sun Dance Film Festival, and other such venues are being explored and hoped for.

For those interested in supporting this effort, tax-deductible donations should be made and mailed to: *The Southern Documentary Fund, 762 Ninth Street, #574, Durham, NC 27705.* Include “Georges Rouse Project” in memo line.

..... Submitted by Willie Covington

Paul Harris Fellows Day Today

Ken Lundstrom, RI Foundation chair requests that ALL Paul Harris Fellows wear your medallions and pins to the April 2 meeting.

Anyone who contributes – or in whose name is contributed – a gift of US\$1,000 or more to the Annual Programs Fund may become a Paul Harris Fellow. Each new Paul Harris Fellow receives a commemorative certificate, a Paul Harris Fellow pin, and a medallion. Donors are eligible for Paul Harris Fellow recognition when their cumulative giving reaches US\$1,000.



Duke - UNC Rotary Center For International Studies in Peace and Conflict Resolution

The Co-directors and Rotary World Peace Fellows of the Duke-UNC Rotary Center for



International Studies in peace and conflict resolution have the honor of inviting you to the Fourth Annual Rotary Fellows Spring Conference Challenges for Peace and Development in the 21st Century, Saturday, April 14, 2007 - 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Terry Sanford Institute of Public Policy Duke University Durham, North Carolina.

The keynote address “Achieving peace through prosperity: what is needed in the Middle East” will be delivered by Dr. Inder Sud, Adjunct Professor of the Practice of International Affairs at George Washington University and Former Director for the Middle East at the World Bank Following the presentation by Dr. Sud, Class IV Rotary World Peace Fellows will present their research on peace and development

Please RSVP online at www.RotaryPeaceCenterNC.org by April 6, 2007 919-843-4887

AVID Recognition Banquet, Tuesday, April 24, 12 noon, Civic Center at the Downtown Durham Marriott for participating students and Rotarians. The AVID Program (Advancement Via Individual Determination) is comprised of high school students from Hillside and Southern.

APRIL 2007 — MAGAZINE MONTHwww.rotary.org

• 22-28: **Council on Legislation**; Chicago, Illinois, USA

The Council on Legislation, Rotary's "parliament," meets every three years to deliberate and act upon all proposed enactments and resolutions submitted by clubs, district conferences, the General Council or the Conference of Rotary International in Great Britain and Ireland, or the Rotary International Board. The Council itself also makes proposals.

The Council is comprised of more than 500 representatives from every part of the Rotary world. Voting members include one elected representative of the clubs of each Rotary district. Some non-voting members include the chair and vice chair of the council, the RI president, members of the RI Board, and past RI presidents.

The Council first convened in 1934 as an integral part of that year's international convention in Detroit, Michigan, USA. In 1970, it was constituted as the legislative body of RI, no longer to function just in an advisory capacity. Actions of the Council are subject to review by all Rotary clubs prior to being incorporated into the Manual of Procedure.

About The Rotarian



The Rotarian addresses the personal and business interests of a selected audience involved in business or one of the professions. The chief purpose of *The Rotarian* is to report Rotary news and general subjects directed to the interests, loyalty, and involvement of its member audience. General articles cover such topics as business, travel, health, education, environment, management and ethics, sciences, sports and adventure.

Rotary's **Four Avenues of Service** are stressed:

- Club Service focuses on strengthening fellowship and ensuring the effective functioning of the club.
- Vocational Service encourages Rotarians to serve others through their vocations and to practice high ethical standards.
- Community Service covers the projects and activities the club undertakes to improve life in its community.
- International Service encompasses actions taken to expand Rotary's humanitarian reach around the globe and to promote world understanding and peace.

History

The first issue of *The National Rotarian* was published in January 1911. This 12-page tabloid was considered the best way to distribute an essay written by Rotary founder Paul Harris. The essay was titled, "Rational Rotarianism." There was also club news and advertisements. About 2,000 copies were produced by printer Harry Ruggles, one of the first members of the Rotary Club of Chicago. Soon the issue went back to press for another 2,000 copies. Seventeen Nobel Prize winners and 19 Pulitzer Prize winners have written for the magazine. A partial list of eminent contributors includes: Thomas Mann, Edith Wharton, Knute Rockne, Frank Lloyd Wright, Mahatma Gandhi, Winston Churchill, Helen Keller, Eleanor Roosevelt, Norman Vincent Peale, Pearl S. Buck, Lowell Thomas, Betty Friedan, Willy Brandt, Javier Perez de Cuellar, Arthur C. Clarke, Richard Armour, Kurt Vonnegut, Jr., Rabbi Harold Kushner, Isaac Asimov, Cleveland Amory, Octavio Paz, and Jimmy Carter.

There are about 410,000 subscribers in the United States. Canada comes in second, with more than 30,000 subscribers. India is third, with about 10,000 subscribers. There are more than 4,800 subscribers in the Philippines, and 3,800 in Japan. In Nigeria, more than 3,000 club members subscribe to *The Rotarian*. In Australia, there are 1,900 subscribers, and almost 1,300 in New Zealand. In Finland, there are 1,000 subscribers, as well as 1,500 in Hong Kong and 700 in Indonesia. Of the total number of subscriptions, about 20,000 are to non-Rotarians. Most of these are gift subscriptions to schools, libraries, and individuals. The Rotary Club of Rockford, Illinois, USA, has been the world's gift-subscription champion for many years. The club annually sponsors about 250 gift subscriptions to *The Rotarian*. Annual [subscription](#) price of the magazine is US\$12.

More www.rotary.org

GSE (Group Study Exchange) Team presentation April 16

The GSE team from Burgundy, France arrives in our district March 26 and will return to France April 23. The team members are: *Badra*, currently a nurse in the intensive care; *Charlotte*, market analysis specialized on the Web; *Emily*, consultant in cross-cultural training and integration; *Joe*, consultant in human resources; and *Patrick*, industrial career with Eastman Kodak Company.

District Conference, Apr. 20-21 - at the Friday Center in Chapel Hill

On Friday from 6:30 – 9:00 pm attend a Foundation banquet and awards evening with a social hour featuring an open bar for wine, beer, soda and water. Saturday will run from about 8:30 am until 2:30 pm so everyone can get home and have dinner with their families. The cost for a Rotarian is \$125 for both days' events (\$50 per day for spouses). We have great speakers and informative break-out sessions. This year we're inviting the Interact and Rotaract students to join us for the first time. You can enroll on-line using the District database.

★ **Birthdays – Month of April**

02 Willie Covington	17 Richard Brodhead	24 Mike Ruffin
03 Gerry Musante	19 Bud Reiter-Lavery	28 Michael Palmer
07 Ernie Roessler	20 Bill Stokes	29 Connie Campanaro
09 Carol Roycroft	21 Jim Brame	29 Richard Tuthill
09 Hank Woods	22 Mary Holderness	30 Arthur Rogers
14 George Quick		

SERGEANT-AT-ARMS REPORT - 3/26

Speakers: Frank Konhaus, Ken Dalsheimer, Penelope Maunsell

Rotarian Guest:

Peter Schwarz – Briton NY

Guests of Members:

Elaine Schwartz B.C. Dash
Kristine Browne Bob Yowell

March 26 - Attendance Report

Total Members	209
Active Number used for attendance	184
Members Present	... 94
Attendance	52.17%
Attendance – Month of March	52.49%

Proposed Member – 2 ND Posting

Pamela Higdon, SPHR

President Owner, Express Personnel Services
Classification: Sponsor: Keith Burns



Get ready for a **Rocky Mountain Rendezvous** in one of the great cities of the American West, when Salt Lake City, Utah, hosts the 98th annual Rotary International convention. Preliminary information about visa requirements, tickets, and more is already online. Visit the official [2007 RI Convention page](#) now and start planning.

RI & DISTRICT LEADERSHIP

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District 7710 Governor: **Tim Mannix**
ADG-Area 7: **Karen E. McMahan**

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Club Website Address Change

Please delete the old address and enter www.DurhamRotaryClub.org

Newman Aguiar, club secretary and website designer has secured the new domain name. Melissa Mills with Newman's assistance updates the website each week. Everyone with an active email listed should have received a notice via email last Monday, March 26.