



Thursday, March 25, 2004

This Week's Program

Wayne Tate is this week's program host. Wayne's guest today is Shane Smith of Gold's Gym. Shane will speak on maintaining good health by exercise and proper nutrition.

Next Week's Program

John Scudder will be next week's host. His guest will be Robert L. Butler, Mayor of Marion, IL

Rotarian Birthdays

Jim Haider..... March 30th
Darren Holmes..... March 29th
Ken King..... March 26th
Dave McReynolds..... March 26th

Spouses Birthdays

Geneva (Harold) Chase..... March 30th
Lori (Kevin) Wilson..... March 28th

Wedding Anniversaries

Jim and Armita Parker..... March 30th

Next Travelogue

On Thursday, April 15, 2004 at 7:00 p.m., Sandy Mortimer will present at the MHS Auditorium. "Ireland: Celtic Myths And Splendors"

Rotary Club Greeters (11:30am to Noon)

	<u>Front (Main St.) Door</u>	<u>Parking Lot Door</u>
Mar. 25, 2004	Bill Nielson	Lisa Vaughn
Apr. 01, 2004	Gene Watson	Sandra Jent
Apr. 08, 2004	TBA	TBA



RI District 6510 News & Events

Remember the St. Louis Cardinals vs. Chicago Cubs game on Sunday, May 2, 2004. This is a special Rotary Districts 6060, 6460, and 6510 function and over 1,000 of your fellow Rotarians will be attending the game. This is a chance for many of you to renew old friendships. There are plans for a bus to leave for the game from the Rend Lake Resort on Sunday morning but at press time, no details are available. If the bus materializes, more details will be available later. Tickets for the game can be purchased for \$25.00 each from Kenya Garner at (618) 997-4608. The deadline is TODAY!

Humor of the Week

A student at an English university, by name of Donald MacDonald from the Isle of Skye, was living in the hall of residence during his first year. After he had been there for a month, his mother came to visit, no doubt carrying reinforcements of oat meal.

"And how do you find the English students, Donald?" she asked. "Mother," he replied, "They're such terrible noisy people! The one on that side keeps banging his head against the wall, and won't stop. The one on the other side screams and screams and screams away into the night!"

"Oh, Donald! How ever do you manage to put up with these awful noisy English neighbours?" "Mother, I do nothing, I just ignore them! I just stay here quietly playing my bagpipes!"

Did You Know?

On this date in 1945, the US 7th Army crossed the Rhine River into Germany at Worms. A loaf of bread cost 9¢, gasoline was 21¢ per gallon, and the average income was \$2,807 per year. A new house cost \$10,131. The DOW average was 193 and the hot new toy was the Slinky. The Best Picture was *The Lost Weekend*. Elton John [Reginald Kenneth Dwight] was born in Pinner, Middlesex, England in 1947.

Rotary Club Anniversaries

Jim Haider.....March 25th 5 years

Centennial Project Fund Update

\$29,779.71