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### DISTRICT GOVERNORS FROM NEWARK

FRANK L BEGGS- 1927-28	DARREL JONES- 1957-58	ROBERT C. BATTAT- 1970-71
THEODORE D. GRILEY- 1976-77	DONN E. ALSPACH-1988-89	ROBERT H. MCGAUGHY- 2003-2004
DIRECTOR, ROTARY INTERNATIONAL- THEODORE D. GRILEY- 1990-1992		
TRUSTEE, ROTARY INTERNATIONAL FOUNDATION- THEODORE D. GRILEY- 2001-2005		

### NEIGHBORING CLUBS FOR MAKEUP

Baltimore-Starlite Lanes	Thurs. 12:00	Gahanna-Jefferson County Club	Weds. 12:00
Columbus-Hyatt Regency	Mon. 12:00	Newark/Heath Moundbuilders Country Club	Thurs. 7:00am
Granville-Granville Inn	Mon. 11:45	Hilliard-Heritage Country Club, Rome-Hilliard Rd.	Thurs. 12:00
Lancaster-Eages Event Center	Mon. 12:00	Westerville-Villa Milano	Thurs. 12:00
Upper Arlington-The River Club Rest.	Tues. 12:00	Whitehall/Bexley-Columbus Country Club	Fri. 12:00
Mt. Vernon-Alcove Restaurant	Tues 12:00	Zanesville-Bryan Place	Tues. 12:00
Lancaster Sherman-Annie's Restaurant	Weds. 7:00am	Zanesville-Daybreak Club-	
Reynoldsburg-Pinkerington-		Zanesville County Club	Thurs. 7:15am
Wesley Ridge Retirement Center	Tues. 12:00	Pataskala- The First Pataskala Presbyterian Church	Thurs. 7:30am
Cambridge- Cambridge Country Club	Weds. 12:00	New Albany-Mia Cucina Restaurant	Weds. 7:30am

# ROTOGRAM

## Newark Rotary Club

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Reach Within to Embrace Humanity

### Week of Tuesday, Jan. 24, 2012

**This week's meeting:** Noon Tuesday, Place Off The Square, Dr. Kevin J. Edwards, competency to stand trial

**Next meeting:** Noon Jan. 31, Place Off The Square, Tom Stewart, Executive VP Ohio Oil and Gas Association

**Thought for the Week:** In 1932, when Babe Ruth hit his 'called shot' at Wrigley Field, "Babe Ruth did not call his home run. I was playing third base that game and he held two fingers up indicating two strikes. The press indicated he pointed which he did not." -- Elwood "Woody" English in an interview in 1995.

**Keep the club informed:** Rotarians can e-mail club news or calendar items to [mshearer@windstream.net](mailto:mshearer@windstream.net) by Sunday evening each week.

### Upcoming Programs

**Jan. 31:** Tom Stewart, Executive VP Ohio Oil and Gas Association

**Feb 7:** Ed Bohren on Licking County Bike Trails

**Feb. 14:** Joe Rutherford, ODOT District 5 Director

**Feb. 21:** Susan Reid on Jerry Mock (solo female pilot)

**Feb. 28:** Ohio Chief Justice Maureen O'Connor

### Club Calendar

**Feb. 28:** Multi-club meeting

**April 12:** Rotary hosting Biz After Hours

## This week's meeting: Dr. Kevin J. Edwards

Dr. Kevin J. Edwards will discuss methods that we determine if a criminal defendant is likely telling the truth about the symptoms and effects of mental illness. He has a PhD from Ohio State University, previously worked as an Ohio Department of Rehabilitation and Correction Psychologist and has been in private practice for past 11 years. He has evaluated more than 500 persons charged with criminal offenses. He also works as an adjunct professor at Ohio University, Department of Psychology.

## News and Notes:

### Meet new member Bob Fitzgerald:

Employment: President & owner of Brenner International, Newark, Ohio. Brenner is a manufacturer of machinery for the fiberglass and carbon fiber industry and composites industry.



Education: Bachelor of Science in Business

Administration/Major: General Business and Accounting from Youngstown State University.

Volunteer experience: The American Heart Association, Muscular Dystrophy Association, the United Way and past member of the Board of Directors of the United States Jaycees. Member of the ACME Lodge, F&AM of Ohio, the Aladdin Shrine of Columbus and the AASR Lodge Council Scottish Rite Bodies in the Valley of Columbus

Current Activities: Member of the Board of Directors and Past Board Chair, Fiberglas Federal Credit Union.

Personal: Lives in Newark with spouse, Jennifer; have five children, 11 grandchildren and one great granddaughter. Retired as a Lieutenant Colonel from the U.S. Army with 36 years of service.

### Rotary's Challenge reaches \$200 million:

Rotary's Challenge for polio eradication has reached the US\$200 million milestone. The Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation has awarded The Rotary Foundation an additional \$50 million grant, which is not a challenge grant, in recognition of Rotary's early achievement of this milestone.

## Last Week's Meeting

*By Rick Battat*

**Buzz Price** and **Mike Massaro** were at the badge tables.

New member, **Michele Vernon** led us in the invocation and Pledge of Allegiance.

**Tom Hall**, led us in R-O-T-A-R-Y and "Take Me Out to the Ball Game."

President Gary announced **Tom Slater's** wife, Joyce, had a bad fall last week and Tom had some minor surgery. They are both doing well and hopefully Tom will be at the next meeting.

**Erin Kennedy** is doing fine and appreciates the cards and flowers from the club. **Ed Bohren** is having some hernia surgery today.

**Laura Lewis** introduced the following guest: Brad Shute was the guest of **Steve Ehret**.

President Gary gave the following update on the push to get additional Paul Harris Fellows in our club. We have currently 21 new Paul Harris Fellows, 6 members who now have multiple certificates and we've raised close to \$15,000. We are continuing the push for more Newark Rotarians to become Paul Harris Fellows but as of the end the meeting, the incentive dropped to \$100. In March, we will have a Paul Harris recognition program.

February 28th will be the multi-club meeting at Cherry Valley Lodge. Chief Justice Maureen O'Connor will be the speaker.

Our Sergeant-at-Arms, **Pat Jeffries**, levied fines on **Buzz Price, Marcia Downes, Dick Reed, Glenn Able** and **Laura Lewis**.

### Program:

**Tom Marcelain** introduced our speaker, Joe Santry, from the Columbus Clippers.

Joe has served for over 20 years as the official scorer for the International Baseball League and is the official historian for the Columbus Clippers and is the Dean of all Historians for the International baseball League. He has traveled around the U.S. and has given about 4,000 speeches.

His talk was really a series of interesting stories about baseball history in the Columbus area, but before he got started on that he casually mentioned that The Clipper's new home, Huntington Park has been voted the best ball park in America in ANY league, major or minor, including the new Yankee Stadium and the Clippers spent FOUR BILLION

DOLLARS LESS than they did. It is fan friendly.

There are only 19 rows of seats so its cozy and 70 percent of the seats are between \$3 and \$10. On Sundays, the entire family of 6 gets in for \$15. On Wednesday, all the kids get in free. On Friday and Saturday, they have free concerts before the games and it is good baseball. The Clippers have been the national champions for the past two years.

The Clippers have always been known throughout baseball for their crazy promotions.

In 1917, they decided to play the Star Spangled Banner before the ball game but they didn't think it through that first day because when everybody sat back down at the same time, the ball park collapsed. It was a little ball park across from Ft. Hayes on Cleveland Ave. At the time, Ft. Hayes was a triage training center for the army... they trained M.A.S.H. units. The seats were full of trained Army medics who started organizing the care for the injured fans.

Because the parking lot was full of cars, they knocked a hole in the outfield fence to get the ambulances in. During the game, there was a fly ball to right field which went through the hole in the fence and down the sewer. It's the only home run in baseball history to officially roll down a sewer.

The old Cooper stadium was built in 1932 and was the first stadium ever built with lights for night baseball. The first night game drew a crowd of 21 thousand. The general manager, who was frugal, told the grounds crew to turn off the lights as soon as the last person left the stadium. That left most of the fans in a dark parking lot looking for their black cars (almost all cars were black back then). The next morning the headline in the paper was "Has anybody found their car yet?"

One of the first men from Columbus to play in the major leagues was Eddie Dundon. He was deaf so he couldn't hear whether he was safe or out when he reached a base so the umpires used hand signals which are still used today.

In the early 20th century, Newark had over 20 teams with names like Idlewildes, The Cotton Tops, Skeeters, Newks and New Socks. In the 1940s, there was the farm team of the old St. Louis Browns named "The Moundsmen" until the Yankees bought them and they became "The Yankees." Some of those players who made it to the major leagues were Ned Garver and Hal Smith.

**Raffle:** The drawing was won by **Dave List**.