

**Butler A.M. Rotary Club  
Meeting Minutes  
September 20, 2011**

The meeting was called to order by President Clint Champagne at 7:30am  
The Invocation was given by Capt Henry Thibault.  
The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Dena Martinez.

**Guests:** Mike Ogin ☺, Nick Neupauer- President of BC3

**Happy Bucks**☺: Lisa Campbell- her oldest son is in a golf tournament today and her other son had his first game as a defensemen; Tim McCune- happy that his Nephew's birthday at the Purple Park was possible because of Rotarians that built the park; Jim Thompson- his son-in-law Robby played at the PGA cup in California and he was able to go with him; Cindy Harbison- happy to look for the ironies in life; Dick Musko- happy the Mike Ogin is here; Mike Ogin- happy to be back and he is having a fundraiser this weekend at the Belmont II in Bon-Aire Plaza for the Juvenile Diabetes Foundation

**President's Announcements and Correspondence:**

**10/1/11-** will be the date for the road clean-up at Rts 422, 68 and 38 at 9:00 am.

**11/5/11-** will be the date for the Hansen Ave garden clean-up at 9am.

**9/11 event-** Clete Scalo: the 9/11 Memorial @ Shanksville event raised over \$250,000 for the Flight 93 Memorial Fund. Phase 1 is complete and was dedicated. Each rider was tasked with raising \$1000. Clete became involved through his being the Chairman at The Chamber. The memorial will need about 10 million more for total completion.

**BC3 News-** Nick Neupauer: Safety and Security have been a focus and they have armed police, cameras and alternate communications. They are conducting a feasibility study for a one mile walk/run trail as well as looking into student housing and international students.

**Butler County Chamber Business Dinner-** honored Tom Graham, Jack Cohen and Cathy Glasgow.

**Thanks You-** received from Mike and Joann Visconti.

**Committee Reports:**

**Sweetheart Gala-** Cindy Harbison: we are asking all members to step up. Peggy Weckerly and Cindy will be co-chairs for the event. All members will be part of the Sponsorship and Prize committee. Other committees include: Registration (Dena- chair), Ticket Sales, Live and Silent Auction, Chinese Auction (Cathy Bronder –chair), Publicity (Margie Walsh –chair), Printing, Hospitality (Betty Fitzgerald- chair) and Recognition (Dick Musko-chair). The event will be held on February 4<sup>th</sup>, 2012. We are looking for unique gifts. There will be a cut off date for sponsors and prizes of Feb 2<sup>nd</sup>.

The 50/50 was won by Ron Jones

There being no other business, President Champagne adjourned the meeting at 8:00am.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Dena Martinez, Secretary