



THE GATEWAY
South Gateway Rotary Club
Service Above Self

Week of
March 18
2010

Notes from Emee
March 18 meeting

Fellow Rotarians,

I'm not sure if I shared this story with you all while at the podium:

“A few weeks ago I received a solicitation call from an organization raising money for a police fund. I asked how much of my donation was going toward the cause...after a lot of explaining and being transferred to various people, the last person I spoke with, thanked me for my time and wished me a nice evening. No donation being made by me.”

What you need to know is that I described my donations to Rotary Foundation; the idea that all of my donation, after being invested will be used for projects, both internationally and locally. My donation to Rotary Foundation makes good sense. Please consider donating to the Foundation this year, by June 30, 2010. The Foundation is a great place to invest in the world.

This coming meeting is our first “membership” luncheon. Invitations were sent to about 60 south side, South Bend businesses. As you may know, we will also have “membership” lunches in April and May. From the calls I have made to touch base with the businesses invited, I do not see anyone coming this Thursday. We may have some surprises, which would be wonderfully received, though it looks more like April may be attended by guests. In short, our “small and mighty” club needs new blood to

continue South Gateway into the future. Please help support our membership campaign by taking businesses on the excel file I sent last week and contacting them next month to remind them of the lunch on April 18th. Many hands make for little work.

See you tomorrow.

Emee

DUTY ROSTER

March 18, 2010

Greeter—George May

Invocation—Steve Eslinger

BIRTHDAYS IN MARCH

March 10—Don Napoli

March 18—Paul White

March 24—Penny Shepard

ANNIVERSARY IN MARCH

March 18—Fred and Bev Bettner

Programs

March 18—Brigitte Goulet: The Wonders of Acupuncture!

March 25—Owen Serey: South Bend Silver Hawks. Also Membership Open House—Bring Friends

April 1—Noah Davey: Commercial Real Estate Market Update

April 8—Mark Koopman: Hoosier Burn Camp

April 15—Rudy Reyes. Social Enterprise and Literacy

April 22—Mike Rivera: Ivy Tech Business School

April 29—Open

