

# Owensboro's Rotary IMPETUS



### Coming Programs:

- Dec 6<sup>th</sup>: United Way (Collette Carter - board volunteer and Cindy Ferrell - United Way)
- Dec. 13<sup>th</sup>: Owensboro Fire Chief Ronnie Heep - Expanded Emergency Services
- Dec 20<sup>th</sup>: Alma Randolph and the "Rotary Review" Christmas Program
- Dec 27<sup>th</sup>: Not yet filled at this time.

### *"Lead The Way"*

*John Kurtz—President*

*Mike Wallace—Rotary Impetus Editor*

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### Your President Speaks:

This club is living and breathing (some days better than others) organization. While the change to the Impetus rests well with most people, those with whom the decisions of this club's board don't sit well can always lobby for the next board to reverse the change. I hope you find the new Impetus an opportunity to suggest information for the monthly publication and to share ideas that would be helpful to the whole club.

Have Fun!

- John

### Reminders & Announcements:

- Remember your December 8<sup>th</sup> commitment to ring the bell for Salvation Army at Wesleyan Park Plaza - Check with Tom Smith to confirm your time.

- Marilyn Brookman is program Chair for January 2007.

- Barry Young will be at the Fellowship table in December.

- If you have an email address And you are not receiving the Impetus, contact Kim Carmen At MediaWorks via email at [kim@mediaworksadvertising.com](mailto:kim@mediaworksadvertising.com).

- Log on to Rotary's website at [www.owensbororotary.org](http://www.owensbororotary.org). You will find our current member directory, Photos of new members, past copies of the Impetus, some interesting history, and more!

### Membership Millisecond:

Welcome to our newest member, Doug Adams. Aside from improving the community's cardio condition, Doug also is an enthusiast of historical firearms and an author as well. Doug, we hope you enjoy getting to know this club and community as much as we'll enjoy getting to know you and your family.



Dr. Doug Adams

### Project Update:



The "Clean Water Initiative for Uganda" committee received a welcome boost from your Owensboro Rotary Club Foundation in the form of \$2500

to dig our second water well for a needy community in the Kaberamaido district of east-central Uganda. Our first well has been drilled and capped with a U-2 hand pump for a community of 500 thirsty folks. Sr. Suzanne's committee has some unique and exciting fundraising plans for the remaining wells planned.

### Special points of interest:

- Average member attendance in November: 67.6 or 36%
- "Tom Sawyer" was the first novel "written" on a typewriter
- The first couple to be shown in bed together on TV were the Flintstone's Fred and Wilma