



Quota recognized new members and board members recently at the Elks. Front, from left: Amy Taylor-Liboski, Laura Rhodes, Cindy Richburg and Patty Sterbini, all of Indiana and all new members. New board members, back, were Shannon Lawer, president; Connie McCardle, president elect; Stephanie Armstrong, vice president; Cindy Cantor, treasurer; Jean Stephens, treasurer elect; Betsy Lauber, secretary; Meghan Foulk, Michelle Fryling, and Linda Brown. Teri Enciso/Gazette photo

Quota International of Indiana installed five new members and formally installed new officers at its May meeting.

Quota International of Indiana President, Shannon Lawer, installed the new Quotarians, who are Amy Taylor-Liboski; Cheryl Randall; Laura Rhodes; Cindy Richburg and Patty Sterbini, all of Indiana.

Officers of the organization are: Shannon Lawer, president; Connie McCardle, president-elect; Stephanie Armstrong, vice president; Cindy Cantor, treasurer; Jean Stephens, treasurer-elect; Betsy Lauber, secretary; and board members Linda Brown, Meghan Foulk, Michelle Fryling, Mary Morgan and Tina Semon. Jenn Myers is past president of the group and an ex-officio member of the board.

Quota International Inc. is an 88-year-old international service organization that links members of all ages, occupations and nationalities in a worldwide network of service and friendship. With a motto of "we share," Quotarians are known especially for their service to deaf, hard-of-hearing and speech impaired individuals and disadvantaged women and children.

Quota International of Indiana, with 50 active members, meets monthly at the Indiana Elks for a dinner meeting August through May. Quota of Indiana celebrated its 51st anniversary in September 2006. Over the past four years, Quota and The Coney have together raised almost \$18,000 to support initiatives for women and children at the Alice Paul House, including a new playground at the facility. Quotarians also collect specific items of need throughout the club-year for the Alice Paul House.

Quotarians raised almost \$7,000 during the second annual St. Patty's Day Open on March 16, an indoor nine-hole golfing event in Downtown Indiana to raise funds for the club's service projects.

Quotarians are actively planning for the July all-day recreational event with the student group.

Quota International will also be part of the June 1 "Stand for Children" event in Indiana County.

Quote of Indiana also recently purchased a classroom amplification system for children who are hard of hearing for the Purchase Line School District.

For more information about Quota of Indiana, persons may contact Lawer, Quota president, at (724) 422-1528.