



# SUNRISE SALUTE

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## News from the the Rotary Meeting of October 26, 2009



### 2009-10 RI Theme

### *Leading the Way At San—Lee*

San-Lee Sunrise Rotarian Ashley Hinman, standing in for President Neal Jensen, opened the meeting with the 'Quote of the Week;: "A countryman between two lawyers is like a fish between two cats." -Benjamin Franklin.

Leslie Cox led the Rotary invocation

Ron Moeller led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Ashley Hinman led the Four Way Test to close the meeting.



San-Lee Sunrise Rotarian Marcy Santini (right) introduced Bob Joyce (center), President of the Sanford Area Chamber of Commerce, for a program describing the Second Century effort in Lee County and the great improvements in education in our Lee County School System. Also pictured is San-Lee Sunrise Rotarian Ashley Hinman who presided over the meeting in the absence of President Neal Jensen.

Marcy Santini introduced Bob Joyce, President of the Sanford Area Chamber of Commerce, for a program describing the Second Century effort in Lee County and the great improvements in education in our Lee County School System. Bob was one of Marcy's instructors in a recent class of the Leadership Sanford program. President Joyce opened his program with a description of the past and the three present goals of Second Century (1) A Common Goal and Vision for the Future (2) Diversifying the county's economic base and (3) Improving the Quality of Life in our county. In reviewing education improvements in our county, Bob spoke of improvements brought about by the AVID (Advancement Via Individual Determination) and RTI (Responsiveness Instruction) programs and improved test scores with 92.8% reaching ABC standards. The Dropout Rate in our school system is the lowest it has been in ten years. Other improvements discussed were the E-Lee Academy, distance learning techniques to allow teaching of advanced physics in our high schools, the Confucius Classroom provided by the Chinese Ministry of Education, Lee Early College and other educational efforts.

## Good News

- Terry Mullen cheered the NY Yankees in their win of the American League pennant.
- Leslie Cox is still boosting the Wolfpack.
- Andy Manhardt enjoyed a recent visit from his two granddaughters.
- Martin Davis helped his brother and sister enjoy their fiftieth birthdays.
- Fred Stuart is visiting with his daughters in Northern Virginia.
- Terry Mullen reported that a memorable memorial service was held for his wife Sue in the courtroom in the borough of Fanwood where she presided as judge, as a member of the New Jersey judicial system.

## Club News

- Leslie Cox made a presentation stating that San-Lee Sunrise Rotary cannot give if the Club does not first receive the proceeds of San-Lee Sunrise raffle ticket sales.
- The Rotary Foundation banquet will be held November 12 in High Point and the Rotary football outing will be the Wake Forest-Florida State game on November 14<sup>th</sup>.
- Hayden Lutterloh announced San-Lee Sunrise Rotary will be preparing the meal at the Breadbasket on January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2010.