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President's Message

Dear Fellow Sertomans,

You are continuing to work hard raising money for the Carolina Children's Home! Thanks to your dedication, we are two weeks in to our CCH Campaign and we are near 50% of goal! If you need any help working your cards or soliciting new donors, please contact your team captain or Karen McGrady.

Keith Jones and Elizabeth Caulk have challenged us to bring in at least 100 new donors. Simply asking your colleagues and neighbors to support the home with a pledge will help us meet this goal. Elizabeth Caulk at the Carolina Children's Home will be glad to send a letter to any prospects you may have. You may contact her at 782-1421 or via email at ecaulk@carolinachildrenshome.com

Be sure to wear your distinctive Carolina Children's Home lapel pin during the campaign. Sergeant at Arms Ralph Williams will be fining you if he catches you without the pin. This fundraiser is the essence of why we're Sertomans; serving others. Thank you for help-

ing with our biggest project of the year.

This Saturday, March 14, our club has an opportunity to raise sponsorship funds by manning a booth at the 5 Points St. Patrick's Day celebration. Working the booth would involve selling beads and assorted souvenirs. The work will be divided in shifts and will give us an opportunity to raise quick easy money. Please contact Chris Burnette at cburne7711@aol.com to volunteer.

The club needs as many members as possible to attend the Atlantic Region convention in Winston Salem, April 16-18. If you would like to attend, please contact Chris Burnette or Dee Moise. Chris Weston is running for Vice President of Sertoma. Chris will represent us well at the International level; let's do what we can to support him in his bid for higher office!

There will be no meeting on March 16, my apologies for misinforming you at our last meeting. Our next club meeting will be March 23; we will also have a board meeting that evening.

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Calendar

March

16	No Meeting
23	Regular Meeting Mary Skinner Jones & Board Meeting
30	No Meeting

April

6	Regular Meeting Mac Bennett United Way
16	Sertoma Regional Convention In Winston Salem (16th thru 18th)
20	Regular Meeting Debi Schadel Quad Squad Roller Derby
27	Regular Meeting Chakisse Newton Cardinal Consulting

May

4	Regular Meeting Dawn Staley USC Women's Basket- ball Coach
11	Regular Meeting Katherine Swartz COR & Sertoma Picnic @ Eddie Williams'

President's Message

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Board meetings are open to all club members, if you are interested in attending, please contact Brian Kvam or Chris Burnette for details.

Save the date, May 11, charter member Eddie Williams, will be hosting a picnic for the club at his Lake Murray home.

Congratulations to charter member Bob Van Doren who turned 93 this week, Bob helped to found our club in 1950!

~CCH~ Toward Our \$60,000 Goal	
	\$60K
	\$50K
	\$40K
Week 2	\$30K
29,915	\$20K
Week 1	\$10K
\$14,375	

Please visit our club website www.columbiasertoma.org for updates on club

Chris

Meeting Guests**Rev. Ralph VanDoren**

Guest of BVD

Tom Welch~WACH Fox 57**Membership Application****Creighton Edmonds****Final Posting**

Creighton is a Realtor with Russell & Jeffcoat Realty, with GCAR designation.



Creighton is sponsored by Ralph (**The Devil**) Williams.

Address comments to an officer or board member.

Sponsorship: \$1,000 to send three kids with epilepsy to Summer Camp. Barbara Brothers thanked us.

Largest Fine In Columbia Sertoma Club history levied by Sgt. against ed. ~ for talking... I Scoff Scoff **Scoff!**

EXCUUSE ME!! But I got all fired up, what with Charles Weathers; non-profit marketing expert and the CCH Marketing director in close attendance. I got carried away and felt like a born-again fundraiser and maybe the talking you heard was me speaking in tongues. I couldn't wait to get out there and find a new CCH card.

What I received from "Sarge", was derision & a \$20 fine! I sneer, and reject the theft you call a "fine".— (such a nice word)

In spite of this persecution of my religious-like conversion, I went out and found that new donor.

I looked up an old friend named Helen Bed and filled her in. She said she "would just love to help the CCH kids" but is currently unemployed.

Alise, put me down as generating a new card. I'll pay her first year's \$20 pledge, and work Helen's card real hard every year. I'll just put her down as my address; She's homeless too.

Oh Yea...**Sarge Ralphy's Report:** according to him, 36 members attended, \$36 was collected, and was added to the prior \$36 Pot when Mark Julian Lost. Let's see...

ed. **666**. Proof: Ralph is the Devil.

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