

# ROTARY BEACON



The Morehead City Evening Rotary Club

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Rotary Motto: Service Above Self

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## Broad Street Clinic Director Edie Reed Believes in Serving & Caring for Patients

Darden Eure had the program last week. His guest speaker was Edie Reed, director of Broad Street Clinic. The clinic was founded in 1993 by county physicians and other concerned citizens as a private non-profit, free health clinic serving the adult residents of Carteret County and surrounding areas. Its mission is to provide access to medical care for the uninsured low income population in our community. The Clinic was originally based in Beaufort, hence the name. It is now located on North 35th Street in Morehead City near Carteret General Hospital.

Patients qualifications are determined by medical and financial need. The Broad Street Clinic is a chronic care clinic treating the four chronic disease of diabetes, high blood pressure, heart and/or lung disease. Financial qualification depends on where the applicant's household income stands in relation to the Federal Guidelines of the Poverty Level established for any given year.

The clinic has provided medications, physician visits, lab work, and x-rays valued at 1.3 million dollars. Also the pharmacy filled 8,278 prescriptions. For each dollar donated, the Clinic is able to provide nine dollars of services.

Edie said that funding for Broad Street Clinic comes from several sources. Blue Cross and Blue Shield are big contributors along with support from pharmaceutical companies and of course local contributions.

The clinic is run totally by volunteers which include doctors, nurses and the clerical staff. With a case load of over 600 patients a year, a large pool of volunteers is necessary to meet the demand for quality care and medical treatment. The clinic has no set closing time. It closes when the last patient has been treated.

There is such a need for free medical services that Broad Street Clinic is opening another office at Cedar Island.

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## Tonight's Guest Speaker

Pat Rauhauser, Financial Advisor

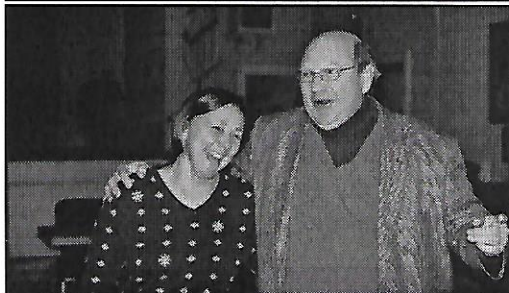
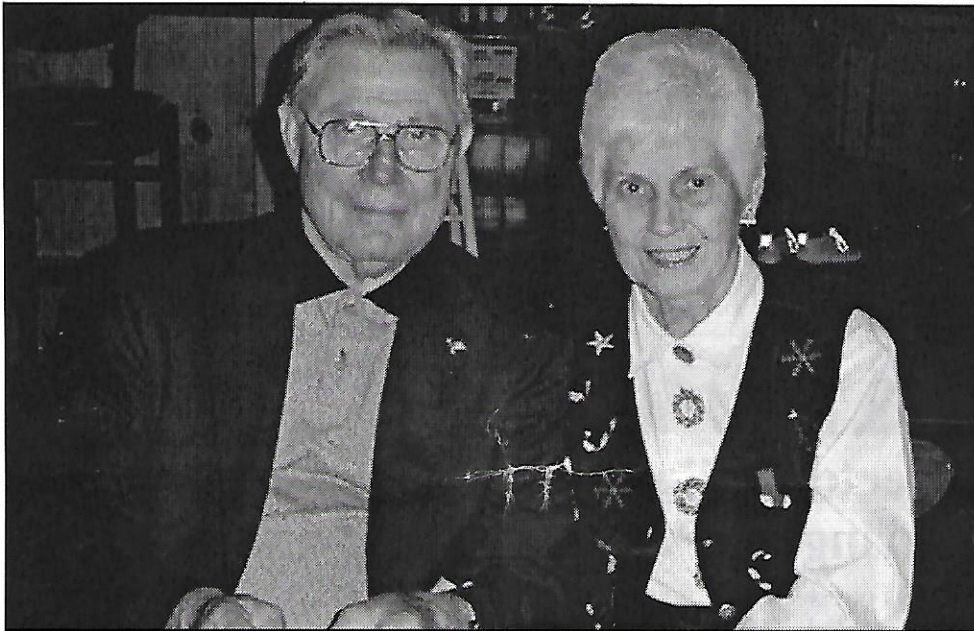
## Program Schedule for February/April

<u>Date</u>	<u>Rotarian</u>	<u>Ave. of Service</u>
February 19	Stanley Harrell	Voc. Service
February 26	Jim Garner	Voc. Service
March 5	Sonny Geer	Comm. Service
March 12	Jim Gregson	Comm. Service
March 19	Rick Johnson	Comm. Service
March 26	Earl Lewis	Comm. Service
April 2	Dave Lindsay	Inter. Service
April 9	John Nelson	Inter. Service
April 16	Tom Noe	Inter. Service

## February Anniversary

John and Jane Nelson

February 9



Darden Eure, Jr. serenades last week's guest speaker Edie Reed in the tradition of his father Darden Sr.

### The Four-Way Test

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

### FIND YOUR TEAM

**Team leader--Rogers, Dick**  
 Bet Dowty 252-726-7791  
 Sonny Geer 252-726-3814  
 John Nelson 252-726-4066  
 Matthew Cleveland 252-269-1150  
 Neil Whitford 252-726-1803  
 David Hall 252-726-3240

**Team leader--Gregson, Jim**  
 Eure, Darden Jr 252-726-6498  
 Freeman, Shelby 252-247-0545  
 Ward, Bill 252-622-4446  
 Walker, Jimmy 252-726-3754  
 Boyette, Brian 252-725-4285

**Team Leader--Harrell, Stanley**  
 Noe, Tom 252-726-3217  
 Bradley, David 252-727-9322  
 Reinfrow, Council 252-726-3667  
 Phillips, Jim 252-726-2678  
 Lindsay, Dave 252-726-4216

**Team leader--Johnson, Rick**  
 Lewis, Earl 252-726-5525  
 Phillips, Herb 252-728-3448  
 Thompson, Demus 252-726-3977  
 Garner, Jim 252-726-2478  
 Chalk, Jim 252-726-8043

## Ace of Spades Drawing Tonight's Jackpot



**\$253.00**

50 Cards  
Remaining in Deck

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

- \* Shelby Freeman has the program and silent auction next week.
- \* Time to begin contributing to Christmas Cheer. The current balance is \$50.59
- \* Albert Gaskill's New Address:

**ALBERT GASKELL**  
**BRITTHAVEN SMITHFIELD**  
**515 BARBOUR ROAD**  
**SMITHFIELD, NC 27577**

### When You Miss a Meeting, Make Up at One of These Locations

<u>Club</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Location</u>
Beaufort Old Towne	Mon	12:00 noon	Clawson's
MHC.Lookout	Wed	7:00 am	Carteret Gen. Hospital
MHC. Navigators	Wed	12:00 noon	Bountiful Bagel
MHC. Noon	Tues	12:00 noon	Golden Corral
MHC. Soundview	Thur	12:00 noon	Golden Corral
Newport	Mon	6:30 pm	Rotary Building
Swansboro	Thur	1:00 pm	Rotary Civic Center
Online	Any Day	Any Time	rotaryclubone.org