



Robert B. (RB) Richey
District Governor
2017-2018

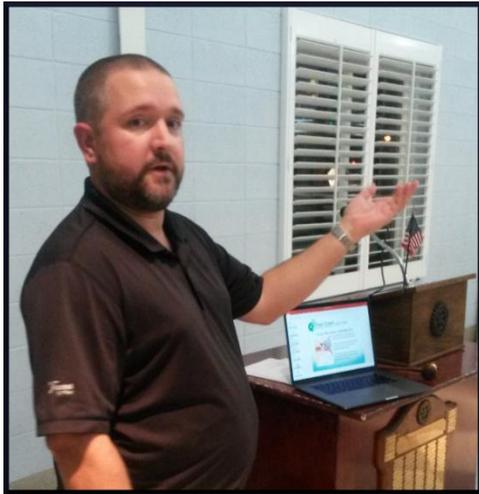


Ian H.S. Riseley
RI President
2017-2018

November 2, 2017 Rotary Motto: Service Above Self

District 7730, Club Number 6167
<http://rotarymhc.weebly.com/>

Last Week



President Rick introduced Dr. Gary Christopher (Chris) Gaines II AUD, PHD, CCC-A – Audiologist.

Chris explained the internal workings of the ear, common hearing problems, technological advances in the audiology field, and challenges that face the medical community in preventing hearing loss. More specifically, Chris informed

Rotarians about the cochlear implant; audiograms; how hearing changes as people age; why they can hear but not understand; how new technology permits them to adjust their own hearing aid through the use of a smartphone; symptoms, diagnoses, and treatment options for dizziness and vertigo; crystal displacement in middle ear; and causes and treatments for ringing in ears (tinnitus).

Rotarians asked several questions and thanked Chris for a very informative presentation.

Happy birthday!

Jim Chalk.....Nov 13
Shelby Freeman...Nov 20



Ace of Spades
\$224.00



Rotary Month Designation & Program Schedule November 2017

Rotary Foundation Month
Nov 2.....Zack Phillips
Nov 9.....Johnny Thompson
Nov 16.....Fletcher Poulk
Nov 23.....No Meeting
Nov 30.....Dick Rogers

December 2017
Disease Prevention and Treatment Month
Dec 7.....Steve Smith
Dec 14.....Demus Thompson
Dec 21.....James Walker
Dec 28.....Neil Whitford

A Challenge for US



Make this water bottle so heavy with coins that by Christmas President Rick will need help to carry it.

ROTARY - SALVATION ARMY RED KETTLE CHARITY
Main Door At Walmart

Mon	Wed	Mon	Wed	Mon	Wed	Mon	Wed
Nov 27	Nov 29	Dec 4	Dec 6	Dec 11	Dec 13	Dec 18	Dec 20
2-4	4-6	2-4	4-6	2-4	4-6	2-4	4-6

- D Bradley
- J Chalk
- W Chalk
- D Eure
- S Freeman
- J Garner
- J Gregson
- D Hall
- S Harrell
- G Henderson
- R Johnson
- E Lewis
- D Lindsay
- D McDonald
- J Nelson
- C Perrigo
- H Phillips
- Z Phillips
- F Polk
- G Renfrow
- D Rogers
- S Smith
- D Thompson
- J Thompson
- J Walker
- N Whitford



Lt. Rolland Lewis, Salvation Army, contributes to our happy dollars and speaks to us concerning our collection times to assist the Salvation Army with its Christmas Kettle Program.

See Dick to choose your shift to ring the bells!

2017-2018 Club Officers

President.....Rick Johnson
President-Elect.....Jim Gregson
President-Nominee.....Zack Phillips
Secretary.....Jim Gregson
Treasurer.....David Hall
Sergeant-at-Arms....Gerald Renfrow
iPast President.....Win Chalk

Club Committee Chairs

Membership.....Dean McDonald
Service Projects.....David Bradley
Club Administration..Darden Eure, Jr.
Public Image Chair.....Dick Rogers
Public Image Co-Chair.....Zack Phillips
Rotary Foundation.....James Walker
Bulletin Editor.....Jim Gregson

Belk Charity sales to date:

\$1175.00

Thank you Dick for your leadership of this fundraising event and thank you to all Rotarians for your ticket purchases and sales. We have until November 4 to increase ticket sales.



A goodwill program implemented by our club under President Rick's leadership

President Rick submitted the following article for our district newsletter:

The Rotary Club of Morehead City has implemented a program with three local restaurants, Captain's Table, Cox's, and Banks Grill, to accept their Rotary challenge coin in exchange for a meal served in the participating establishment. A club letter explaining the purpose of the program, along with a photo of the club coin, has been presented to each participating restaurant clarifying the guidelines and instructions.

Instead of just being a novelty Rotary coin tucked away and jiggling in a member's pocket / purse, the club's objective was to give the coin a monetary value. The Rotary coin now provides our members with a way to exhibit thoughtfulness and empathy to another in need of a meal or as a show of respect for a job well done and is deserving of recognition.

Each club member has received a coin that bears the Rotary symbol on one side and the four-way test on the other. The coin is unique in that below the Rotary wheel it identifies the year the club was chartered and provides a way to recognize our club's coin. Members understand that the bequeathing of the coin to another individual provides that person with a free meal and drink at one of the participating restaurants, not to exceed ten dollars. Further, the awarding of the coin to another person for purposes of a meal, obligates the giver of the coin to notify the club president and address the members at the next meeting on the reason(s) for the good deed. The club member is expected to reimburse the club for the meal prior to the return of his / her coin.

Guest speakers also receive a club coin after their presentations with an explanation of its meaning and value, along with the club's expectation that if the coin is used as designed, the guest speaker will return to the club and give details of the awarding of the coin.

A small gesture of thoughtfulness, but how better can one develop Rotary goodwill within the community?

For more information on the club's project, contact Rick Johnson 252 241 2454 / rjohnson4@ec.rr.com.

