



# The Cornpicker

Bulletin of Fairbury, IL Rotary Club

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2008 - 2009 Officers

President . . . . . Josh Clemons  
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**DATE/TIME/ PLACE:** May 19, 2009, 12:00 noon at Marchelloni's

**ATTENDANCE:** 24 plus 13 students/staff from Prairie Central

**LOTTO:** Dean Moser & Jim Meister

## ACTION ON THE AVENUES

### CLUB SERVICE

**Programs:**

*Next Week!*



5/26 - Ralph Converse,  
V.P./Gen. Mgr. Peoria Chiefs

All dates are open in June!

### AREA CLUB MEETINGS

Bloomington	12:00 Noon	Thursday	Elks Club
Gibson City	6:45 a.m.	Wednesday	The Country Kettle
Gilman	6:05 p.m.	Tuesday	Gilman Lounge
Lincoln	11:50 a.m.	Wednesday	Elks Country Club
Normal	12:00 Noon	Wednesday	Bone Student Center

### COMMUNITY SERVICE

The Chamber of Commerce Annual Dinner Meeting was Monday night. Josh is the new President of the Fairbury Chamber of Commerce. He is also the outgoing President of Rotary . . . and the Incoming President of Rotary. He spoke of Polio Plus and the Bill Gates Challenge. They asked the community to help Rotary District 6490 raise matching funds. The program is called "Pennies for Polio". Josh will supply milk jugs to willing businesses so the community can donate their pennies. If you would like one, call Josh.

### Quips & Quotes

What we learn with pleasure  
we never forget.  
Alfred Mercier

# Accelerated Reader

Dr. Capasso introduced the Westview Accelerated Reader group with Rotary being the ultimate reward for them to come and eat with us!

**Braden Thopmas** - son of Nichol & Dave Winterland. This is his second visit with us. He read 45 books and is part of the 400% club. His longest book was 734 pages. His favorite book was Matilda. He likes Harry Potter and wants to be an Astronaut. He read 2,413,265 words.

**Dakota Bazzell** - daughter of Mark & Tonya Bazzel, read 75 books. The longest of 339 pages. Her favorite book was Let The Circle Be Unbroken. She would like to be a Vet. Dakota read 2,264,889 words.

**Carter Evans** - son of Tim & Tonya Evans, reached a 600%. The longest book was 652 pages. His favorite books are Harry Potter. He would like to be an Author when he grows up.



## Student of the Month

Mike Quinn and Kathy Ricketts.

This is Mike's 20th year. There were 3 students (seniors) that could not make it due to finals. The students introduced themselves, gave their parents name and their future plans.



## BITS & PIECES

For only as we ourselves, as adults, actually move and have our being in the state of love, can we be appropriate models and guides for our children. What we are teaches the child far more than what we say, so we must be what we want our children to become.