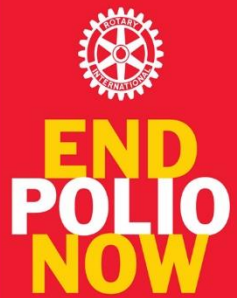


Rotary Gastonia East

Service Above Self since 1970



Bingo: Jay Falls

Prayer/Pledge: Jenny Stultz

Health & Happiness: Steve D' Avria

Sgt.-at-Arms: Natalie Tindol

Welcome to our October 6, 2014 meeting

We are glad you are here!

**Welcome
District Governor
Ken Dresser**



Program next week Webb Hubbell

Happy Birthday This Week

Oct 8- Skip Bradley

Oct 9- Carlos Vargas

Club Anniversary

Oct 9- Edie Hancock- 5 years

Oct 9- Randy Riley – 8 years

Oct 12- Alex Mullineaux- 2 years

Oct 16- Bill Moore- 14 years

Oct 30- Jeffrey Howe- 14years



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Do you know who to ask if you have a question, suggestion or comment?

Karl McKinnon – President -704-865-6903

Morgan Rhoney – Treasurer – 704-868-4393

John Pea – Immediate Past President – 704-865-1663

Mike Stanforth – Rotary Foundation – 704-853-0800

Bernardo Porter – Membership – 704-864-0068

Kelly Morris – International Service - 704-852-3222

Edie Hancock – Club Administration 2 – 704-860-1831

Ed Jackson – Sgt-at-Arms – 704-810-0460

John Watts – Rotary Ramble – 704-864-2685

Bill Moore – President - Elect - 704-865-4400

Sonya McGraw – Secretary- 704-866-6119

Kent Huggins –Club Exec Secretary - 704-865-2479

Barry Wright- Rotary Foundation- 704-813-9100

Veronica Feduniec – Community Service – 704-874-1906

Cam Campbell – Club Administration 1 – 704-864-6536

Michael Dickson – Program Chair – 704-824-0892

Michael Scott – CaroMont Challenge – 704-867-1210

Randy Riley – Club Trainer – 704-905-1955

Ken Dresser – District Governor – 704-896-2695

To contact fellow club members and to view a club membership database, visit: <https://www.directory-online.com/Rotary/>. Log-on with your email address. If you have not changed your password, it will be your last name.

The individuals listed below are responsible for the Prayer/Pledge and calling Bingo on the assigned dates. **If you cannot attend on the date requested, please delegate your responsibility to another club member.**

<u>Date</u>	<u>Prayer/Pledge</u>	<u>Bingo</u>	<u>Sgt.at Arms</u>	<u>Health & Happiness</u>
Oct 13	Chuck Long	Edie Hancock	Alan Cloninger	John Pea
Oct 20	Mike Lands	Al Juhl	Alex Mullineaux	Steve D'Avria
Oct 27	Nancy Paschall	Mark Epstein	Wesley Styers	Steve D'Avria

Ken Dresser, District Governor 7680 for 2014 - 2015

Ken Dresser, DGE joined the Rotary Club of North Mecklenburg County in 2003 and has had perfect attendance for the last 6 years. Ken became a Paul Harris Fellow on October 6, 2004 and is currently PHF+8, a Benefactor, a member of the Paul Harris Society, and Bequest Society. Once a member he was elected to the office of Secretary for three consecutive years beginning in 2004. Ken was elected President-Elect for the 2007-2008 Rotary year and was club president in 2008-2009. His technical knowledge and experience was put to use in 2009-2010 as District Technology Advisor and he became Assistant Governor in 2010.

His club awarded Ken the Service Above Self Award in 2005-2006, the John Tobin Award in 2006-2007 and the club Distinguished Rotarian in 2007-2008.

Ken worked in the family engineering firm until 1977 when the business was sold. At that time Ken went to work for Duke Power, then McCoy-Ellison (textile equipment manufacturer), then PCA International (a portrait photography company). In 1983, Ken joined IBM and has been there ever since. His current assignment with IBM is in the area of cybersecurity. Ken graduated from the University of North Carolina at Charlotte with a Bachelors and Master's degree in Engineering. He is a



Professional Engineer in NC and also a Certified Information Systems Security professional.

While Ken met his wife Barbara in 1963 they reconnected in 2001 and married in 2002. Ken and Barbara have 3 children and 10 grandchildren all of whom live in the area. They enjoy their RV and are both active in their church. Barbara is a Deacon and Ken has been an Elder at Bethel Presbyterian Church in Cornelius, NC. Ken is a member of the Central Piedmont Community Chorus and enjoys singing in the church choir as well.