

A Worthy Cause in Your Backyard

The Public Libraries of Berks County

The public libraries of Berks County play a vital role in the strength of our community. They provide a wealth of educational resources for all citizens, regardless of age or income. For a library to remain relevant it must deliver access to the most current resources available. Therefore, we have dedicated the majority of the funds raised during this event to benefit every Berks community through the purchase of new computers for every public library.

The Reading Rotary Club and The West Reading/Wyomissing Rotary Club

Rotary International is an organization of business and professional leaders united worldwide who provide humanitarian service, encourage high ethical standards in all vocations, and help build goodwill and peace in the world. Known internationally as one of the single largest contributors to polio eradication worldwide, the local organizations participate in many service projects that benefit communities at home and abroad.

You may preview auction items in advance of the event at www.rotarytoday.org

Information

Reading Rotary Club

Meets: Thursday, Noon
Reading YMCA
Reed & Washington Streets
Reading, PA 19601
Club President: Richard Kratz

For membership information contact:

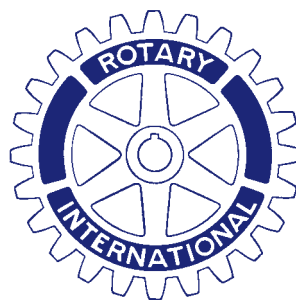
Neil Hill at readingrotary1@aol.com
www.readingrotary.org

West Reading/Wyomissing Rotary Club

Meets: Thursday, Noon
Inn at Reading
Park Road
Wyomissing, PA 19610
Club President: Tracy Hoffmann

For membership information contact:

Carolyne Jordan at info@rotarytoday.org
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2nd Annual Rotary Auction



An Evening of Fun and Fellowship

Live Music by *Burning House*
Friday, April 8, 2005
Inn at Reading
preview auction items at
www.rotarytoday.org

Please join us for an evening of fun and fellowship as we raise funds for computers for the libraries of Berks

The Rotary Clubs of Reading and West Reading/Wyomissing have again joined forces to sponsor our second annual fundraising event to benefit our community. We have partnered with the Public Libraries of Berks County to help raise awareness and funding for literacy in Berks, with the goal of purchasing computers for every public library within Berks County.

- It will be an incredible networking opportunity with hundreds of folks in attendance.
- It will be a fun social event with delicious food, drinks, live music and dancing.
- It will be an opportunity to win some phenomenal items, with plenty of great selections for every bidder in the silent and live auctions.
- It will be rewarding to know you are a part of this incredible fundraising effort to help strengthen your community.



Tickets are available from the Libraries of Berks County, and members of the Rotary Clubs of Reading and West Reading-Wyomissing.

Kids, Computers & Community: A Benefit for the Libraries of Berks

Friday, April 8, 2005

Ticket Price: \$60 per person

**Location: Inn at Reading
Park Road, Wyomissing**

Doors open at 6:15 pm

Open Bar from 6:30 pm to 8:00 pm

Cash Bar balance of evening

Food Service with Carving Stations

Silent Auction from 6:15 pm to 8:00 pm

Live Auction from 8:15 pm to 10:00 pm

Cash, Checks, Master Card and Visa accepted

Auctioneer: George Miller IV, Rotarian

George Miller IV

Auction Company

Dress: Business Casual

Live Music & Dancing from 6:30 to 8:00 pm

Acoustical Music by Burning House

Rolex Raffle: Selling one ticket for \$10 or three tickets for \$20, with maximum of 3000 tickets being sold. Drawing from raffle tickets at 8:15 pm to award Sky-King Oyster Perpetual Rolex watch (\$2800 value).*

Cash Prize: Drawing from auction tickets at 8:15 pm to award one \$1000 Prize*

Auction to include upscale items and everyday selections, such as: Resort Accommodations, Romance & Adventure Excursions, Fine Home & Office Furnishings, Artwork, Jewelry, Fur Coat, Health & Beauty Packages, Sports Memorabilia, Collector's Items, Event Tickets, and more.

* Need not be present to win.

How You Can Help

You could join us for an evening of fun and fellowship. Bring some friends to make it a special evening. If for some reason you are unable to attend, we welcome your donation for this worthy cause. We are still accepting donations for auction items and corporate sponsorships. If you would consider donating an item, a service, a trip or a sponsorship, please call us. We would be happy to make arrangements to accommodate you.

Space is limited, so act now to order your tickets. Tickets will not be sold at the door.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

Yes, I would like to attend.

Number of tickets required _____ x \$60

I am unable to attend, but want to help.

Please accept my gift in the amount of \$ _____

I would like to donate an auction item or sponsorship.

Please call me at _____

Or contact Julie R. Rinehart, Administrator, Berks County Public Libraries, at 610-378-5260

Make Checks Payable to:

Rotary Club of Reading

P.O. Box 4032

Reading, PA 19606