



HAPPY BIRTHDAY
Cindy Bryant 3/19
Calvin White 3/19
Trish Digby 3/22



CALENDAR

- NEXT MEETING:
Dr. Paul Cullens
N. Miss. State Hospital
- MEETING AFTER NEXT:
Dr. Mark Keenum
President, Mississippi State
- PREVIOUS MEETING:
Jenny Tate
Miss. Junior Achievement
- TERRI WILLIAMS** | PROGRAM CHAIR



NEWEST MEMBERS

Cindy Bryant Sam Morgan
Mike Workman Edward Hill
Chuck McDougald

How long has it been since you proposed someone for membership? Recommend someone today!

TODAY'S SONG

I'm Looking Over a Four-Leaf Clover

I'm looking over a four leaf clover that I overlooked before.
One leaf is sunshine, the second is rain,
third is the roses that grow in the lane.
No need explaining the one remaining is somebody I adore.
I'm looking over a four leaf clover that I overlooked before.

ROTARY RECENTLY



FINANCIAL ACHIEVEMENT

Jenny Tate, left, with Junior Achievement of Mississippi, discussed with the Rotary Club of Tupelo last week what the organization does in teaching financial and money management to young people. Tate also discussed how interested people or businesses can get involved. Shown with Tate are Rotary Club of Tupelo President Wayne Scoville and Terri Williams, this quarter's program chair.

WORTH REPEATING

"The public, more often than not, will forgive mistakes, but it will not forgive trying to wriggle and weasel out of one."

TODAY'S PROGRAM

Curtis Davis, Taylor Shock, and Sarah Ballard

Tupelo High School seniors

Curtis Davis, Taylor Shock, and Sarah Ballard are seniors at Tupelo High School this year and will talk to our club today about their senior projects.

Through Tupelo High School's Curriculum-Based Research Culmination Project, a senior's reading, writing, speaking, thinking, information-accessing, time management, problem solving and organizational skills are showcased in a four-part process. The components include a research paper, a curriculum-based product related to some aspect of the paper, a portfolio, and an oral presentation before a team of evaluators. Curriculum-based identifies this project as one that falls within an instructional program presently taught at the high school.

This learning experience cannot rely solely upon what a student already knows but must demonstrate an aspect of new learning and growth (a learning stretch). A successful culmination project involves parental and teacher support as well as student initiative and self-discipline. Grades are given for meeting deadlines and for the completion

of the project components.

THS Culmination Project would not be successful if it were not for community volunteers graciously giving of their time throughout the year to help students as mentors and evaluators. Culmination Day for the Class of 2009 is on April 28, 2009, at Bancorps South Center. The students' evaluation procedures on that day will consist of a ten-to-fifteen minute presentation using a student-created tri-fold presentation board, followed by a five-minute question-and-answer period. With 400+ senior presentations on display, AEE members, parents, friends, and interested community members will vicariously experienced the wonderful sense of accomplishment these seniors feel as they share their efforts.

Students today are entering a competitive and, at times, a daunting world, and the nurturing of interested, caring, and accomplished adults from their earliest school days through the end of the Culmination Project has helped instill in each of them the confidence and courage to meet the demands of their futures.

NOTES & EVENTS

Want RotaryView early by e-mail?: e-mail Jason to add your name to the e-mail list, and get your copy before the meeting.

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We need this many new members, and time is running out. Who can you bring into the club?

ROTARYVIEW INFO

For items to be published in RotaryView, please contact:

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Deadline for item submission is Noon Wednesday.

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