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To All Sertomans!



Thank you for your endorsement of my candidacy for **Junior Vice President of Sertoma, Inc.**

I look forward to maintaining the excellence of our organization's history and commitment to service, and I seek to represent our club to the best of my ability.

I hope our club can fulfill our club delegate requirement and represent us well in Nashville, Tennessee July 23-25, when the election will be held. Thanks again for your support.

Chris Weston

Sergeant @ Arms Report

Thirty-Eight members attended and the \$115.26 Rollover Pot was WON!
By Eboni Ramm.

President's Message

Chris Weston will represent us well at the International level; let's do what we can to support him in his bid for higher office!

Friday, February 13th, Chuck LaMark is putting together a membership night at Gotham Bagel Café. (see page #2)

There will be no meeting on President's day with the exception of our board meeting that evening at 6 PM. Brian Kvam will be hosting the meeting at Concurrent Technologies, please contact him or Chris Burnette for directions, board meetings are open to all members.

Vice President Karen McGrady will be chairing our Carolina Children's Home Campaign this year. This campaign was started by Ernie Lawhorne in 1968 and has since raised close to \$3.4 million. Please do what you can to support her efforts. We'll be conducting our meeting

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February

13	Membership Night @ Gotham Bagel Cafe
16	NO MEETING Presidents' Day...but.. Board Meeting scheduled
21	Mardi Gras Fundraiser Regular Meeting
23	~CCH Fundraiser~ Kickoff Meeting at Carolina Children's Home
28	National Heritage Banquet
<u>March</u>	
2	GEM Meeting @ 11:30am
<u>April</u>	
16	Sertoma Regional Convention In Winston Salem (16th thru 18th)
<u>July 23 ~ 25</u> International Convention in Nashville Attend, be a delegate, and vote For Chris Weston ~ International Junior Vice President	

President's Message*...continued*

at the home on February 23. Plan to arrive early to enjoy their great food!

Saturday, February 21st, the Richland Sertoma Club will be sponsoring their annual Mardis Gras to be held at the Summit Club from 7-10 PM. Proceeds support Camp Sertoma, tickets are \$40. For more information visit their club website at: www.richlandsertomaclub.org

Chris Weston will be conducting a Good Enthusiastic Member (GEM award) workshop at 11:30 prior to our meeting on March 2nd. If you are a new member or have not already earned the GEM award, you will learn great things about the history of our club and our purpose at the workshop.

Please visit our club website: www.columbiasertoma.org for updates on club events. Check your bio and see if it needs to be updated. For those of you who are on Facebook or LinkedIn, there are Sertoma groups that would love for you to connect online.

Chris

**Carolina Children's Home Campaign**

Kick-off Meeting at CCH on February 23rd

Vice President **Karen McGrady** will be this year's chairperson. Make plans now to attend The home, have a good home-cooked meal, and hear what CCH is doing in the community.

"Dangerous Love"
Membership Social

Gotham Bagel Café
1508 Main Street
February 13th @ 6:30pm

Don't forget to come on down for Sertoma's membership event of the season:

"Dangerous Love" celebrated this Friday at Gotham Bagel Cafe. Downtown Columbia's newest restaurant. Located in the beautiful Kress Building on 1508 Main Street.

Our own Eboni Ramm will be singing along with Columbia's Tim McLendon on vocals and keyboards. Doors open at 6:30! BYOB (bring your own...you know!) And bring some guests that you think might be interested in Sertoma too!

Chuck

Meeting Guests**Matt Varner**

Guest of Joseph Azar

Beth Padgett &**Dorothy Garretson**

Guests of Chuck LaMark

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