

# MANKIND IS OUR BUSINESS

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# ANDREW STUTTAFORD



## NATIONAL REVIEW ONLINE

Andrew Stuttaford is a British-born journalist, an banker by profession, and a Contributing Editor to *National Review Online* (<a href="www.nationalreview.com">www.nationalreview.com</a>), the Web edition of the conservative magazine *National Review*. You can find much of what he

has written on the Web site. His areas of focus can be divided into two distinct topics: contemporary popular culture and international politics. His recent work in the former has included articles on underage drinking, war toys, and TV and movie criticism. On the latter subject, he has written on eastern Europe, British politics, and the war against terrorism, since September 11.



### ROTARY INTERNATIONAL 93<sup>RD</sup> ANNUAL CONVENTION 2002 BARCELONA, SPAIN JUNE 23-26

This year's convention will take place in Barcelona, Spain.

Join fellow Rotarians from all over the world

unite in a common interest: Rotary!

Hotel accommodations, tours and sightseeing can be arranged. If you are interested, contact the New York Rotary Club office for details at (212) 819-0809.

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR



February 5<sup>th</sup>
Andrew Stuttaford
Journalist
National Review Online

February 12<sup>th</sup> Lisa Suhay Author

February 19<sup>th</sup>
Frederick Kagan
Professor of History

February 26<sup>th</sup>
POLICE
RECOGNITION DAY

March 5<sup>th</sup> Fellowship Day

March 12<sup>th</sup>
Steve Malanga
City Journal

March 19th Ireland Day

March 26<sup>th</sup>
Dr. Joseph Skelly
Rotary Scholars Day

April 2<sup>nd</sup>
Fellowship Day
April 9<sup>th</sup>
Walker Todd, Esq.

April 16<sup>th</sup>
FIREFIGHTER'S
RECOGNITION DAY

#### MEET OUR NEW MEMBER

#### **BONNIE KELLEN**

Dr. Bonnie Kellen is a clinical psychologist and career counselor in private practice in Manhattan (150 E. 58<sup>th</sup> St. 27<sup>th</sup> Floor, 212-888-7887). She has taught at Columbia University, Cornell School of Labor Relations, and the College of New Rochelle in New York City. She contributed a chapter on "Debtors Anonymous and Psychotherapy" for the book <u>I Shop Therefore I Am: Compulsive Buying and the Search for Self</u>, edited by Dr. April Benson, published in 2000 by the Jason Aronson Press. She was the consulting psychologist for the just-published McGraw Hill book <u>Women and the Leadership Q: The Breakthrough System for Achieving Power and Influence</u>, written by Shoya Zichy. Dr. Kellen contributed chapters on "Career Derailment Factors: SAG" and "Leadership Revisited."

# ADVERTISE YOUR BUSINESS IN THE WEEKLY BULLETIN

Please be aware of the great opportunity of publicizing your business in the weekly New York Rotary bulletin. Not only will it give you exposure within the membership, but also reach people through the Internet. Rotary Clubs all over the world are successfully taking advantage of paid ads for quite some time.

#### The rates are as follows:

- Text box Ad \$150 for one month or four publications
- Quarter page \$300 for one month or four publications
- Half page \$450 for one month or four publications
- Full page \$650 for one month or four publications

# INFORMATIVE SEMINARS BY: American Red Cross in Greater New York

Recent tragic events have left many people concerned about the possibility of future incidents. The American Red Cross in Greater New York is always there with emergency relief in the aftermath of disasters. The Red Cross works in communities every day by teaching people skills they need to prevent, prepare for, cope with, and respond to emergencies in order to save lives. The American Red Cross offers Preparing for the Unexpected. The American Red Cross offers a 90-minute presentation called "Preparing for the Unexpected" that teaches families and businesses safety steps they can take during times of disaster. Topics include "How to Create an Emergency Communications Plan," "How to Assemble A Disaster Supplies Kit," "What to Do if Disaster Strikes," "Evacuation," and "Basic First Aid." And it's free!

Special group presentations can be scheduled by calling Abigail Adams, Project Manager, at (212) 875-2134 or by e-mail at adamsa@arcgny.org. If you would like the opportunity to see a presentation, you also may attend one of our weekly Thursday classes. Presentations are given at 6:15 p.m. at 150 Amsterdam Avenue on the 5th Floor. Please call Abigail Adams to confirm your attendance or if you have any questions.

# **ADVANCED LUNCHEON COUPONS**

PAYMENTS ARE NOW PAST DUE

### REPORTER OF THE WEEK

Tuesday, January 29, 2002

President Helen Reisler initiated Fellowship Day by welcoming all members and guests. Scarlett Pildes, accompanied by David Dingle on the piano, led us in the singing of The Star-Spangled Banner. Arthur Auslander followed with the invocation. David Wankoff introduced Rotarian visitors from three countries and six different states. Nadia, a visiting Rotarian, asked for a moment of prayer for a teenage girl visiting the U.S. for a major operation.

As the day's meeting was Fellowship Day, Rotarians benefited from the time to get to know fellow members better. In addition, President Helen updated us on the progress the New York Rotary 9/11 Adoption / Vacation Committee is making. The committee is meeting every week and appreciates the worldwide support of various Rotary Clubs. In addition, many contacts are being developed throughout the City with potential candidates for this program. One item currently being explored is how best to provide air fare for the program's beneficiaries, possibly through Rotarians' contributions of their individual frequent flyer points.

President Helen announced that the 9/11 Fund has grown to over \$1.3 million and specific organizations have been approved for grants amounting to \$227,000. The organizations that will be receiving these monies, donated by Rotarians from all over he world are Safe Horizon, \$100,000 for counseling for post-traumatic effects of 9/11 victims, Seedco, \$100,000 for the direct support of small businesses affected by 9/11, Children's Health Fund, \$7,500 for children, some of them orphans due to 9/11 for books, toys, and the Fraternite Notre Dame, \$20,000 for food that was provided at Ground Zero from day one.

Executive Director Andreas announced that the Rotary International Conference will be taking place in Barcelona, Spain, from June 23 to June 26. He said that the conference would be a perfect opportunity to share in fellowship with Rotarians from all over the world, as well as to have some fun. A promotional video with R.I. President Richard D. King was shown to the members.

Rotarian - Kevin Donnelly

#### **CALL FOR VOLUNTEERS**

The Education Committee is seeking volunteers to read to children at a select group of New York City hospitals and grade schools. Please contact Sylvan Barnet or the Club's office if you wish to participate in this program.

For your information, this year's Rotary float in the New Year's Pasadena Roses Parade had "Around the World through Education" as its theme. It highlighted tutoring, book drives, helping adult literacy classes, improvement of primary education, and literacy mentoring for children.