



The Rotary Big Wheel

Anderson, Indiana *** October 9, 2007



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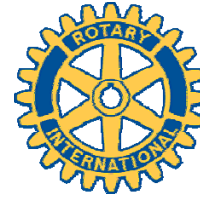
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Get Educated



*Kris Okomon, Mayoral
Candidate, Addresses Rotary*

Kris Okomon, Democrat Candidate for Mayor addressed Rotary and outlined his priorities if elected. These include: economics, education, and public safety.

In keeping with Rotary's tradition of neutrality in politics, Mayor Kevin Smith will address Rotary on October 23.

Halloween Party!

Hats off to Cindy Davis and the Halloween Committee, chaired by Lisa Floyd, for their hard work on this years Rotary Clubs first service project with Interact.



Join Rotarians and Interact Students on October 30 from 5:00 to 8:00pm at the Country Club for food, fellowship and service. Our special guest will be children from Alternatives, Dove Harbor and Mustin Women's Shelter. After dinner, we will be handing out candy to the youth in our Trunk and Treat. This evening will take the place of our regular noon meeting.

We are asking Rotary members to bring candy for to hand out that evening. Just bring it to Rotary this month.

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Happy Birthday!!

Brend Allred	10/9
Janice Bryan	10/27
Mike Collette	10/06
Lynn Fields	10/18
Mike Goldman	10/5
Nancy Graham	10/14
Jan Herr-Lukens	10/31
Stan Horner	10/20
Jan Miller	10/22
Paul Nicholson	10/15
Bob Nicholson	10/13
Dottie Payne	10/28
Bill Pitts	10/20
LeRoy Quashie	10/27
Bob Shoemaker	10/03

Guests

Kris Ockomon (Club)
Skio Ockomon (Club)
Katrina Ayers (Student)
Jay Ricker (Quinn Ricker)
Jim Orahood (Gayle Chesterfield)
Charles Zook (Tom Seal)
Kelly Kaiser (Deb Stapleton)
Allison Bellmel (Nancy Vaughn)
Detective Copeland (Kris Ockomon)

Visiting Rotarians

Gayle Chersterfield (Muncie Sunrise)

Important Dates

October 30	Halloween Party
May 16	School Carnival

Guess the Rotarian!

Four people with whom I'd like to have dinner:

Mother Teresa, Coach Dungee and two other positive people

My first job was:

Babysitting 5 children (4 boys and 1 girl)

One thing I wish I could learn to do:

Yoga

On my day off from work, I can be found doing for fun:

Shopping

My favorite television personality while growing up was:

Marlo Thomas on That Girl

Something I did that was unique to me:

DJ on a local radio show.

A lot of people do not know this about me:

I was raised on a farm. "Farm Girl."

My favorite Christmas present ever received:

A Chatty Cathy (and I still have one!)



And the Rotarian is.....Betty Crum!

Rotary Programs

October 16	Erskine Award
October 23:	Mayor Kevin Smith, Candidate for Mayor of Anderson
October 30:	Halloween Party, 5:00-8:00pm.

Rotary Moment 536 Politics and the Rotary Club Terri Austin

As we approach an important election in our community, we should consider Rotary's position in politics. Experience has shown that Rotary constitutional provisions contribute to the effectiveness of Rotary in the community and the world. To deviate would potentially divide Rotarians to the detriment of Rotary's purposes.

Consistent with our constitutional provisions, it has been the tradition of the Anderson club that when candidates for office or advocates of controversial issues are invited to speak before us, an equal opportunity on the same or another program be provided to opposing speakers. Candidates when appearing should be instructed that remarks are to be confined to putting forward their positions on the issues, and stating their own records, and that attacks on opponents are considered by the membership to be out of order and would likely reflect negatively on the candidate.

Joke of the Week

This is a story about four people named Everybody, Somebody, Anybody, and Nobody. There was an important job to be done and Everybody was asked to do it. Everybody was sure Somebody would do it. Anybody could have done it, but Nobody did it. Somebody got angry about that, because it was Everybody's job. Everybody thought Anybody could do it but Nobody realized that Everybody wouldn't do it. It ended up that Everybody blamed Somebody when Nobody did what Anybody could have done.