



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

- Harold Hodges** 10/12
- Taylor Sanders** 10/13
- Luther Millsaps** 10/14
- Frank Riley** 10/14
- Henry Dodge** 10/15
- Charlie Greer** 10/15
- Dick Lankford** 10/15
- Mitch Ellett** 10/16
- Rowland Geddie** 10/17



CALENDAR

- NEXT MEETING:
Janice Guice
Mississippi Rural Physicians
- MEETING AFTER NEXT:
Kelli Karlson
Salvation Army chair
- PREVIOUS MEETING:
Dr. Randy Shaver
Tupelo Public Schools
- GUNNER GOAD** | PROGRAM CHAIR



NEWEST MEMBERS

- Cliff Brock
- Melissa Sullivan
- Jenny Jones
- Mark Williams

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



50/50 CAMPAIGN KICKS OFF

Through the end of this Rotary year, Rotarians from the Rotary Club of Tupelo will have a little fun as they "fund" their share of the Gates Foundation's \$355 million challenge grant. Called 50/50 for Polio Eradication, each Monday, Rotarians can purchase a \$1 chance to win 50% of the "pot" with the remaining 50% going to PolioPlus in the winner's name. Help fund the fight today!

WORTH REPEATING

"I think I've discovered the secret of life - you just hang around until you get used to it."
CHARLES M. SCHULZ

TODAY'S PROGRAM

Mike Clayborne

President, CREATE Foundation

Mike Clayborne has served as President of the CREATE Foundation since September 1996. He is a fellow Rotarian.

Mike was born and raised in Amory, and has served as Executive Director of Chamber of Commerce organizations in Amory, Starkville, and Anniston, Ala. Before assuming his current position, he worked for two years as a consultant to CREATE, and helped establish

the Commission on the Future of Northeast Mississippi. During Mike's tenure at CREATE the organization's assets have increased from \$13.9 million to more than \$40 million.

Mike is a graduate of Mississippi State University, the Institute for Organization Management at the University of Georgia, and the National Planned Giving Institute at the College of William & Mary.

ROTARY NEWS

Rotary offers free trip to Korea

Rotary District 6800 in April will send a Group Study Exchange team to Korea. Applications for the program are due October 16, with interviews scheduled for October 29-30.

For each team member, the Rotary Foundation provides a round-trip airline ticket between the home and host countries. Rotarians in the host area provide for meals, lodging, and group travel in district. Team members experience the host country's culture and institutions, observe how their vocations are practiced abroad,

develop personal and professional relationships, and exchange ideas.

GSE team member applicants must be between 25 and 40 years old; fully employed with at least two years of work experience in their chosen field; in the early stages of their careers or professions; U.S. citizens; able to take off four weeks from work or business; and non Rotarian nor directly related to a Rotarian

For more information on applying, please contact District 6800 GSE Chairman, Carl Awsumb, at 901-355-3241.

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.

Rotary Board Meeting: The monthly meeting of the Board of the Rotary Club of Tupelo will be tomorrow at 5:30 p.m. Any members having something they'd like to bring to the board's attention should see any board member today.

Flu shots available Monday: Walgreens will be at Rotary on Monday, Oct. 19, from 11:30 to 1:30 to provide seasonal flu vaccines to Rotarians and spouses. See Janice for forms to complete to file on your insurance. Cost is \$24.99 if you wish to pay cash.

ROTARYVIEW INFO

For items to be published in RotaryView, please contact:

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Deadline for item submission is Noon Wednesday.