



# The Cicerotarian

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### Meeting of September 16, 2008

THE MEETING WAS CALLED TO ORDER BY OUR PRESIDENT, JOHN USMIAL, OPENING WITH PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE, LED US IN SINGING "GOD BLESS AMERICA", AND SHEILA RYAN HENRY DID THE FOUR WAY TEST OF THINGS WE THINK, SAY OR DO. RANDY WOMACK DELIVERED A PRAYER.

**MIRA.** Tim Fullerton, Rosa Ibarra, Bob Jacklin, Diana Kuratko, Stanley Loula, Pat Makris, Pat Pavlich, Jean Rehor, Dr. Everett Van Reken, and Walter Wlodek.

**SICK:** Jean Rehor is in West Suburban Hospital for Kidney condition. Our prayers go to her at this time.

**VISITORS:**

**FINES:** 100% by default

**RAFFLE WINNER:**

**MAKEUPS:**

WE NEED YOUR MAKE UP CARDS FROM THE CLUB YOU VISITED TO GIVE YOU WELL DESERVED CREDIT.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Helen Scottie Heelan has been voted by the board to be moved from member to Honorary Member.

October 5 <sup>th</sup>	Houby Day Parade. Cicero Rotary is sponsoring a Queen candidate.
October 14 <sup>th</sup>	District Governor Visit
October 21 <sup>st</sup>	Raffle Fund Raiser

From Rotary International: District 5890 (Texas) created a Safe Harbor program on their Web site serving the same purpose, where district Rotarians offered up spare bedrooms, dens, or floor space to their fellow Rotarians fleeing the storm. District Governor-elect Ed Charlesworth of Houston was one of the first to sign up his home as a safe harbor.

**From District News:** September 20 President's Roundtable and District Membership Seminar  
October 10-12 RYLA Weekend, Williams Bay, WI. Let's get a couple of kids to attend!

**Program:** Mary Esther Hernandez on the Cicero Chamber of Commerce.

**QUIP OF THE WEEK:** The Aging Explorer

A young reporter went to a retirement home to interview an aged but legendary explorer. The reporter asked the old man to tell him the most frightening experience he had ever had.

The old explorer said, "Once I was hunting Bengal tigers in the jungles of India. I was on a narrow path and my faithful native gunbearer was behind me. Suddenly the largest tiger I have ever seen leaped onto the path in front of us. I turned to get my weapon only to find the native had fled. The tiger leapt toward me with a mighty ROARRRR! I soiled myself."

The reporter said, "Under those circumstances anyone would have done the same."

The old explorer said, "No, not then - just now when I went ROARRRR!"

### ASSIGNMENTS FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER: PRAYER WITH DR. VAN REKEN OR RANDY WOMACK, FINES WITH STANLEY LOULA AND JOHN USMIAL AND 4 WAY TEST WITH SHEILA RYAN HENRY.

<b>FUTURE PROGRAMS:</b>	Sept 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Gloria Alicea St. Joseph Congregation
	Sept 30 <sup>th</sup>	Board Meeting
	Oct 7 <sup>th</sup>	Open
	October 14 <sup>th</sup>	District Governor Visit
	October 21 <sup>st</sup>	Raffle
	October 28 <sup>th</sup>	Board Meeting
	Nov 4 <sup>th</sup>	Election Day



Fall Colors