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## Pictures from the May 2012 Outdoor Gathering

Photos taken by David Bonner, Mensa Family Program Chair



Shooting Off Rockets



Making New Friends



Enjoying the Food & Friendship



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Enjoying the Ice Cream



Significant Snacking Available

## T.G.InFo

Teresa Gregory, LocSec

I'm so excited! As I write this, the Outdoor Gathering is coming up, and it's going to be a great weekend. The weather forecast is perfect. It will be wonderful to get out of the city for a relaxing weekend with good friends, especially after all those weeks on house arrest nursing the new knee.

I went to a very interesting program in Franklin, Indiana, a couple of weeks ago. It was one of the children's programs that David Bonner puts together. He has some amazing volunteers who help make this all run smoothly. What a wonderful opportunity to see the "next generation" having a good time.



Attacking one of Rhoda's matzah balls

Our Nominating Committee has been hard at work putting together a slate of worthy candidates to run for our Executive Committee. Elections are in September, so it's getting closer. Look for more information on that in this issue and the months ahead.

Be sure to check out our updated website at <a href="www.indymensa.org">www.indymensa.org</a>. There is no log-on and you should be able to access it with any browser and any smart phone.

Mensa Test Day is scheduled this year for October 20, which is a change from what we thought. Of course, we have tests scheduled throughout the year, but this is the BIG one. If you know someone who belongs already but just doesn't know it, give them a gentle nudge...or a ride!

Looking w-a-y ahead, but not really that far, is the Regional Gathering in January. Because we didn't have one in 2012, we are going to try to make this one extra-special. If you have any suggestions or would like to help, please let me know. The more the merrier.

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LocSec Shout-Out! The last few months, I've been singling out people whom I think have done some outstanding work for this group, some of it behind the scenes and unsung.

This month's shout-out goes to Alan Schmidt. I met Alan when I joined Mensa. He was running the stapling machine that we used to use on the newsletters (they now come from the printer stapled) and then he took them to the downtown post office for mailing.

Alan has been a tireless ExCom member and our treasurer for the past six years. He has been one of the co-chairs of our successful RGs and OGs. He was even voted Party Animal by the Hell's M members at one of the RGs. He schlepped the drinks to the monthly gathering for years. He is our resident elf at the annual holiday party. He is Mr Reliable.

When asked to perform a task, it always gets done. But more than that, he is one of the best cheerleaders for CIM. His enthusiasm is contagious. He approaches every task and every person with a smile. I can't imagine CIM without Alan Schmidt. Thanks for making my job easier!



Teresa enjoying good food at the Outdoor Gathering

## Getting to be a Candidate for a Central Indiana Mensa Leadership Position

Submitted by Alison Brown

The Nominating Committee continues to work to find good candidates for the election in September. We have spoken to many promising members and have had some success. The work continues despite the Chair's being in Austria for all of May, since Petra Ritchie and Larry Marcus are still around and attending meetings. That list will be published in the July *MIND*. We are not able to contact all the members in the club, especially those in outlying areas and for that reason a petition system complements the NomCom process.

If you wish to run for the ExCom or LocSec and your name is not on the list created by the Nominating Committee, you may still run as a petition candidate. To be a petition candidate you need to meet the candidate qualifications (being a member in good standing in both American Mensa and Central Indiana Mensa as well as agreeing to serve if elected) and have a petition signed by ten (10) members and delivered to the NomCom chair no later than July 10<sup>th</sup>. While a candidate can be "drafted" by a group of ten petitioners, that candidate must be willing to serve. No one will appear on the ballot as a surprise to them!

I, as NomCom Chair, will be attending local functions again starting with the Monthly Gathering on June 8<sup>th</sup> and thus be able to receive petitions in person or you can send me petitions via USPS at 600 W. 106<sup>th</sup> St. Carmel, IN 46032.

When you agree to serve on the ExCom you are agreeing to attend the monthly business meetings; non-attendance for three of six consecutive meetings will mean you must be replaced as an ExCom member (CIM Bylaws Article III, 2.). The meeting, as you have seen in the *MIND*, usually follows *MIND* bending (preparing the newsletter for mailing) in Indianapolis. The length of the meeting is determined by the agenda. However, it is intended to be kept short by having most of the items discussed via e-mail in advance and the most complicated decisions should

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also have been hashed out by the time the final decision of the ExCom is required. The ExCom selects from among its members a Vice LocSec (the LocSec being directly elected) a Treasurer and a recording Secretary. Other offices may be filled by ExCom members or by other volunteers.

In early July, all candidates for LocSec and ExCom are expected to deliver their candidate statements with pictures of themselves to the NomCom Chair so that she may submit them to the editor for the August *MIND*. There will also be time for them to present themselves personally at the August Monthly Gathering.

I look forward to a long and varied ballot with many choices for our membership at the September election.

Alison Brown, NomCom Chair SIGHT@indymensa.org

#### Nominating Committee

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#### Welcome!

#### **New Members**

Eric W Mobley Paducah, KY		
	Eric W Mobley	

#### **Reinstating Members**

Mark Jude Bormann	Terre Haute, IN
James M Dowling	Hopkinsville, KY
Tom Wallace	Martinsville, IN

#### **Members Moving In**

Krishnan Aghoramurthy	Carmel, IN
Edward Michael Clouse	Henderson, KY
Christa Ferdarko	Alexandria, IN
Devin R Lee	Zionsville, IN

## 2012 Mensa Admission Testing Schedule

Steve Merchant, Proctor Coordinator

The Mensa Admissions Test sessions for 2012 will all be held at the Wayne Library, 198 South Girls School Road, Indianapolis, Indiana, on the following dates and times.

Date	Location	Registration Time	Test Start Time
Jun 16, 2012	Wayne Branch Library 198 S. Girl's School Rd. Indianapolis, IN	10:00 – 11:00	11:00 a.m.
Aug 18, 2012	(same)	10:00 - 11:00	11:00 a.m.
Oct 20, 2012	(same)	10:00 - 11:00	11:00 a.m.

Registration takes only about 5 – 10 minutes. The fee of \$40 is payable by cash, check, or any major credit card. Candidates between 14-17 years old are required to have one of their parents also sign the registration form in my presence at the testing site. I am not permitted to test candidates under 14 years old. Candidates under 14 will need to apply to the American Mensa, Ltd. national office in Arlington, Texas using approved prior testing evidence. A partial list of accepted tests and scores is available at <a href="http://www.us.mensa.org/scores">http://www.us.mensa.org/scores</a>. Further questions about prior evidence admission to Mensa may be answered by contacting Mary Spencer at 817-607-0060, Extension 5529.

No smoking, calculators, or scratch paper are allowed. Candidates are permitted to take each of the two tests comprising the Mensa Admissions Test battery only once in their lives. Candidates who qualify on either test will be invited to become a member. Please bring one or two #2 pencils. I also have plenty of extras.

QUESTIONS: Feel free to e-mail me at <u>blazingstar32@hotmail.com</u>, or telephone me at 317-240-3077 at home, or 317-431-8645 on my cell phone. Good luck to all candidates.

# In Case You Missed It... Mensa Family Program Notes

Teresa Gregory, LocSec

Friday, May 4, I attended the Mensa Family event that David Bonner and his faithful crew of volunteers had planned. This was my first visit to one of these events. I have to say, I was impressed.

Everyone started out in the auditorium for some general remarks, and then they were split into three groups. The first group stayed in the auditorium. They were shown how the staging works...lights, props, rolling fog, scenery.

The second group went to a classroom where they learned team work by stacking plastic cups into a pyramid using a rubber band and some string. Success depended on four people working together. Very few accomplished the end-goal. I found it very interesting that age was not a factor in this. Mixed age groups were able to figure it out.



The third station was in the school's biology lab. The kids were greeted by the delicious smell and beckoning sight of crayfish awaiting dissection. They donned their goggles and checked out the instructions at each station. Biology teacher, Julie Tennell, supervised along with her crew of student volunteers as they helped the younger kids with this task. Julie has worked with this group before, offering her facility and talent to our group.

The evening was another success for this group. Look for more information on upcoming events. If you know a gifted child, pass the information along. If you would like to get involved, contact David Bonner.

### June 2012 Events - Central Indiana Mensa

**Ham 'n' Eggs** (**Ham**ilton County **Egg**heads) 1st Saturday from 9:30-11:30 a.m. Shapiro's, 918 South Range Line Road, Carmel, IN. Drop in any time for casual conversation, lively discussion, and a hearty breakfast in the cafeteria. Contact: Alison Brown, 317-846-6798, <u>SIGHT@indymensa.org</u>.

Muncie Area Group Meeting – 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday at 2:00 p.m.

The MTCup, 1610 W. University Ave in Muncie. For those familiar with the Ball State area, it's in the Village.

Contact: Jason Smith, munciemensa@gmail.com

**Bridge SIG** – 1st Sunday at 2:00 p.m.

Contacts: Grace Falvey and Bob Dill, 842-6246

**6/3**: Marion Harcourt, 8140 Township Line Road #4405, 251-4436

**7/1**: Ruth Stanley, 1609 West 76<sup>th</sup> Place, 257-6088

**Indy Lunch Bunch** - 1st and 3rd Wednesdays at 12:00 noon, Double Eagle Café, 650 N. Meridian (at the Scottish Rite Cathedral), Indianapolis.

Contact: Alan Schmidt, 317-233-5190, alan.schmidt@att.net

#### West Lafayette/Lafayette

**Lunch** – 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday, 12:00 noon.

Contact: Joe Stamper, 765-474-4759, istamper@aii.edu

**Monthly Gathering** – 2nd Friday at 7:00 p.m. All Souls Unitarian Church, 5805 E. 56<sup>th</sup> St. See last page of MIND for map and directions.

Members: \$5.00, Non-Members: \$7.00; Children 6-12: \$3.00, under 6: free **6/8:** Our speaker for June will be David Stippler, who will talk about "What

Keeps Me Awake at Night: Perspectives of the Indiana Consumer Counselor." Dave is the state agency head of the Indiana Office of Utility Consumer Counselor (OUCC). The OUCC represents the interests of all Indiana utility ratepayers (residential, commercial and industrial) in state and federal regulatory proceedings that involve a wide range of utility issues that affect consumers. As an independent, separate state agency, the OUCC is the only organization authorized by Indiana

law to appear on behalf of the public's interests in all cases filed before the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission (IURC). His agency also appears before the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) and the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) as well as in various appellate courts.

(Events are continued on the other side of the calendar.)

### June 2012

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
3 Bridge SIG	4	5	6 Indy Lunch Bunch; W. Lafayette Lunch
10	11	12	13
17	18	19 Paducah Area Group Meeting	20 Indy Lunch Bunch
Book Discussion	25	26 MINDbending/ ExCom	27
July 2012 1 Bridge SIG	2	3	4
8	9	10	11

Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2 Ham 'n' Eggs; Muncie Meeting
7	8 Monthly Gathering; MIND Deadline	9 Kokomo Breakfast
14	15	16 Admissions testing; Media Club; Mensans Dining Out; Calendar deadline
21	22	23 Kokomo Breakfast
28	29	30
5	6	7 Ham 'n' Eggs; Muncie Meeting
12	13 Monthly Gathering; MIND deadline	14 Kokomo Breakfast

## June 2012 Events (cont.)

**Kokomo Breakfast** – 2nd and 4th Saturdays at 10:00 a.m. Richard's Restaurant, east of Highway 31, 2 blocks north of Center Contact: Patricia Sottong, (765) 457-0754; leave message.

#### **Mensa Admissions Testing**

Saturday, 6/16: Registration 10:00-11:00 a.m., test begins 11:00 a.m. Wayne Branch Library, 198 S. Girls School Rd., Indianapolis Contact: Steve Merchant, (h) 317-240-3077, (c) 317-431-8645, Blazingstar32@hotmail.com

**Media Club** – 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of the month at 2:00 p.m., 4471 Bristal Lane, Carmel (**NOTE**: 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday in June) **6/16**: This month the topic is practical tips. What practical tips have we developed, and what are good books or other media for them?

Snacks and drinks provided. Contact: Ed Chu, 317-569-8546

**Mensans Dining Out** – 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of every month, 6:00 p.m. **6/16**: Napoli Villa Ristorante Italiano, 758 Main Street, Beech Grove. Contact: Bob Zdanky, 317-503-0091 or Zdanky@gmail.com

**Paducah Area Group Meeting** – 3rd Tuesday of every month, 7:00 p.m. **6/19**: Olive Garden, 5150 Hinkleville Rd, Paducah, KY 42001 (Across from the Kentucky Oaks Mall). Anyone in the area is welcome to join fellow Mensans for dinner. For more information on this group, contact Charles Rawlings, rawlings@siu.edu

#### **Book Discussion**

**Sunday**, 6/24, 3 p.m., Leo and Jan Pfeil Doyle's home on the NE side of Indianapolis. We'll be discussing *The Emporer of All Maladies* by Siddhartha Mukherjee. Contact Jan Pfeil Doyle, 317-431-3500, or jan@mw.net for directions. RSVPs appreciated but not required.

MINDBending/ExCom – Last or next-to-last Tuesday of the month. MINDBending is the preparation of next month's MIND for mailing. Come help with sealing, labeling, and stamping the MINDs.

6/26, 5:30 p.m. Contact: Teresa 430-1761.

Pizza and soft drinks provided.

MINDBending is held at the offices of Midwest Internet, 5348 N. Tacoma Ave., which is 1 block east and 1 block north of 52<sup>nd</sup> St. and Keystone Ave. on the northeast side of Indianapolis.

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July MIND calendar items due 6/16/12 to sbeilbe@sbcglobal.net.

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#### Within Your Ken

Ken Silver RVC4

There have been a number of articles in the media lately about very young children qualifying for Mensa, both in this country, and around the world. The media loves prodigies. When my own daughter qualified for Mensa at the age of four in 2006, having taken an IQ test so that she could get early admission into



kindergarten, she was the 8<sup>th</sup> youngest member of American Mensa. Now six years later, at the age of 10, she's probably closer to 800<sup>th</sup>!

Personally I like the idea of the very young becoming members. If you've been a member as long as you can remember, you're likely to stay a member. What better way to get an age distribution among members; that looks more like that of the general population, than having continuous members that started when they were young. Looking around at any Mensa event, that's certainly something we lack now.

We like having our young members, but it's also a huge responsibility and a little scary. You just have to read the sports pages to see what a slipup can do to an organization. Mensa does take this responsibility very seriously. It's an area that undergoes constant scrutiny on the part our staff, legal team, insurance carriers, and the AMC. We do everything we can think of to protect our youngest, most vulnerable members. Mensa pays for background checks for local group Gifted Children's Coordinators, and for any other members who may supervise an event. Non-member parents are encouraged to participate with their member children, but not as supervisors.

For those who do not have access to local events, there is a wealth of fun on the internet. There's <a href="www.mensaforkids.org">www.mensaforkids.org</a>, Fred: The magazine for young Mensans, and many other resources for parents and teachers on the American Mensa website.

Ken

## Always Ask for a Window Seat

Jean Rodgers

When I was a student in Miss Snyder's fourth grade class, I learned the meaning of percentage when my row of attached desks did not win our usual blue ribbon for the weekly spelling test. I protested, "But only one person misspelled a word in our row. You gave the ribbon to another row, and they had one person misspell a word, too."

"Yes," Miss Snyder explained in her soft yet firm way, "but there were six students in that row and only five in yours. That row had the higher percentage." I never forgot that. She went on to explain percentages to the class—that is called a "teachable moment" now, although no one called it that in those days. All the moments were teachable in Miss Snyder's class.

I also never forgot the Indiana history and geography we learned as fourth graders, remembering well the unique shape of our state, rectangular except for the curvy southern and south-western borders and the bite that Lake Michigan takes out the northwest corner.

Earlier this spring, I flew from Indianapolis to Houston. Near the beginning of my trip, before the plane ascended above the clouds, I looked out of the window and saw IT--the Wabash River merging with the Ohio at the southwest corner of Indiana, forming that unforgettable point I had studied on the maps so many years ago.

I was thrilled.

One time when I was flying from Maine to LA, I looked down to see a roiling mass of water, circling like water rushing down a drain, spray misting high into the sky. I kept staring. Then I saw what appeared to a river feeding all that water into the giant whirling circle. The Niagara River! I was seeing Niagara Falls. Thrilled again!

In 1976, as I flew back to Maine after visiting my mother in Indiana, I looked down over New York City, easily seeing the outline of Manhattan, but what were those white specks in the water? From the great height of our flight path, they looked like petals floating on a stream. That year the United States was celebrating the 200th <u>anniversary</u> of the adoption of the <u>Declaration of</u> Independence. The Tall Ships! The white sails of the Tall Ships! Another thrill!

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The popular press and I called them the Tall Ships, but they were actually part of Operation Sail, a series of sailing events held to celebrate special occasions, featuring sailing vessels from around the world. They had sailed to New York for this celebration.

A flight with my husband from Phoenix to Eugene, Oregon, took us, first on the west side of the plane, near snowy Mt. Shasta in northern California. Mountain tops look so different from the air, much like the meringue on a pie. A few moments later, then on the east side, we saw Crater Lake in southern Oregon, sitting like a cool blue jewel, lonely in the landscape.

Approaching or departing an island or a string of islands is nearly always breathtaking. Breathtaking, too, is seeing a famous city with well-known buildings and landmarks.

Mensan Bob Zdanky says he never tires of seeing the undulating Mississippi River on one of his frequent flights to Denver to visit family. "Also, when there is a clear approach to the city, the Front Range of the Rockies provides the perfect backdrop for the city." Bob likes to see, too, the patchwork of farms and ranches from the air. The farther west he goes as the terrain gets drier and drier, he begins to see brilliant green circles among the squares and rectangles where the land has been irrigated.

Mensan Larry Marcus agrees with Bob about the western terrain. "I call those *crop circles* which they are, in fact. They certainly were not put there by extraterrestrials." Larry mentioned one rather unsettling flight. As he flew into Osaka, Japan, he felt sure the plane was going down into the water when all of a sudden a runway appeared. Perhaps that was the kind of thrill he didn't want.

Two others flights hold memories for Larry—a long flight over the Gobi Desert with its seemingly endless sands and a similar one over the North Pole with snow spreading farther than anyone could see.

Travel by air has given many of us memorable views and vistas of our earth. I always ask for a window seat.

WHAT ARE SOME OF YOUR MEMORABLE FLIGHTS? WHAT UNFORGETABLE SIGHTS (OR SITES) HAVE YOU SEEN? SEND YOUR REMINISCENCES TO THE *MIND*.

#### Central Indiana Mensa Ex-Com Minutes 03/27/12

Karen Wilczewski, Recording Secretary

Jan Pfeil Doyle opened the meeting at 8:10 p.m. for LocSec Teresa Gregory, as Gregory is recovering from surgery and was not able to attend. Members present included: Doyle, David Bonner, Cyndi Kuyper, Alan Schmidt, Karen Wilczewski, Bob Zdanky, and Karen Zwick. Absent: Teresa Gregory. Petra Ritchie, Alison Brown, and Nancy White were guests.

The minutes of the January Ex-Com meeting were accepted with minor corrections. (Alan Schmidt moved; Bob Zdanky seconded the motion. It passed unanimously)

Alan Schmidt presented the Treasurer's report. The balance as of 3/27/12 was \$20,808.01 (Karen Zwick moved to accept the Treasurer's report; Cyndi Kuyper seconded the motion. It passed unanimously)

The membership report showed 5 new members, 9 reinstating members, 1 offer of membership, and 20 prospects.

#### **Old Business**

Upcoming Mensa Election: As NomCom Chair, Alison Brown reported the committee has been reduced to three members, Petra Ritchie, Larry Marcus, and Alison. The committee will meet to brainstorm candidates for the upcoming ExCom. Select members of the current ExCom have agreed to run for the new ExCom and the NomCom is busy talking to new members to recruit them to participate in the upcoming election of officers. Candidate statements will be featured in the August *MIND*, and the election will be conducted in September.

Outdoor Gathering: Karen Zwick has volunteered to be food planner for the upcoming OG, May 18-20, and be responsible for five meals with the assistance of volunteers. She is asking those who plan to attend the OG to volunteer to be a "tasketeer" by offering to cook a meal or bring a favorite food item to share. Volunteers will be reimbursed for the ingredients or

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Karen has offered to purchase them out of the OG budget. She will make this announcement at the upcoming monthly meeting. Jan Pfeil Doyle has volunteered use of her van to transport items to the OG. Nancy White has offered to work with the volunteer who is coordinating beverages for the OG weekend. More details related to the OG will be featured in next month's *MIND*.

Gifted Children's Program: David Bonner needs someone to take over the Gifted Children's program due to his upcoming wedding nuptials in June. David contacted Purdue University to inquire of their interest in taking over the program. Purdue is interested, but there are many hoops to jump through that might not coordinate with American Mensa. One possibility is a Purdue graduate student might be interested in developing the program further. This would require funding a graduate student's time. MERF was discussed as a possibility for funding the student and the program operating from Purdue for three years. Purdue would need \$32,000 annually to cover the grad student's time. Plus, a grad student could rely on Purdue's resources to operate the program.

David is also exploring approaching parents of gifted children to inquire of their interest in running the program. The most viable option for the moment would be to scale back the program to 2-3 events a year from the current 6-7 after David gets married and to set the goal of growing the program again in two years. The program is currently growing faster than David ever anticipated, and the infrastructure isn't in place at the moment to grow it further. David still wants to be the Gifted Children Coordinator, answering parents' questions and serving as the point person, but he doesn't want the responsibility of running the program.

Cyndi Kuyper brought up that American Mensa would have to conduct extensive background checks and thoroughly investigate the idea before moving forward with any participation from Purdue and the Gifted Children's program would still need to be maintained under the auspices of American Mensa. Karen Zwick offered to facilitate a Purdue/parents

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meeting to determine if there is interest in keeping the program going. David has agreed to write an article for the next issue of *MIND* to determine if any member is interested in taking over the program.

The Schilling School: Sandra Kelly-Schilling invited David Bonner to visit the Schilling School for Gifted Children, Cincinnati. The school offers a different venue for students to learn. One of the teachers at the school, Dr. Douglas Frank, was nominated for the Nobel Prize in Physics 15 years ago. Dr. Frank and Sandra Kelly-Schilling are interested in speaking at a CIM monthly meeting. Jan Pfeil Doyle has speakers lined up for the April and May monthly meetings but she reported that July and August's monthly meeting` are possible opportunities for them.

Culture Quest: George Dunn, Teresa Gregory, Pat Milligan, Jan Pfeil Doyle, and Leo Doyle will represent CIM at this year's Culture Quest on April 29.

The meeting adjourned at 8:55 p.m. (Alan Schmidt moved to adjourn; Cyndi Kuyper seconded the motion. It passed unanimously)

Respectfully submitted, Karen E. Wilczewski, Recording Secretary



## **Treasurer's Report**

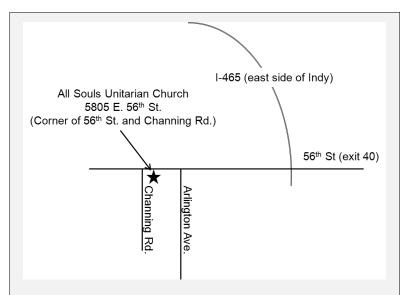
Dr. Alan Dale Schmidt, Treasurer

**Balance Sheet (as of 4/24/2012)** 

Cash and Bank Accounts	4/24/2012	3/27/2012
Mensa – Checking	\$9,606.65	\$9,779.38
Vanguard Mensa (as of 9/30/11, 12/31/11)	\$3,737.67	\$3,737.67
Total Cash and Bank Accounts	\$13,344.32	\$13,517.05
Other Assets		
Regional Gathering Account (as of 11-11-11)	\$7,290.96	\$7,290.96
Bradford Place Deposit	\$0.00	\$0.00
Total Assets	\$20,635.28	\$20,808.01

Profit & Loss Statement (3/27/2012 to 4/24/2012)

Income	Date	Amount
American Mensa 580x.82 1new 1corp 8reins	4/20/2012	\$501.25
2test		
Dividend Income		.00
Monthly Meeting April 13	4/19/2012	\$123.00
M19,nonM4,10food,		
child,new,1spk,34people		
Scholarships		
Total Scholarship fund \$282.00		
Mensa gifted refund		
Total Income		\$624.25
Expenses		
Jan Doyle MIND food soda	3/27/2012	\$ 83.67
Post Office 500 stamps		\$225.00
Culture Quest		40.00
Minuteman Press (325 MINDs for March)	4/14/2012	\$ 212.25
All Souls container \$10 April May paid	3/27	\$ 80.00
Cyndi Kyper seals	3/27	17.10
Bob Zdanky stamps 81.25 envelope 34.23	3/27	
Cartridge 23.48		138.96
Total Expenses		\$796.98



This Month's Meeting Location All Souls Unitarian Church, The Beattie Room, 5805 E. 56<sup>th</sup> St., Indianapolis

- From I-465 on the east side of Indianapolis, take the 56<sup>th</sup> St exit west (exit 40).
- Turn left on Channing Rd (1.2 miles from the I-465 exit).
- The church parking lot is on your left.
- . Go to the Beattie Room.



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