



ROTARY BEACON



The Morehead City Evening Rotary Club

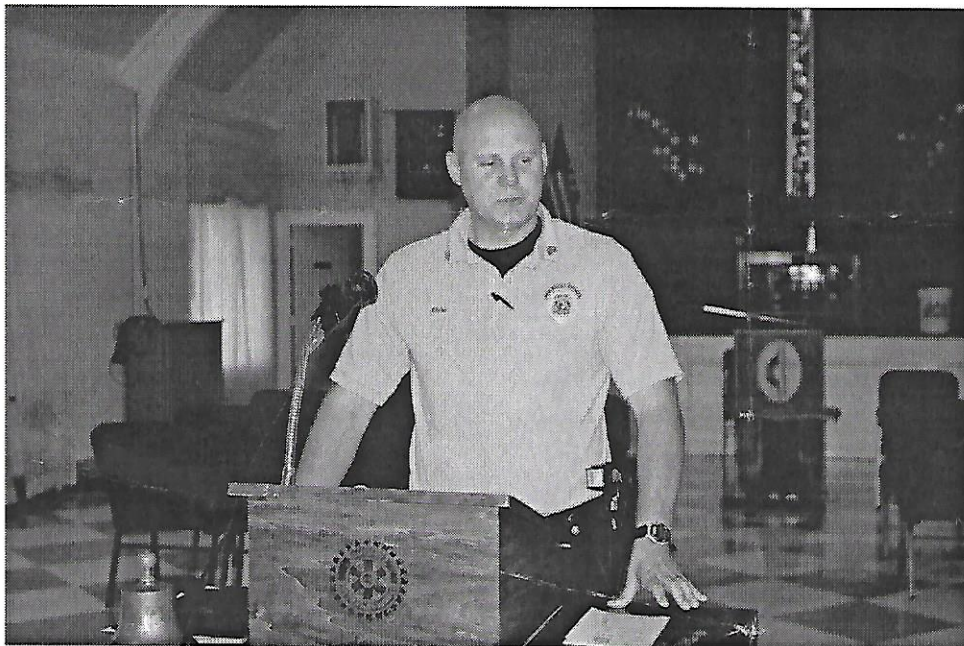
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Rotary Motto: Service Above Self

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Fallen Officers Would Be Honored

Carteret County Fraternal Order of Police Submit Proposal to Rename High Rise Bridge

Council Renfrow filled in for Demus Thompson who had the program last week. His guest speaker was Paul Ehrler who is Sergeant of the Pine Knoll Shores Police Department. Paul spoke about the efforts of the Fraternal Order of Policemen to garner the support needed to name the high-rise bridge between Morehead City and Atlantic Beach either "The Carteret County Law Enforcement Officer Down Memorial Bridge" or "Carteret County Officer Down Memorial Bridge."

"I think it's a great way to show respect for those officers who have died serving the community," said Paul Ehrler, president of the Carteret County FOP.

The request is an extension of a similar effort that resulted in last October's dedication of Carteret County's Officer Down Memorial, which now stands at the Basic Law Enforcement Training Center on the campus of Carteret Community College in Morehead City. Etched on the monument are the names of 13 fallen officers who either trained or worked in Carteret County.

With the bridge linking the two towns in which they served, it is seen as a particularly appropriate place to honor them and the 11 other fallen officers.

The local Blue Knights chapter and Fraternal Order of Police Lodge are in the process of garnering support for the naming request to take to the N.C. Board of Transportation for approval.

As part of the process, the transportation board requires resolutions of support from all local governing bodies associated with or affected by the request.

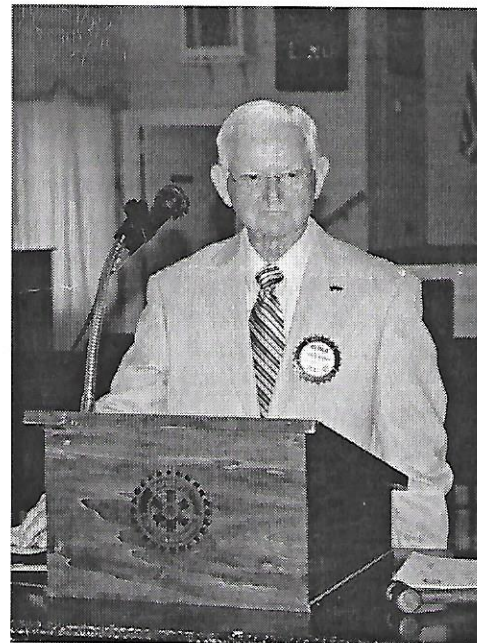
The Four-Way Test

A Guide to Live By

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?"

Tonight's Speaker

Andy Couch has the program tonight. At press time his speaker had not been determined. Sit back, relax and enjoy the surprise.



President Council Renfrow

President Renfrow met with the board of directors Friday to discuss plan for the new year. Top priorities include increasing membership, organizing a viable fund-raising project, and deciding on a community service project for the coming year. Members of the planning committee will present their ideas at the August 31 meeting.

Program Schedule for July-August

<u>Date</u>	<u>Rotarian</u>	<u>Ave. of Service</u>
July 24	David Bradley	Club Service
July 31	Jim Chalk	Club Service
Aug 7	Bill Ward	Voc. Service
Aug 14	Bet Dowty	Voc. Service
Aug 21	Darden Eure, Jr.	Voc. Service
Aug 28	Shelby Freeman	Voc. Service



July Anniversaries

James & Pauline Walker	July 15
Bill & Margie Ward	July 28
Demus & Ellen Thompson	July 30



JULY BIRTHDAYS

Darden Eure
Earl Lewis
Sonny Geer



July 16
July 17
July 22

When You Miss a Meeting, Be Sure to Make Up

<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

Four Avenues of Service.

Club Service promotes a knowledge of Rotary and provides opportunities for members to learn about Rotary in general. It involves the activities necessary to make the Club function successfully

Vocational Service represents the opportunity that each Rotarian has to represent the dignity and utility of one's vocation as an opportunity to serve society. Rotarians promote and foster high ethical standards in business and professions and promote the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations.

Community Service relates to the activities that Rotarians undertake to improve the quality of life in their community. Emphasis is given to helping children, needy families, the aged, the handicapped, and those most in need of assistance. Rotarians strive to promote the ideal of service in their personal, business, and community lives.

International Service strives for the advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service. International Service Projects are designed to meet the humanitarian needs of people in many lands, with particular emphasis on the most underprivileged children and families in developing countries.

Ace of Spades Drawing



Tonight's Jackpot

\$301.00

(47 cards left in Deck)

Morehead City Rotary Board of Directors

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Council Renfrow

PRESIDENT-ELECT
Andy Couch

SECRETARY
James Walker

TREASURER
David Hall

PAST PRESIDENT
Neil Whitford

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Jim Chalk, Com. Service
David Bradley, Inter. Service
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Sergeant-at-Arms,
Bet Dowty

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Darden Eure, Jr.
Shelby Freeman
Jim Garner
Albert Gaskil
Sonny Geer
Jim Gregson
Earl Lewis
Dave Lindsay
John Nelson
Tom Noe
Herb Phillips
Jim Phillips
Demus Thompson
Bill Ward

To Submit Articles to the Rotary Beacon

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

* The board of directors will meet Friday, July 25 at 7:30 am at the Captain's Table to complete plans for the new Rotary year.

* The calendar year is half over but we are not half-way to reaching our goal of \$700 for Christmas Cheer. Put all your loose change into the Christmas Cheer Buckets tonight. So far this year we have collected \$270.95.

* The new District Governor was installed this past Wednesday at the Pine Knolls Country Club. Council Renfrow represented our club at the installation ceremony.