

District 6800 and Area Clubs

MONDAY

Aberdeen - Noon
 Fulton - Noon
 Germantown - 6:PM
 Grenada - Noon
 Tupelo - Noon

TUESDAY

Batesville - Noon
 Booneville - Noon
 Clarkesdale - Noon
 Collierville - Noon
 Drew - 12:05
 Memphis - Noon
 Olive Branch - Noon
 Oxford - Noon
 Pontotoc - Noon
 Ripley - Noon
 Sumner - Noon
 Water Valley - Noon

WEDNESDAY

Bruce - Noon
 Charleston - Noon
 Cleveland - 12:15
 Como - Noon

Best Western
 Itawamba Comm. College
 Bread Basket
 Holiday Inn
 Ramada Inn

Country Club
 NE MS Community College
 Resthaven Restaurant
 Ridgeway Country Club
 Country Club
 The Peabody
 Country Club
 Holiday Inn
 Pontotoc Inn
 Old Fields Restaurant
 Bayou Bend Country Club
 Yalabousha Country Club

Baptist Church
 Tallahatchie Country Club
 Country Club
 Methodist Church

WEDNESDAY (Cont'd)

Hernando - Noon
 Holly Springs - Noon
 Iuka - Noon
 Memphis East - Noon
 Robinsonville - 8 AM

THURSDAY

Amory - Noon
 Baldwyn - Noon
 Bartlett - Noon
 Calhoun City - Noon
 Corinth - Noon
 Covington - Noon
 Quitman County - Noon
 Sardis - Noon
 Southaven - Noon
 Tunica - Noon
 West Point - Noon

FRIDAY

New Albany - Noon
 Rosedale - Noon
 Ruleville - Noon
 Memphis South - 11:45
 Senatobia - Noon

Regional Library
 Oak Palace Restaurant
 Methodist Church
 Racquet Club
 Hollywood Restaurant

River Bend Golf Club
 Country Inn
 Barnhill's Restaurant
 Cagni's Restaurant
 Holiday Inn
 Veranda Restaurant
 Serving Spoon Restairamt
 Methodist Church
 Baptist Hosp. De-Soto
 Community House
 Moore's Restaurant

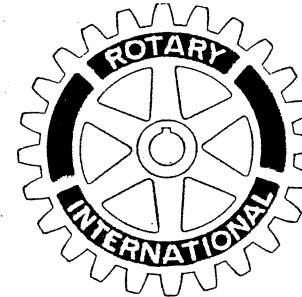
Country Club
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 The Coffee Shop
 Wilson World Hotel
 Howard Johnson

Memphis South Rotary Roster

NAME	CLASSIFICATION	PHONE	NAME	CLASSIFICATION	PHONE
Aquilini, Grace	Personnel Services	368-1990	*Lehovitz, Leon	Senior Active	363-7248
*Ashley, Rod	Materials Handline	363-6000	*Linkous, R. E.	Industrial Construction	754-0700
*Baxter, Ray	Retail Mall Mgmt.	369-9642	*Mackie, Bob	Air Cargo	395-5325
*Beard, L. D.	Senior Active	396-2695	*Marcom, Harvey	Structural Engineer	761-2010
*Bennett, John W.**	Senior Active	853-3460	Marshall, Craig	Hotel Management	366-0000
*Bowman, John	Senior Active	362-7279	*Marshall, Curtis	Credit Manager	758-6451
*Bradshaw, Elizabeth	Health Care Admin.	272-0387	*Martin, Charlie	Electrical Engineering	922-5822
*Canfield, Bert	Industrial Leasing	683-9200	*Matthews, Bill	Senior Active	345-5650
*Chism, George	Athletic Supplies	335-7779	May, John	Tax Consultant	761-3000
Clark, Horace	Real Estate - Res.	756-8900	*McDaniel, Floyd	Senior Active	327-2013
Cole, Ken	Lobbying	528-4491	*Michael, Dan	CPA	797-2712
*Conn, Larry	Attorney - Real Estate	685-1322	*Michael, Tom	Banking	762-5668
Cronc, Jim	Art Broker	754-0777	*Neal, Bob	Senior Active	685-7772
*Dahler, Leroy	Senior Active	362-9700	*Palmer, Don	Property Management	751-2951
*Davis, Fred B.	Senior Active	678-3229	Patterson, Jean	Market Management	332-5586
*Daws, Jerry	Bank Administration	684-3973	*Perry, Chester	Senior Active	527-3361
*Dismuke, Jim	Senior Active	767-3920	*Petrussek, Marty	Air Conditioning	345-6000
Drake, Jim	Sales Mgr., Roofing	751-7180	*Reeves, Randolph	Gemologist	681-0507
Edwards, Mark	Branch Banking	762-5930	*Roberts, Tom	Honorary	725-4606
*Ellis, Andrew	Educational Testing	366-5228	Rutherford, Gary	Real Estate Investment	332-5155
Ford, Harold E.	Business Consulting	821-7444	Sawyer, Roger	Retail Management	794-1900
*Francis, Henry	Senior Active	332-5586	*Semmes, Tidwell	Senior Active	767-5752
Gardella, Craig	Commercial Lending	766-2810	*Shepherd, John	Senior Active	525-1481
*Hardison, Bill	Senior Active	755-8537	Siciliano, Carl J.	Podiatrist	751-3838
Harris, Doc	Communications	332-0990	*Springer, Henry	Antiques	681-0025
*Hollingsworth, Al	Senior Active	272-9622	*Springer, Jack	Additional Active	681-0025
*Hunt, Diane	Retail Property Mgmt.	682-9260	Stefke, Brad	Food Service	795-7060
James, Jack	Manufacturing	523-7280	*Sutton, Tom	Senior Active	332-4319
*Johnson, Danny	Environmental Eng.	726-0810	*Vaiden, Debbie	Finance	683-8899
Johnson, Fara	Bank Loans	345-3479	*Vanderburg, Jim	Senior Active	735-7003
*Jones, Jeff	Senior Active	853-8109	*Whipple, Lee	Senior Active	755-8350
Ladner, Griff	Senior Active	368-1684	*Wilson, Gordon	Public Relations	529-6357
			Wood, Bill	Educator	722-0200

*Paul Harris Fellow
 *Benefactor

Memphis South Rotarian



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President.....Tom Michael
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 Vice-President.....George Chism
 Secretary.....Diane Hunt
 Treasurer.....John May
 Sergeant-At-Arms.....Larry Conn
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Danny Johnson, Jean Patterson, Curtis Marshall, Fred Davis

"Show Rotary Cares" - Rotary International Theme - 1997-1998

Rotary Club of Memphis South

Chartered ----- June 19, 1975 - District 6800

Luncheon Meeting, 11:45 AM, Friday, Wilson World Hotel

The Profits Most Who Serves Best

MEMPHIS SOUTH ROTARIAN
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AUGUST 22, 1997

JOHN BOWMAN offered the Invocation and afterward led us in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

PRESIDENT TOM MICHAEL welcomed us to the 1064th meeting of the Rotary Club of Memphis South. Tom read a letter of appreciation from Mrs. Myrnith Noble thanking us for our \$2000 contribution to Happy Face.

SERGEANT-AT-ARMS

Would you believe that Larry Conn was actually present and there was no need to seek a substitute? Larry did manage to spin \$5 on the wheel and Al Hollingsworth, Jack Springer, Brad Stefke and Elizabeth Bradshaw were privileged to pay that amount. A number of Memphis South Rotarians were absent but without the list being provided, we are unable to print their names.

GUESTS AND VISITING ROTARIANS

PAST PRESIDENT JEFF JONES introduced the guests and visiting Rotarians. Sean Denley was the guest of Jim Crone while Leonard Wiseman was the guest of Jim Drake. Roger Sawyer brought Teresa Staten who is a member of the Rotary Club of Hardin County. Rotarian Bert Waller (Rotary Club of Memphis), was the guest of Elizabeth Bradshaw.

The remaining guests were all members of the Rotary Club of Memphis and included: Kirke Lewis, Paul Sheffield, John Clark and Tom Hutton, Jr..

FLOYD'S FUND

FLOYD McDANIEL worked hard on Friday to amass \$46 each for the Scholarship Fund and the holder of ticket #883139. Lucky Jim Dismuke won the pot for the second week in a row!

MEMBER RETENTION

"Rotary's greatest asset will always be the individual Rotarian," said RI President Glen Kinross. Each time we lose a member, for whatever reason, our assets are diminished. Statistics indicate that more than 100,000 Rotarians leave their clubs every year. Research conducted by Rotarians suggest that at least 40,000 of these leave by their own choice, but another 50,000 provide no explanation.

In many ways, this is a sad indictment of our organization and raises so difficult questions. What is wrong with Rotary? Have we lost our prime purpose of service and fellowship? Are we giving the wrong impression to potential and new members? Do busy men and women think we are wasting our time?

It is true that in today's world, because of diverse pressures, young business and professional executives have a different approach to serving communities. They need a clear explanation of the challenge of SERVICE and how they can be effective Rotarians.

We need to examine our club and its objectives. We must not only orient new members but we must continually educate all Rotarians in those measures which make us strong in the community and in the world.

TODAY'S PROGRAM

We welcome Fred Jones, Jr., the founder and president of the Southern Heritage Classic. He will explain the mystique of this annual rivalry.

LAST WEEK'S PROGRAM

JIM DRAKE was pleased to introduce his neighbor and friend LARRY SCROGGS. Larry is an attorney and represents District 94 in the Tennessee House of Representatives. Larry told us that Shelby County had the largest delegation in the Tennessee Legislature with 17 House Members and 6 State Senators.

He was most proud of what the Legislature did this year for education with total funding of over \$192 Million amounting to a total of \$1 Billion in the past 10 years. The aim of the Legislature is to connect each classroom in the state to the Internet.

With its "Family First" program, the welfare rolls have been reduced by 20 to 25000. Legislation involving "Gangs" has put structure into place which enables judges to deal harshly with gang leaders. Another program relates to child custody - a pilot program - where there are certain rights given to non-custodial parents. Grand parent visitation has also been restored. Partial birth abortion has been outlawed and a revision of the "hand gun" law is more stringent.

This was certainly the year of children and family as a new Standing Committee was appointed to deal with these problems. With a 50% increase in juvenile arrests the facts are alarming. One third of all the murders are committed by defendants under the age of 21. Of these, only 13% have a two parent home with only 10% of all offenses committed by those who have both parents. Eighty per cent of all those arrested and charged have only a MOTHER parent. This was an excellent program!