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# Rotary Club of Apex

"SERVICE Above Self"

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**Apex Rotary Newsletter June 03, 2010**  
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The following is a quote from a personal eulogy given by a past member of the Apex Rotary Club for a deceased member at gravesite. A concept by which we members should all abide.

*"For those of us who remain, and especially for our fellow Rotarians, we should always be mindful of this life well lived, a life of service above self, a life in which service to God, service to country and service to family was an unending mantra. Would that we all live such a life!"*

## The Basics

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- Attendance:** 34 Members
- Rotarian Visitors:** Terry Winebrenner, Apex Sunrise.
- Guests:** Nikki Roscoe.
- Makeups:** None Recorded Recorded.
- Inductions:** None at this time.

**Speaker: B.C. Carver.** B.C. was born in a small NC mill town just outside Durham, home of Piedmont Blues & Duke University. He worked in radio for fifteen-years in sales and programming in some great markets in the Southeast and Midwest. He became a professional comedian after being homeless. In the 90's BC became one of the top 100 touring club comedians in America. Today he's a humor therapist helping people live a healthier, happier and longer life with laughter.

B.C. is not a motivational speaker! He is a teacher, a life coach, a humor therapist. And when he teaches, he proves his time-tested principles with stories and historical events that dramatically affect not only the climates and cultures, but even the profitability of these corporations. B.C. is that extremely rare

communicator who can hold an audience spellbound for as long as he remains on stage. Often, groups continue to applaud long after he leaves the stage. He then returns to answer questions, and always stays afterward to greet his audience.

B.C.'s speaking is filled with humor. It should be--he spent 20 years on the road as a professional comedian working clubs, colleges and auditoriums all over North America. He was runner up in the Mid-South Laff Off in Nashville and voted Showtime's Funniest Person in America (VA). He has taught, entertained, and inspired organizations of all sizes; his story continues to change lives.

B.C. has spoken for more than two million people all over North America throughout his career, and he has helped them live a better, healthier, happier and longer life.

### ***Important Announcements & Reminders***

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**June 24, 2010: Annual Banquet** and Induction of new officers at Harvey Montague's estate. More information to follow.

### ***Apex Rotary Web Site News***

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If you haven't already looked at the club's web site, please take a little time to familiarize yourself with it. It can be useful when you are questioned about the club and its programs. Just refer them to the site.

The web site address is <http://www.apexrotary.org> or [click here](#).

### **Special Notes & Guidelines**

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**Make Ups:** Please remember to submit all make- up notifications to the Club Secretary as soon as you can. They can be submitted two weeks before and/or two weeks after a missed meeting.

**Guests and Visiting Rotarians:** We are always excited about having guests and visiting Rotarians to our weekly meetings. Please share the names of your guests with the Club Secretary each week. We do keep a record of who attends and this information will help with the book keeping.

**Using the Microphone:** Whenever you are speaking to the Club, whether it be as a speaker, making announcements or any other address to the Club, please come forward and use the microphone. Not only are there hearing impaired members, there is the problem with the Restaurant's kitchen fans blasting away so that the tables near the kitchen miss half or more of what you will say. Some of you feel you have loud voices. What you do not know is that when you start off, it's fine but as you go on, your voice gets lower and softer. You don't hear it but we do. Thanks for your cooperation.

**Apex Rotary Member Database Update:** You can update your personal data as follows:

1. Go to [www.apexrotary.org](http://www.apexrotary.org).
2. Click on "Membership"
3. Insert your email address (the one you used when you joined). In "Password", enter your Rotary ID number leaving out the first zero digit and click "Login".
4. Go to "Members" (top left) and click on "View My Data". It will automatically find your file.
5. Click on "Edit Member" and update your data.
6. On completion, at the very bottom of your data file, Click on "Update".

**The weekly newsletter** can now be viewed on our web site [www.apexrotary.org](http://www.apexrotary.org), click on "Newsletters". The file is in PDF format and you will need to have Acrobat Reader installed. If you do not have it, download it free at [Acrobat Reader](#).>

**Speaker Schedule** is now posted on the Club's web site <http://www.apexrotary.org>. Click on "Club Documents and then on the "Speaker Schedule (current year)".The file is in PDF format and you will need to have Acrobat Reader installed. If you do not have it, download it free at [Acrobat Reader](#).

**Apex Rotary Web Site News:** Click on the **NEW** "[Club Documents](#)" link on the Apex Rotary web site to see and have the option to download & print forms and copies of important club documents. The files are in PDF format and you will need to have Acrobat Reader installed. If you do not have it, download it free at [Acrobat Reader](#).

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