

April 24, 2007

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Today's Meeting

Engineers without Borders *"Sustainable Engineering/ Humanitarian Projects"*

Engineers Without Borders - USA (EWB-USA) is a non-profit humanitarian organization established to partner with developing communities worldwide in order to improve their quality of life. This partnership involves the implementation of sustainable engineering projects, while involving and training internationally responsible engineers and engineering students. The activities of EWB-USA range from the construction of sustainable systems that developing communities can own and operate without external assistance, to empowering such communities by enhancing local, technical, managerial, and entrepreneurial skills. To learn more about EWB-USA, please call 303-772-2723 or visit <http://www.ewb-usa.org/about.php>.

Last Week

Last week we heard from **Sara Keenan Rohling**, of Shelter House. The organization provides transitional housing and training for those in immediate need of housing. Most of her clients are children. Children of parents who have been temporarily been left homeless, for whatever circumstance. Her organization provides after school activities for the children as well as training in nutrition and organizational matters for their parents.

Announcements

May 19, McLean Day, Lewinsville Park, be there. Rotary Information Morning will precede the meeting of May 15 at 10:00 am. May 2 our club is charged with transporting GSE team from District 9250 (Southern Africa) from Herndon Rotary meeting to their GSE professional exchange sites, see **Scott Mills** to volunteer, also the GSE bon voyage reception for **Lois's** team is will be at Herndon Marriott on May 3, 5-9 pm. **Ed Shahin** is collecting names of Rotary approved service providers for dissemination through a directory.

Upcoming Speakers

May 15 2007

Preeti Krishnan

"Save A Child Now Foundation"

Happy Talk

Frank Peterson is flying to Guatemala soon to continue with Partners in Surgery. **Ted Gray** is happy tax season is over. **Paul Ward** is happy the Volunteer women did so well in NCAA. **Bob Rosenbaum's** new grandbaby is doing fine. **Ed Shahin** has attended many games (in his parka) and is happy the Nats are finally winning a few. **John Leonard** had a grandson early last Tuesday morning. **Pamela Danner** was happy to attend Langley Ethics Day. **Lois Wilson**, heading up the GSE team will be going to South Africa and Swaziland soon. She is also happy to have secured office space for her Dental practice in downtown McLean. **Obie O'Bryon** was privy to some detective research showing **Doug Megill** living in Tallahassee, FL during college years, home of **Florida STATE!** Could we possibly have a Renegade in Gator's clothing?