

business at the Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania, he used his scholarship experience to build ties between Wharton and the European campus of INSEAD international business school, in France, where he received his MBA. Because of his efforts, students can now earn a degree by doing combined studies at the two campuses.

Woolsey went on to work as a publisher in England, France, the Netherlands, and Switzerland, then created a point-of-sale system for merchants in several countries in Europe. He later launched a company that supplied banking and insurance software to businesses throughout Northern Europe and the Baltic, requiring him to commute between Finland, Estonia, Latvia, and Lithuania.

While in Estonia, he became a charter member of the English-speaking Rotary Club of Tallinn International, before moving back to England three years ago. Complications from pneumonia and his constant travels have kept him from seeking out another club, he says.

As for his passion for kayaking and canoeing, Woolsey maintains that they're perfect activities for people of any age. "I always say, if you can get into and out of a bath unaided, then you can probably get in and out of a canoe, so why not try it? I genuinely believe that canoeing and kayaking are two of the most gentle activities you can do, if you use a canal or a quiet river like the Thames."

Did you know that October 31st to November 6th was Rotary World Interact Week? Here are just a couple of events that took place.

--The Rotary Club of Bhavani Koodal, Tamil Nadu, India, sponsors the Interact Club of Government Deaf School, which conducted fundraising and service projects to help people with hearing impairments.

--The Interact Club of Webster Thomas High School, New York, collected and delivered 34 boxes of clothing, shoes, and sporting goods -- each weighing 50 pounds -- to orphans in the Dominican Republic. The airline JetBlue waived the baggage fees for the students, who were traveling to the country to help run a summer camp at the orphanage.

--Members of the Interact Club of Juneau-Douglas High School, Alaska, camped outside in cardboard shanties they had made to raise money and build awareness of homeless students in their school district. The group raised more than \$1,500.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!
November 14th--Karien Ziegler
HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!!
November 13th--Jim & Beverly Smith

DR. BILL'S JOKE CORNER

(Because laughter is the best medicine!)



The irony of life is that, by the time you're old enough to know your way around, you're not going anywhere.

A band director was standing outside on a metal ladder during a concert, when a thunderstorm broke out. Amazingly, he wasn't hit by lightning, but the music was awful. It seems he just wasn't a very good conductor.

When NASA started sending astronauts into space, they quickly discovered that ball-point pens would not work in zero gravity. To combat this problem, NASA scientists spent a decade and \$12 billion developing a pen that writes in zero gravity, upside-down, on almost any surface including glass and at temperatures ranging from below freezing to over 300 degrees Centigrade.

The Russians used a pencil.

Your taxes are due again--enjoy paying them.

A woman meant to call a record store, but dialed the wrong number and got a private home instead. "Do you have 'Eyes of Blue' and 'A Love Supreme?'" she asked. "Well, no," answered the puzzled homeowner. "But I have a wife and nine children."

"Is that a record?" the caller inquired, puzzled in her turn.

"I don't think so," replied the man, "but it's as close as I want to get."

God tells Adam that he has decided to give him a companion called a woman.

Adam says, "A woman? What's that?"

God explains, "She will be beautiful beyond your wildest dreams. She will wait on you hand and foot. She will be your most trustworthy friend, a fantastic lover, and a brilliant conversationalist. She will be a gourmet cook, a wonderful homemaker, and will bear your well-behaved, thoughtful children who will always get along with one another. And finally, she will, of course, laugh at all your jokes."

"Wow!" says Adam. "That sounds great! How are you going to make this woman?" God replies, "I'm going to need to remove one of your legs."

"Hmm," says Adam. "What could I get for a rib?"

Q: What do you get when you cross a wolf with a ceramicist?

A: A hairy potter.

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