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President's Message

The second June meeting was held this Monday. Jimmy James, General Manager and Troy Mann, Coach of the Columbia Inferno were the speakers. They tried to get us pumped up for hockey in Columbia/Lexington. I say it this way because they are moving from the Coliseum to Lexington County. The new location will be announced this week. From a show of hands it looked like most of the members present had been to an Inferno game. Thanks to Tom Ellis for getting and introducing our speakers. Remember contact Chris Burnett who is our Program Chairman if you know of any speakers or subjects that you think would be of interest to the Club.

The attendance was still a little light but everyone there got free tickets to an Inferno game. Remember it is not too hot to eat sandwiches. We are meeting the second and fourth Mondays of June, July and August, so our next meeting will be July 9. Please try to attend and bring a guest/potential new member.

Karen McGrady gave us her experiences taking the kids up to Camp Sertoma with Mark Julian. I appreciate all the time and effort she has put into this worthwhile endeavor.

Speakers & Events	
July	
2	No Meeting ~ Independence Day
9	Betsy Kaemmerlen Master Gardener
16	No Meeting ~ Summer Bi-Weekly Schedule BUT ~ Sponsorship Board Meeting .

Board Meeting
 July 16 @ 6:00 pm ~ 15th Floor
 Turner Padgett Graham & Laney
 Bank of America Building
 1901 Main Street

Sponsorship Requests will be Considered, if received by July 9.

Again we were recognized by Carolina Children's Home for our fund-raising campaign which raised approximately \$68,000 for the Home this year. James McComb our Chairman and all of his Captains, Russ Wilcox, Heather Fairchild, Joby Castine, Chris Burnette, Karen McGrady, Brian Kvam, Tommy Bryson and John Alam did a great job. Ernie Lawhorne, who started the drive in 1968, was there. I think he was proud of what he started and what we continue.

The 2007-2008 Board Transition Meeting/Club leadership conference took place Monday, June 18 at the Club House on the corner of Gervais and Park in the

Vista. We started with cocktails and hors d'oeuvres (This was your social and entertainment dollars at work). Most new and old Officers, Board members and Committee Chairs were present, plus one or two others. I think those present enjoyed themselves and we got some work done too. If you, the new Officers or Committee Chairs were not there or your predecessor was not there, please hook up with them to get any documentation or tips they have.

Sponsorship request will be considered at our next Board meeting on July 16. Please try to get your request to Joe by the regular lunch meeting on July 9.

Until we meet again,

Dee

Sergeant @ Arms Report
 Twenty eight members and three guests attended. The \$32 Pot was **WON!** by *ed.*
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Business Meeting

Tom Ellis gave the Invocation & led in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Carolina Children's Home thanks us for this year's contribution.



Chairman James McComb, Alise Daniel and Elizabeth Derks from CCH, Keith Jones, and Chris Weston; Atlantic Coast Region I.D.



James McComb, shakes hands with Mr. Big Redfatcheck, as chairmen(sic), Karen McGrady, Heather Fairchild, Joby Castine, John Alam and Brian Kvam enjoy the fellowship.

Chairmen Tommy Bryson. Chris Burnette and Russ Wilcox were enjoying fellowship somewhere else.

Noteworthy:

Mark Julian, Joby Castine, Neal Sutker & Phil Betette worked the most cards, and Anne Wilson had 5 new cards!



Membership Application

Moira Gettens

First Posting

Moira works for BB&T ~ Boyle Vaughan as insurance marketing coordinator. She is a graduate of USC in Marketing Management. Moira is single and enjoys boating and rollerblading. Address comments or questions to an officer or board member.

Summer Meeting Schedule: Through August we will meet on the second and fourth Mondays.

Camp Sertoma Karen McGrady told how she and Mark Julian safely delivered 6 kids (12-13 yrs) to camp on a very hot day. Karen picks the little darlings up next Saturday. If you have never made the trip, you should. It's rewarding to see what a week of real camp does for these kids. Call Karen.

Summer Sertoma International Convention: Contact Dee if you would like to attend this year's meeting in Norfolk VA. This is a great spot for a convention and the Chesapeake Bay tour is worth the trip.

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Guest of Joseph Azar

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Derks ~ CCH

Ernie Lawhorne

Thank you for signing your guests in at the Sergeant's desk.