



# The BEEHIVE



The Medina Rotary Club Newsletter  
May 27th, 2004

## Proposed New Members

Bob Shaw, Senior Active  
Proposed by Roy Harriger  
3<sup>rd</sup> and Final Notice

Connie Dickson, Real Estate  
Proposed by Jane Lang  
3<sup>rd</sup> and Final Notice

Dr. Richard Burmaster, Dental  
Industry  
Proposed by Sue Minamyer  
3<sup>rd</sup> and Final Notice



## Medina Rotary Benefit Golf Outing

@

Country Clubs of  
Fox Meadow  
Weymouth Course

On

June 14<sup>th</sup>

Cost is \$125 Per Golfer

\$30 Dinner only

## Medina Sq. Clean up

On Sat. May 22<sup>nd</sup>, several Rotarians and Charlie Freeman from the Kiwanis worked to spread mulch around the trees and beds on the square. A special thanks to the following for their help: John Jeandrevin, Al Milton, Michelle Rogers, John Sobotincic, Dayne Wendling, and Ken Tender. Noone let a little rain deter them! The Medina City Parks had a good crew their hauling mulch to the trees and the square looks great!

## Medina Rotary Meeting Calendar

June 3<sup>rd</sup> Medina County Rape Crisis Center @ RHCC

June 10<sup>th</sup> Medina County YWCA @ RHCC

June 17<sup>th</sup> No Meeting

## News @ 7

Dow was up; Nasdaq was up; the Cavs are picking 10<sup>th</sup> in the draft; former Rite-Aid CEO was sentenced to 8 years for accounting scandal; the Surgeon General announced that even more diseases are linked to smoking.

## Sergeant at Arms

Many dollars were collected for Memorial Day and the sacrifices our veterans have made to preserve our freedom. Dollars were also collected for the WWII Memorial Dedication and the Charlie's Angels dinner. Ken made his contribution for his April birthday-HAPPY BIRTHDAY KEN and for having Quine in the club as an Auto Sales Consultant.

## Speaker

Our own Ralph Waite filled in as speaker and reminisced about his experiences as a high school student and then as a soldier during World War II. Ralph described how shocked the student body of Medina High School was after December 7th, 1941. He talked about rationing, scrap drives and ration books. Ralph talked about his enlistment and training after his graduation in 1944 and also his experiences in Europe. He reminded us that it was a time when everyone pitched in however they could. With 1100 of our WWII veterans dieing every day, Ralph didn't have to remind us that the Memorial to the participants in World War II is long overdue. Ralph also organized a trip for veterans to the dedication of the World War II Memorial over Memorial Day weekend.

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Treasurer-Steve Klein

### Directors

2004-George Bufkin, John Sobotincic & Ken Tender  
2005- Darrell Jenkins, Sue Kozak & Bill Breck  
2006- Don Spickler, Dan Watson & Cinzia Rolling

### Avenue of Service Chairs

Club Service-Ben Hallock  
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