



Last Week's Meeting

4-Way Test Speech Contest



Participants in the Rotary Club of Longview's 4-Way Test Speech Contest were joined by their faculty advisers for a photo after last week's competition. From left, Longview High School adviser Pamela Mercer-McWilliams, LHS senior Trevor O'Connor, LHS senior Seema Brimmer, Trinity School of Texas freshman Bella Butter, TST junior Chloe Liebengood, and TST adviser Mary Fox.

Brimmer takes second at district contest

Seema Brimmer, the Longview High School senior who last week landed first place in our club's 4-Way Test Speech Contest, went on to place second in Saturday's district-level competition at Panola College.

She was one of four students at last week's meeting who presented speeches examining the 4-Way Test as it applies to Rotary giving and being a gift to the world. Brimmer received a \$1,000 scholarship for winning our club contest, then added \$750 for her second-place win at district.

PDG Carroll Greenwaldt was Seema's sponsor at district and said she represented our club very well. "Visiting with her after the competition, I found her to be an excellent student, working to finish her International Baccalaureate work at Longview High before enrolling this fall at The University of Dallas," he said. "She wants to ultimately pursue medical school with a concentration in sports medicine."

Our club's second place winner was LHS senior Trevor O'Connor, who received a \$750 scholarship. Trinity School of Texas junior Chloe Liebengood won third place and a \$500 scholarship. Bella Butter, a TST freshman, also did a fine job and we hope to see her again next year.

Thanks to Past President Terri Deike for organizing the contest.

Last week's visitors and guests

Visitors: Stephen Taylor, South Tyler (guest of Gary Taylor). **Guests:** Ronnie Strong, guest of Shirley Griffin. Brian Roper, guest of Gordon Northcutt. Evan Dolive, guest of Wayne Dolive. Chloe Liebengood, Bella Butter and Mary Fox, Trinity School of Texas. Trevor O'Connor, Seema Brimmer and Pam Mercer-McWilliams, Longview High School.

Rotaview News

April birthdays and anniversaries

Please join us in wishing a very happy April birthday to these Rotarians:

- Charles Florio – April 1
- Jayne Bigony – April 5
- Deborah Bell – April 8
- Ronnie McKinney – April 19
- Jon Cromer – April 20
- Casey Cammack – April 26
- Steve Knollenberg – April 28
- Ric Brack – April 29
- Reagan McLemore – April 29

And let's wish a happy anniversary to these Rotarians celebrating wedding anniversaries this month:

- Steve Butler (Jann) – April 17
- Jimmy Willett (Dona) – April 19
- Jon Cromer (Hannah) – April 30

Great to see you, Deb

It was nice to have Deborah Bell back with us last week, and she reported she's feeling quite well. So well, in fact, that she was planning to head to Guatemala to resume work with Refuge International. Don't worry, Deb, we won't tell your doctor!

Next week's program

T-Bone Walker Blues Fest – Cynthia Hellen, a member of the board of directors of the T-Bone Walker Blues Fest, will update us on the June 3-4 event. The festival, which is named for the East Texan credited with pioneering modern blues music, moved to Longview in 2013. This year, it is offering a lineup of performers that's sharply focused on this truly American art form. Hellen also is executive director of the Belcher Center and a Pine Tree ISD trustee.

For a look at more upcoming programs, visit rotarylongview.org and find the "Speakers" section.

Calendar of events

April 16: District Training Assembly, First Methodist Church, Lindale. 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.

April 20: Board meeting, Gerald's. 11:30 a.m.

April 29: PolioPlus Drawdown, East Texas Builders Association. Got your tickets?

May 3: Longview Citizen of the Year award banquet, First Baptist Church. Noon.

May 18: Board meeting, Gerald's. 11:30 a.m.

May 20-21: District Conference, First Methodist Church, Mt. Vernon.

Lunch menu: Today – Chicken Alfredo, asparagus, garlic bread. April 12 – Pulled pork, potato salad, baked beans. April 19 – Beef/chicken fajitas, brown rice, pinto beans. April 26 – Beef tips and rice, green beans. (All served with salad, coffee, tea and dessert)

Share your news: If you have items for the calendar or other news for the Rotaview, club website or Facebook page, please share with Ric Brack at ric.brack@gmail.com or Gai Bennett at gnbnt@aol.com

The Rotary Club of Longview, Texas

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District 5830 website: www.rotary5830.org

Meets at noon Tuesday at
First Baptist Church, Longview - (903) 758-0681
Enrollment as of March 22: 96



Be a gift to the world

Ash, Kandi 0 YPA Attorney - Registered Nurse
Barkman, Donald FS, PH+1, 30 YPA Pecan Grower
Bartlemay, William FS, PH+1, 3 YPA Self Storage
Bell, Deborah PH+2, 0 YPA Medicine - Humanitarian
Bennett, Gai PH, 2 YPA Business Manager - Construction
Bentley, Bob PH, 0 YPA Scout Executive - Retired
Best, Shane FS, PH+2, PP, 25 YPA Banking - Commercial Loans
Bigony, Jayne FS, PH+7, 19 YPA Insurance - Fire
Bogle-Sherman, Kristi 0 YPA Nonprofit Administration
Boon, Mark FS, PH+3, PP, 33 YPA Law - Estate Planning
Brack, Richard 2 YPA Newspaper Editor
Butler, Stephen 0 YPA Chemical Plant R&D
Cammack, Casey PH+1, PP, 33 YPA Insurance - Estate Planning
Chaikin, Craig 3 YPA Banking - Personal Trusts
Chaney, Frank FS, PH+2, 8 YPA Real Estate - Commercial
Chaney, Jill FS, PH, 3 YPA Banking - Loans
Cox, Doug FS, PH+2, 25 YPA Pub. Education - Dir. of Athletics
Cromer, Jon 0 YPA Banking - Commercial Loans
Deike, Terri PH, 2 YPA University Athletics
Dial, Richard PH, PP, 35 YPA Income Tax Service
Dolive, Wayne PH+1, 30 YPA Civil Engineering
Drayer, Kellyn FS, PH+1, 10 YPA Investments - Vice President
Florence, Patricia FS, PP, PH+5, 22 YPA Law - Title
Florio, Charles PH+1, PP, 38 YPA College Administration
Forester, Sam FS, PH+2, 1 YPA Investments - Financial Services
Greenwaldt, C. PDG, FS, PH+7, PHS, PP, 25 YPA Chem. Plant - Admin.
Greenwaldt, Mary FS, PH, PHS, 1 YPA Higher Education
Griffin, Keith PH, 0 YPA Accounting Services - Taxes
Griffin, Shirley FS, MD, PHS, PP, PDG, 19 YPA Travel Agency
Hall, Kevin 0 YPA Insurance - Specialty
Harrison, John W., Jr. FS, PH+2, PP, 49 YPA Electr. App. Retail
Hays, Tom FS, PH, 0 YPA Real Estate - Appraiser
Herrington, Angie 0 YPA Investment Advisor
Henry, David 0 YPA Attorney - Oil and Gas
Hildebrand, Kristin 0 YPA Tax Manager
Hollis, LaJuan PH, 0 YPA Non-profit Administration
Horaney, Betty FS, PH+3, 14 YPA Feed Supply
Hubbard, Griff FS, PH+1, 5 YPA Railway Management
Hugman, James FS, PH+5, PP, 3 YPA Architect
Jameson, B.H. 35 YPA Justice of the Peace
Johnson, Dietrich PH, 2 YPA Municipal Gov't. - Administration
Johnson, Joel FS, PH+2, 16 YPA Consultant - Business
Jordan, Gene 0 YPA Business Development
Key, Carl 0 YPA School Administration
Khoury, Dorothy FS, PH+1, 9 YPA Consultant - Political
Knollenberg, Steve 0 YPA Boy Scouting
Lanier, Jack, Jr. PH, 0 YPA Police Chaplaincy
Lewis, Cindi-Marie FS, PH, 4 YPA Primary Education

Liu, Jeannie 0 YPA Neurosurgery
Loy, Lindsay 0 YPA Non-Profit Administration
Maly, Robert FS, PH+2, PP, 0 YPA Civil Engineering
Manley, Richard FS, PH, 3 YPA Real Estate - Development
Mann, Jack FS, PH+4, 1 YPA Distribution - Soft Drinks
Martinez-Berrios, Pedro 0 YPA Public Accounting
Matlock, Paul 0 YPA Building Construction and Electrical
McClellan, Joe 1 YPA Music Education
McFaul, Justin PP, 3 YPA Banking - Trust Services
McGaughey, Robert 0 YPA Ministry - Business Office
McKinney, Ronnie PH+1, 3 YPA Construction Consulting
McLemore, Reagan FS, PH+3, 21 YPA Business Broker
McReynolds, Allen 0 YPA Real Estate Investments
McWhorter, Gene FS, PH+1, 33 YPA Advertising - Industrial
Mwakikoti, Alex 0 YPA Higher Education
Neal, Billy PH, 0 YPA Vehicle Collision Repair
Neill, Jeremy 0 YPA Banking
Northcutt, Gordon FS, PH, 0 YPA Financial Advisor
Northcutt, LeGrande FS, PH+2, 51 YPA Insurance - Fire
Novy, Scott 25 YPA Law - Taxes
Overman, Rodney FS, PH+2, 14 YPA Income Tax Service
Parrott, Deborah FS, PH, 16 YPA Banking - Mortgage
Pigeon, Lee PH+2, 32 YPA Chemical Plant - Engineering
Pistone, Joseph PH, 0 YPA Emergency Medicine
Primo, Darryl PH, 0 YPA Oil and Gas Leases
Rice, Bill PH, PP, 19 YPA Financial Advisor
Risinger, Charles FS, PH+3, 27 YPA Chemical Plant Utilities
Roberts, James FS, B, PH+8, PHS, PP, 14 YPA Accounting Services
Ruff, Eric 6 YPA Real Estate - Commercial
Scoggins, Don FS, PH, SE, 12 YPA Chemical Plant - Admin.
Smith, R.H. Jr. "Hank" PH, 2 YPA Insurance - Casualty
Smith, Philip FS, PH+1, 25 YPA Insurance - Casualty
Smith, Trey FS, MD, B, PHS, PP, 19 YPA Oil and Gas Properties
Stoudt, Bill FS, PH+2, 0 YPA Investments
Taylor, Gary PH+1, 0 YPA Bank Executive
Thomas, Linda FS, PH+7, PP, 20 YPA Plumbing and Heating Supply
Thomas, Wiley FS, PH, 5 YPA Information Systems Manager
Thompson, Chris FS, PH, 1 YPA Banking - Real Estate
Walker, John FS, PH+7, 30 YPA Gasoline Distributor
Welge, Ava FS, PH+3, 20 YPA Education - Testing
Welge, Jack Jr. PH+3, PP, 36 YPA Law - Aviation
Wells, Wes 0 YPA Administrator- Long-term Care
Wilcox, James 0 YPA School Administration
Wilkinson, Dickens 2 YPA Sulfur Sales
Willett, Jim FS, PH+1, PP, 9 YPA Financial Advisor
Williams, Kasha PH, 3 YPA Home Health Care
Winn, Terry FS, PH, PP, 0 YPA Civil Engineering
Wiseman, Tim 0 YPA Ministry - Executive Director



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The Four-Way Test

Is it the *truth*?

Is it *fair* to all concerned?

Will it build *goodwill* and better friendships?

Will it be *beneficial* to all concerned?

Today's Program

Jim Gatewood – Lone Wolf Gonzauillas and the Assassination of Pancho Villa

Officers and Directors

Tom DeWitt..... District Governor
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B: Benefactor. DG: District Governor. FS: Foundation Sustaining Member. H: Honorary Member. MD: Major Donor.
PDG: Past District Governor. PH: Paul Harris Fellow. PHS: Paul Harris Society. PP: Past President.
SE: Senior Exempt. YPA: Years of Perfect Attendance.

Area Club Meetings

Monday: Marshall Metro, Trinity Episcopal Church. **Also:** Big Sandy, Greater Paris, South Tyler.

Wednesday: Kilgore, Meadowbrook Country Club. **Also:** Jacksonville, Jefferson, Lake Fork, Pittsburg.

Thursday: Gladewater, Chamber of Commerce. **Also:** Atlanta, Marshall, Overton, Quitman, Texarkana, Tyler.

Friday: Longview Greggton, First Baptist Church. **Also:** Carthage, Henderson, Paris.

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