



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

- Howard Davenport** 10/7
- Chuck Imbler** 10/8
- Talmadge Ray** 10/8
- Wayne Woody** 10/9
- Mike O'Dell** 10/10
- Buddy Vance** 10/11
- Harold Hodges** 10/12



CALENDAR

- ▶ NEXT MEETING:
Alice Clark
Vice Chancellor of Research,
Ole Miss
 - MEETING AFTER NEXT:
Mindy Prewitt, M.D.
Infectious Disease Specialist,
on the upcoming flu season
 - LAST MEETING:
Terry Smith
WTVA, on digital transition
- BRAD PREWITT** | PROGRAM CHAIR



NEWEST MEMBERS

- Monte Foxx
- Lisa Bryant
- Jillian Foster
- Jay Dey
- Gunner Goad
- Chris Winders

TODAY'S SONG

Don't Fence Me In

Oh, give me land, lots of land under starry skies above,
don't fence me in.
Let me ride through the wide open country that I love,
don't fence me in.
Let me be by myself in the evening breeze,
listen to the murmur of the cottonwood trees.
Send me off forever, but I ask you, please, don't fence me in.

ROTARY RECENTLY



DIGITAL TRANSITION

Terry Smith, left, director of Program Development and Distribution for WTVA television in Tupelo, spoke to the Rotary Club of Tupelo last week about the transition from analog to digital transmission signals, and what the switch date in February 2009 means for viewers across the nation. Smith also answered questions in regard to WTVA's move to the digital signal. Speaking with Smith is Rotarian Randy McCoy.

WORTH REPEATING

"No man is good enough to govern another man without that other's consent."
ABRAHAM LINCOLN

TODAY'S PROGRAM

Ted Ownby

Ole Miss Center for the Study of Southern Culture

Ted Ownby is Professor of History and Southern Studies and Interim Director of the Center for the Study of Southern Culture at the University of Mississippi. A native of Cookeville, Tennessee, he moved to the University of Mississippi in 1988 after receiving his Ph.D. at Johns Hopkins University. He is author of two books, *Subduing Satan: Recreation, Religion, and Manhood in the Rural South, 1865-1920*, and

American Dreams in Mississippi: Consumers, Poverty, and Culture, 1830-1998, editor of three books, and is coeditor of the *Mississippi Encyclopedia*, a book due out in 2009.

His talk today is, "Is There Still a South?: A Historian's Perspective on the Question," and will consider what historians mean when they discuss the concept of the contemporary South.

ROTARY NEWS

Quarter's programs include Senator Cochran, authors, and THS Madrigals

The lineup for this quarter's programs, put together by Brad Prewitt, include the following:

- ▶ **10/13/08:** Alice Clark, Vice Chancellor of Research, Ole Miss
- ▶ **10/20/08:** Mindy Prewitt, M.D., Infectious Disease Specialist (flu season)
- ▶ **10/27/08:** Jere Nash, Author, "Mississippi Politics: Struggle for Power, 1976-2006"
- ▶ **11/3/08:** Thad Cochran, U.S. Senator
- ▶ **11/10/08:** Scott Coopwood, Delta Magazine

- ▶ **11/17/08:** Larry "Butch" Brown, Mississippi Department of Transportation
- ▶ **11/24/08:** Nancy Ashley, Lecturer on Mississippi Writers/Artists
- ▶ **12/1/08:** Jim Greenlee, U.S. Attorney, Norther District of Mississippi
- ▶ **12/8/08:** James Cummins, Mississippi Wildlife
- ▶ **12/15/08:** Tupelo High School Madrigals, annual Christmas music performance (this is the last program of 2008)

NOTES & EVENTS

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