

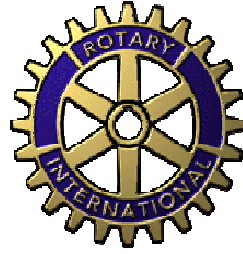
The Rotator

Bonner Springs, KS Rotary Club

Chartered June 25, 1936 Club #1608 Dist. 5710

Meets Monday at Noon at Twister's (Ks. Ave & 7 Hiway).

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Pres: Bruce Coleman

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March 21, 2011

Program March 7th: Roger shared the letters written by his father, Kenneth Miller, when he attended the University of Kansas 1919-1925. They were written to his parents in Wathena, KS and described life at KU that really didn't vary a lot from today. They were scalping tickets to the KU-Neb. Football game (for \$1.50). The Glee Club was touring Kansas and his band, The KU Footwarmers, were playing around the area...even in Bonner Springs at the Lake of the Forest. He was always in need of money and always had forgotten something when he was home and to please send it. He mentioned meeting Juliet Buell (Roger's mother) but they didn't really date until several years later. He was a founding member of Delta Chi.



Sick and Injured: Judy Miksch underwent back surgery recently. Get well soon! We miss you!

Gerken Shower: Several Rotarians and spouses feted Nicole Friday evening at Bottles 12. We gave her a car seat for her baby boy expected next month. Betty Coleman gave her a hand made blanket. (pictures to follow as ye ed forgot his camera but Betty had one handy)

Chieftain Photo: last week the Chieftain published the photo of Joel presenting our check to Carol Geary of Vaughn– Trent that was done several weeks ago. They were very, very much appreciative of it.

From the Rotator of March 17, 1966: Plans are being made for the 30th anniversary of the club. Jerry Goble was president and the District Conference was coming up. Program was Harold Hendricks, President of the Nursing Homes of Kansas. He explained the nature and the size of the business that has 14,800 beds in 470 homes and the number was increasing rapidly. (Yes, it has!)

A Lesson in Ethics: Jim was a contractor, and Joe was one of his best workers. Jim was really sorry when Joe was going to retire. He told Joe it was bad timing since he had one more home he would like to build. Joe reluctantly accepted the job, but he took every shortcut known to the trade. He purchased lumber of the lowest grades, concrete of the least strength, and the cheapest windows available despite their poor glass and bad fit. All Joe wanted to do was finish the job and retire. In short order the house was up and Joe could report the job done.

Congratulating Joe on his quick work, Jim said, "Joe, in appreciation of your years of faithful service, the house is yours!"

Thought of the Day: Kleptomaniacs always take things literally.

Daffynitions: Raisin: grape with a sunburn Toothache: the pain that drives you to extraction.

Programs: Today, Warren Hanks, next week Dwain Dewey. Desserts???????