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New Member Orientation will take place on Wednesday at 10:45 a.m. in Room 216 of the MCM Elegante.

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Speakers

- May 01, 2013
[Steve Doblin and the Youth Activities Committee](#)
 Youth Day
- May 08, 2013
[Kenneth Starr, President of Baylor University](#)
- May 15, 2013
[The Beaumont Community Players](#)
 "Don't let it be forgot, that once there was a spot for one brief shining moment that was "Camelot"
- May 22, 2013
[Robert Cornell, Manager, Golden Triangle Storage](#)
 The Golden Triangle Storage Project
- May 29, 2013
[Chris Hebert-ImpactWeather](#)
 2013 Hurricane Season
- Jun 05, 2013
[Mayor Becky Ames](#)
 Update on the City of Beaumont
- Jun 12, 2013
[TBA](#)
 Tentative
- Jun 19, 2013
[Salute to Leadership](#)
 Awards and Recognition for 2012-13
- Jun 26, 2013
[President Becky Mason's Swan Song](#)

PROGRAM PREVIEW
April 24, 2013

"Youth In Service"



The Rotary Club of Beaumont is pleased to present multiple Youth Service Above Self Awards this week.

The recognition is for high school juniors and seniors who have exemplified the Rotary ideal of **Service Above Self** with outstanding records of volunteer service during the past year. They have given of their time and talents for the betterment of our community through one or more organizations or project.

Please join with us in this salute to area young adults.

Head Table and Menu for
Wednesday, April 24



Invocation:

Lynn Castle, Executive Director, Art Museum of Southeast Texas



Pledges to the USA and Texas Flags:

Connie Browning, Vice President, Small Business Banking, Bank of America

Introduction of Guests:

Bobbie Applegate, Cast & Crew

[View entire list...](#)

Club Events & Meeting Makeup Opportunities

30 Something Meeting
May 16, 2013 11:30 AM

Board of Directors meeting
The Beaumont Club
May 28, 2013 11:45 AM

30 Something Meeting
Jun 20, 2013

Board of Directors meeting
The Beaumont Club
Jun 25, 2013 11:45 AM

Officers & Directors (click on name to email)

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Becky L. Mason

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Larry Beaulieu

Beaumont Foundation Secretary
Pat Anderson

Beaumont Foundation Trustee
David Locke

Beaumont Foundation Trustee



Uliana Trylowsky, Executive Director, Habitat for Humanity of Jefferson County

Menu: salad bar, cream of potato soup, baked catfish, shepherd pie, mashed potatoes, green beans, assorted desserts and pastries, tea & coffee

CALENDAR OF ROTARY EVENTS

(and make-up opportunities)

April 23	Board of Directors' Meeting, 11:45 a.m. at the Beaumont Club
April 24	New Member Orientation, 10:45 a.m., Elegante' Room 216



to Upcoming Meetings

- May 1 Youth Day*
- May 8 Kenneth Starr, President of Baylor University
- May 15 Beaumont Community Players present "Camelot"
- May 22 Robert Cornell, Golden Triangle Storage Project

* Donation of lunch tickets for guests will be gratefully accepted.

PLAYGROUND WORKDAY #2



Chad Blanchard

Beaumont Foundation Trustee
Becky L. Mason

Executive Director
Jacque Chapman

A History in Photos

[04-24-13 Youth Service Above Self Awards](#)

[04-17-13 GSE Team Dinner at Broussard's](#)

[04-17-13 GSE Team from BVI Visits](#)

[04-13-13 Construction Leadership Team begins work](#)

[04-11-13 Centennial Celebration](#)

[04-11-13 Ground-Breaking for Centennial Playground](#)

[04-03-13 Bette Stead, Business Ethics, Lamb Award](#)

[03-27-13 Joe Domino, Entergy/ITC Transition](#)

[03-20-13 Rotary Goes to School](#)

[03-13-13 James Prescott, Keystone Pipeline](#)

[03-06-13 Tim Schreck, Master Gardener](#)

[02-27-13 Centennial Celebration-Jim Rich/B. Davis](#)

[02-20-13 Lt. Kevin Pullen, Texas Ranger](#)

[02-13-13 Tolbert Chisum, Lincoln Library & Museum](#)

[02-06-13 Memorial Resolution: Terry Bourdier](#)

[02-06-13 Jason French, Leadership & BP Oil Spill](#)

[01-17-13 Rotary After Hours hosted by BBB](#)

[01-12-13 RYLA 2013](#)

[01-16-13 Judge Larry Gist, Texas Prison System](#)

[01-09-13 Jo Anne Settles, Polio Plus](#)

[01-02-13 County Judge Jeff Branick](#)

[12-19-12 Wesley United Methodist Church](#)

[12-12-12 Holiday Party of the Century](#)

[12-05-12 Rotary Goes to Work](#)

[12-01-12 Rotary Bell Ringers for Salvation Army](#)

[11-28-12 Robert J. Robertson, Club History](#)

[11-14-12 Dr. Al Sacco, Jr., former Astronaut](#)

[11-07-12 Captain Joe Paitl, Veterans Salute](#)

[11-02-12 District Governor Brenda Walker Visits](#)

[11-02-12 Benefit Lunch at Carrabba's](#)

[10-31-12 Rebekah Maxwell, Ambassadorial Scholar](#)



Sensory Play Center is assembled!





The first piece of play equipment took shape Saturday, and more will follow in the weeks ahead. The pieces will be stored in a warehouse until time to install them on the playground site. Once the majority of pieces are assembled and ready to install, we will need more volunteers to help. At this stage, it's more efficient to perform the work with a small group.


To those of you who are eager to help, we appreciate your enthusiasm and will keep you posted.


- [10-25-12 Interact Club at Kelly High School](#)
- [10-25-12 Rotary After Hours at Goodfella's](#)
- [10-24-12 Ruth Ann Rugg, Texas Museums Assn.](#)
- [10-17-12 Vocational Excellence Awards](#)
- [10-10-12 Dr. Jimmy Simmons, Lamar University](#)
- [10-03-12 Debbie Reynolds, Texas Wines & Vineyards](#)
- [09-28-12 Kelly Interact Smashing Pumpkins](#)
- [09-26-12 McCabes & Brett Bertles on Nicaragua](#)
- [09-20-12 Rotary After Hours at Event Centre](#)
- [09-19-12 Robert Horry, Jr. - NBA Great](#)
- [09-12-12 Joe Mayer, Lockheed Martin - Future Space](#)
- [09-05-12 Timothy Charquois, BISD](#)
- [08-29-12 Week: Rotary Goes Home](#)
- [08-22-12 Robert Floyd, Texas Vietnam Veterans](#)
- [08-16-12 Rotary After Hours with Symphony of SETX](#)
- [08-08-12 John Hazen, J.D. Power & Associates](#)
- [08-16-12 30 Something meeting](#)
- [08-15-12 Ted Poe, Congressional District 2](#)
- [08-01-12 Ray Woodard, Lamar Football](#)
- [07-26-12 Rotary After Hours](#)
- [07-25-12 Annual Club Assembly](#)
- [07-18-12 Jason French, Cheniere Energy](#)
- [07-11-12 Installation of Centennial Leadership](#)


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At the annual Toast to Leadership Student Organization Awards event at Lamar University, the Lamar Rotaract club was named Service Organization of the Year! This marks the 8th year in a row that Lamar has won this award. Congratulations to Brett Bertles, President and all members!

Moreover, Teresa Simpson was named Advisor of the Year for her work with the Rotaract Club. Congratulations, Teresa!



Propose a New Member

Have you thought about proposing someone as a new member to the club? Criteria for membership is as follows:

- Community members of good character and good business, professional and community reputation, and:
- Serve in a management or executive capacity of a business or profession
- and have discretionary authority over his/her schedule; or
- Retired from any such position; or
- A community leader who has demonstrated a commitment to service and the Object of Rotary; or
- A Rotary Foundation alumnus (former GSE team member, Ambassadorial Scholar, etc.) who lives or works in Southeast Texas.

Proposal forms are available by linking [here](#). There are membership booklets on the registration table each Wednesday which also contain a proposal form, and they can be downloaded from the My Club Documents page of the website too.



GUESTS AND VISITING ROTARIANS
April 17, 2013



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- Brandon Spears, guest of Mike Stankovich
- Celia Messer, guest of Cynthia Wolf
- Elaine Shellenberger, guest of Cynthia Wolf
- Bridgett Hlavinka, guest of Cynthia Wolf
- Sheree Pierce, guest of Sharon McCabe
- Linda Domino, guest of Cynthia Wolf
- Shelly Vitanza, guest of Cynthia Wolf
- Iris Nathan, guest of Cynthia Wolf
- Tim Baker, guest of John Paschall
- George Newsome, guest of Sharon McCabe
- A. Danielle Faraci, guest of Bert Smith
- Hani Tohmer, guest of George Newsome
- Karin Warren, guest of George Newsome

Sonny Sherman, visiting from the Spindletop Club

Thank you for coming. See you again soon!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!



David Heinz
April 23



James McNicholas
April 23



Ryan Smith
April 23



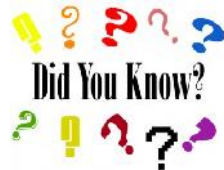
Mike Stankovich
April 26



Doug Conner
April 28



Bill Clark
April 29



Delegates from Rotary's 532 districts are gathering in downtown Chicago April 21-26 to consider changes to the policies that govern Rotary International and its member clubs.



Outstanding Quotes from Rotary International Presidents

"Example, good or bad, is contagious. If we set a good example, others may do likewise. All of us have more influence than we sometimes suppose."

1966-67 International President Richard L. Evans, Rotary Club of Salt Lake City, Utah

PROGRAM REVIEW
APRIL 17, 2013
"The Beautiful British Virgin Islands"



The Group Study Exchange Team
by Rotarian Chris Ayers

Five members from the Rotary Group Study Exchange visited us from the British Virgin Islands. They discussed the islands, culture, and customs.

BVI is a series of islands in the Caribbean near Puerto Rico and the main island is Tortola. The population of all islands is around 29,000. The driving force behind its economy is tourism but international finance plays a very important role with the US dollar being the prominent currency. Sailing is a popular sport and the BVI is known worldwide for some of the best sailing anywhere. Other well-known water sports include scuba diving, snorkeling, fishing, and paddle boarding.

The members from BVI were extremely kind and welcomed everyone to visit their homeland.

Editor Craig Escamilla

If you have any comments or questions, please contact the editor.

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