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### **Gold Club**

## Rotary International Presidential Citation 100% Rotary Foundation Sustaining Member Club

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# **Club News**

## May 12, 2015 Meeting

President Sang Ho Lee conducted the meeting. Steve Carter gave the invocation and led the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

### **Guests and Visitors**

• Gail Moore's grand daughter, Megan Reader

### **General Announcements**

- To view member birthdays and anniversaries, click here.
- The next members with program responsibilities are Randy Perkins, Debbie Porch, and Jeffrey Smythe.
- President Lee mentioned that Ed Woodall is now the proud father of Nolan Edward Woodall, who was born May 5, 2015.
  - Mother and child are doing great. Ed says he is a big eater.
- He also pointed out the Gold Club plaque and the banner acknowledging our being a 100% Sustaining club. He is planning to mount our Presidential Citation in the near future.
- Steve Carter informed the club that our badges have been reordered by number in the box near the door to make it easier to find them. Please help to keep them where they belong by replacing them after each use.



Several of our members and ACC Rotaractors participated in the recent Packathon for ISIS victims in northern Iraq last weekend at Holly Hill Mall in Burlington. The was a family of Rotary event. (Photo above)

## Happy Clams

• None this week; although there were many smiling faces.



## Cliff Parker: Elon Police Chief, Husband, Father, and Rotarian

Cliff came to Elon from Fayetteville to attend the university in 1978. He graduated in 1983 after meeting his wife, Karon, there, to whom he has been married to Karon for 31 years. She is a part-time realtor and a media coordinator for ABSS. They have three daughters. Cliff has been in law enforcement for 32 years. He started with the Burlington Police Department. Later he worked with the SBI before coming to Elon in 2012. Cliff also serves as an Alamance County Law Enforcement Executives Board Member, a Children's Executive Oversight Committee (CEOC) Board Member, a Family Justice Center Board Member, and a Citizens Coalition for A Drug Free Community Board Member.

### Program: Anne Baker, Director of Alamance County Meals on Wheels, and Assistant Director Amanda Bartolomeo

Anne is a graduate of Elon University, is married, and has two daughters. She is the current executive director of Alamance County Meals on Wheels, a position she has held since 1998. Her husband just took a job in Louisiana, which necessitates that she and the family move there. As a result, her assistant, Amanda Bartolomeo, will soon be taking over her position. Amanda Bartolomeo graduated from UNCG with a BS degree in Public Health. She was a supervisor with Alamance County Meals on



Wheels for 4.5 years. Then she was employed with the Orange County Health Department for 7.5 years, managing multiple public health programs, grants, and volunteers. Currently, she is back with Alamance County Meals on Wheels as the Assistant Director. She is very passionate about working with seniors and is very excited to be helping out community members in her own county. Amanda has been married to her husband Mike for 10 years and they have a 4 year old daughter. Amanda made the presentation. The questions at the end were fielded by both Anne and Amanda.

Alamance County Meals on Wheels was formed on May 20, 1973 as Alamance County Council on Elderly, Inc. Over the years, the agency has offered hot home-delivered meals, frozen home-delivered meals, bad weather emergency meals, weekend meals, homemaker services, and a grocery assistance program. The agency began serving clients in February of 1974 and became a United Way agency in 1975. The First Presbyterian Church of Burlington has graciously housed the offices of ACMOW since its inception. The agency began delivering only one route, serving a few people, and now serves about 400 people each day on 25 different hot and frozen meal routes. The mission of Alamance County Meals on Wheels, Inc. is to provide in-home nutritional services in Alamance County which improve and enhance quality of life; nourish the body, mind, and spirit; and promote independent living for seniors and their families.

#### Information

- Each route has no more than 16 houses to deliver to./p>
- Most routes are less than 15 miles long.
- Each volunteer is trained by an ACMOW staff person during their first delivery experience.
- Each volunteer is provided a packet which includes: directions, which are turn by turn to each client's home; a pencil; hot pad; and menus.

#### **Regular Delivery Route Volunteers:**

- Are asked to deliver one day every four weeks on the same route.
- Can choose the area/route where they want to deliver meals.

#### **Substitute Delivery Route Volunteers**

- Deliver when there is a volunteer vacancy.
- Substitute drivers choose which route(s) they would like to substitute for and which days they might be free to assist.

#### **Meal Distribution Site Greeters**

Be a person who helps organize the volunteer packets and assists the day's volunteers in getting their meals to their vehicles at our Burlington location. Greeters volunteer from 9:30 until 10:45 a.m.

#### **Emergency Meal Distribution**

Once a year on a Saturday in November, Meals on Wheels delivers all the emergency meals for each of the clients. This is a great opportunity for someone who can't deliver during the week. Each volunteer is given boxes which contain shelf-stable meals to deliver to each client's home.

A fund raiser will be held on Sunday, May 17 at Cox Toyota from 2 until 8 pm - The 2015 Beach Blast, featuring the HWY 49 Band, Elvis, Line Dancing and Shagging, and he Castaways. Free admission!

Following the presentation, David Moore and Julian Griffin strongly encouraged our members to volunteer. President Lee presented both women with certificates acknowledging our appreciation for their coming to our club.



**Card Drawing** 

Peter Barcus held the winning ticket, but failed to draw the Jack of Hearts, pulling the King instead. Only 49 cards stand between you and the pot.

## Closing

As is our custom, we all stood to recite the Rotary Four Way Test, which was led by President Lee, who afterward adjourned the meeting. Until we meet again...

# **Club Related Dates**

## **District and Club Business**

- 2nd Tuesday of Each Month For officers and committee chairs, 11 am until Noon.
- June 30, 2015 Installation of New Officers and Board

## **Birthdays and Anniversaries**

Мау	Birthdays	Мау	Wedding Anniversaries
2	Angela Parham	3	Brad and Mel Moser Micah and Kari Fox
4	Philip Smith	26	Mike and Barbara Dunning
20	Pete Sargent	30	Richard and Stacy White
23	Sam Holt		
27	David Moore		

Want to see when you have program speaker responsibilities? Simply click on the Programs Schedule link below or the same link on the menu above.

## **Programs Schedule**



Meets on Tuesdays from Noon until 1 PM at 40 West Grill in the Ramada Inn in Burlington, NC

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