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Speakers

<p>Jul 25, 2012 CLUB ASSEMBLY Everyone on Board for the Centennial Year!</p>
<p>Aug 01, 2012 Coach Ray Woodard "Go, Big Red!" Football 2012</p>
<p>Aug 08, 2012 John Hazen, JD Powers Improving Customer Satisfaction</p>
<p>Aug 15, 2012 Congressman Ted Poe Congressional Update</p>
<p>Aug 22, 2012 [ROTARIAN OF THE DAY: Regina Rogers] Gift of Life Projects and Programs</p>
<p>Aug 22, 2012 Robert Floyd, Chairman Texas Vietnam Veterans</p>
<p>Aug 29, 2012 Sheri and Eddie Arnold, Chairmen-Rotary Goes Home Events all week; sign up for time/day that is convenient.</p>
<p>Sep 05, 2012 Dr. Timothy Chargois State of BISD</p>
<p>Sep 12, 2012 Joseph Mayer with Lockheed Martin Future of Space Travel</p>
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THIS WEEK'S MEETING WILL BE IN THE FOUNTAINVIEW ROOM.

PROGRAM PREVIEW July 18, 2012

"Cheniere Energy's Sabine Pass Liquefaction Project and What It Means to Local Communities"



Jason French
 Director of Government and Public Affairs
 Cheniere Energy

Cheniere Energy's Sabine Pass Liquefaction Project is the first ever LNG Export facility in the Lower 48 states. Mr. French will explain the project and the impact on Sabine Pass and our locale.

Jason French joined Cheniere Energy in November 2011 as Director of Government and Public Affairs. He is responsible for government relations,



Club Events & Meeting Makeup Opportunities

<p>30 Something Embassy Room Jul 19, 2012 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM</p>
<p>Board of Directors' Meeting The Beaumont Club Jul 24, 2012 11:45 AM</p>
<p>Rotary After Hours Luke's Jul 26, 2012 05:30 PM - 07:00 PM</p>
<p>Rotary After Hours The Julie Rogers Theatre for the Performing Arts Aug 21, 2012 05:30 PM - 07:00 PM</p>
<p>ROTARY GOES HOME Aug 27, 2012 - Aug 31, 2012</p>
<p>Board of Directors' Meeting The Beaumont Club Aug 28, 2012 11:45 AM</p>
<p>District Membership/Foundation Seminar Montgomery High School near Lake Conroe Sep 15, 2012</p>
<p>Rotary After Hours - New Event Center The Veranda (overlooking Town Lake) Sep 20, 2012 05:00 PM - 07:00 PM</p>
<p>Board of Directors' Meeting The Beaumont Club Sep 25, 2012 11:45 AM</p>
<p>Board of Directors' Meeting The Beaumont Club Oct 23, 2012 11:45 AM</p>
<p>Board of Directors' Meeting The Beaumont Club Nov 27, 2012 11:45 AM</p>
<p>Holiday Party Dec 12, 2012</p>
<p>Board of Directors' Meeting The Beaumont Club Jan 22, 2013 11:45 AM</p>
<p>Large Club Conference MCM Elegante' and city Jan 24, 2013 - Jan 27, 2013</p>
<p>Board of Directors' Meeting The Beaumont Club Feb 26, 2013 11:45 AM</p>
<p>Board of Directors' Meeting The Beaumont Club Mar 26, 2013 11:45 AM</p>
<p>Board of Directors' Meeting The Beaumont Club Apr 23, 2013 11:45 AM</p>
<p>Board of Directors' Meeting The Beaumont Club May 28, 2013 11:45 AM</p>

public affairs, and community outreach at the state and local levels in Texas and Louisiana.

Prior to joining Cheniere, Jason was Director of Government and Public Affairs for BP America – where he held several key public affairs roles during the Deepwater Horizon Oil Spill Response . Before working for BP, Jason worked for CSX Transportation, a major railroad serving the East Coast and Midwest markets.

HEAD TABLE AND MENU FOR JULY 18



Invocation – Chad Mason. Vice President for Administration, Mason Construction, Ltd.



Pledge to the USA and Texas Flags – Craig Lively, City Judge, City of Beaumont



Introduction of Guests – Ryan Underdown, President/Owner, Underdown Consulting

Menu: salad bar, gumbo, fried catfish, crawfish etoufee, dirty rice, mustard greens, assorted pastries and desserts, tea and coffee

CALENDAR OF ROTARY EVENTS (and make-up opportunities)

July 1	Membership dues for July-December 2012 are due.
July 18	Meeting will be in the Fountainview Room of the MCM Elegante'
July 19	30 Something, 11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. at MCM Elegante'
July 24	

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

	Board of Directors meeting at 11:45 a.m. at the Beaumont Club
July 26	Rotary After Hours, 5:30 - 7:00 p.m. at Luke's on Calder (formerly Easy's)

A History in Photos

[07-11-12 Installation of President Becky Mason](#)

[06-27-12 President David's Swan Song](#)

[06-20-12 Awards and Recognitions](#)

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CENTENNIAL 30 SOMETHING

30 Something has been revamped! Attend our monthly meetings and not only get updates on current and upcoming projects, but learn ways to participate, get involved, and take on leadership roles. PLUS, earn a make up a missed meeting and keep your perfect attendance.



"Service Above Self"

Our first meeting is this week!

July 19, 2012

11:30am - 12:30pm (bring a sack lunch if you like)

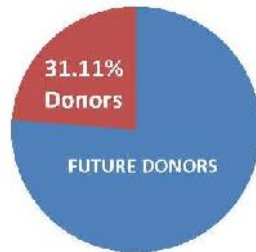
MCM Elegante' Embassy Room (same as Orientation)

Attendees: Open to all Rotarians; Red Badges are strongly encouraged to attend and all Blue Badges are welcomed

Please bring: Rotary University forms - Activities, Attendance, & Acquaintances Worksheets

THANK YOU TO OUR DONORS!

The list of donors to the Beaumont Rotary Centennial Playground project continues to grow each and every day.



Have you made your gift or pledge yet?

Historic Photo of Past Presidents

Past Presidents of Club 72 gathered before the first meeting of the Centennial year for a photo as we kick-off the year of festivities to recognize the club's Centennial.

We thank all who attended: Alex Broussard, David Locke, James Broussard, Robert Robertson, Roger McCabe, Lois Ann Stanton, Chuck Mason, Becky Mason, Bobbie Applegate, Angela Baker, Larry Beaulieu, David Hitt, Benny Hughes, Kevin Roy, Tom Lamb, Jr., Joe Bob Kinsel, Jr, Jerry Nathan, Charlie Weinbaum, Jr., John Quigley, Harland Merriam, Jim Rich, and Gerald Condon. Also pictured is President-elect Chad Blanchard. Regretably, we missed a few Past Presidents who were in attendance - Jim Rich and Charles Locke. We will plan another picture before the Centennial year concludes.

The photo is a moment of history captured by [Name]. Many thanks to him for such a great picture.



Happy New Year!

No, it's not January, but it is a new year!

Isn't it grand to have the chance to again have that great feeling of "starting over" with the resolve that comes with each new year? In Rotary, we have exactly that.

What are your Rotary New Year resolutions?

How Will You Share Your Talents in 2012-13?

The Centennial year is here, and what a year it will be! The Club has a long and rich history to celebrate and a challenge to lay the groundwork for an amazing second century to come.

The 2012-13 Board members want to have everyone be a part of the year in any way you would like. Please let us know of your particular interests. An interest survey has been on the tables at the meeting and we thank you if you already completed one. If you have not done so yet, please complete one electronically through a [link here](#). We are anxious to have 100% of our membership involved with the many activities of this vibrant club.



The Virgin Islands Await

The District has announced the application and selection schedule for selecting a Team Leader for next year's GSE Team.



The team representing District 5910 will go to District 7020 (Virgin Islands in the Caribbean) during May 11 to June 8, 2013. The team includes one Rotarian leader and four young non-Rotarian professionals under the age of 40.



Link [here](#) to an application form for Rotarians interested in being Team Leader. Note that the form requires a "club endorsement." Applicants must send their endorsed applications by August 10 and interviews will be held on August 18.

Simultaneously, it is time to recruit Team Member applicants. Those applications are due September 30. Interviews of applicants will be held on October 20. Training will start in November.

Consider someone you know and share with them how they can benefit from this opportunity. Team members stay in Rotarians' homes, share information about our part of the world while experiencing local hospitality, and learning more about the culture and economy of the host country.

This is truly a "chance of a lifetime," so do not miss the opportunity to apply. You can link to the GSE Brochure on the district website which has a description of the program. Or if you have questions or would just like to discuss the idea, phone or email John Delaney, District 5910 GSE Chair, 979-219-1100 or j_delaney@verizon.net.



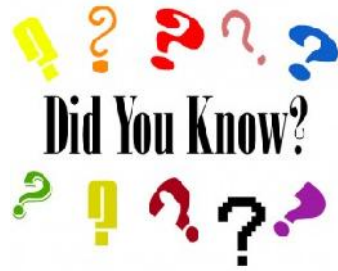
VISITORS AND ROAMING ROTARIANS ON JULY 11

The Rotary Club of Beaumont was delighted to welcome the following guests and fellow Rotarians to our meeting. Please come again soon.

Past President **Jerry Nathan**
 Past President **Robert Robertson**
 Past President **David Hitt**
Evie Mason, guest of **Becky Mason**
Lauren Mason, guest of **Becky Mason**
Charles Shelton, guest of **W. L. Pate**
Charlotte Jungen, guest of **Brad Brown**
Rezza Chawla, guest of **Randy Fluke**
Phillip Larmond, guest of **Randy Fluke**
Melsee Jones

Kris Nordstrom McBride from the Lake Conroe Club
Michael McBride from the Lake Conroe Club
Bobby Chapman from the Spindletop Club
Lester Smith from the Spindletop Club

Dr. Kelvin Moulton from the Spindletop Club



... on June 26, 1957, all the club's Past Presidents who were able gathered for a photo to commemorate the 50th Anniversary of the club.

[Click here to view a copy of this historical event.](#)

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!



Dale Dowell
July 17



Eric Lawrence
July 20

PROGRAM REVIEW JULY 11, 2012



Installation of Rotary Club of Beaumont President and Officers (...aka "Out With The Old...In With The New")

Today's Rotary meeting began with a group of Past Presidents congregating in the corner of the Ballroom. It was a gathering of those who had faithfully served our Club over the past Century of Service.

The Head Table was adorned with 6 Past Presidents, which included 3 Past District Governors - Bobbie Applegate, Harland Merrian, Kevin Roy and PDG Alex Broussard, PDG Roger McCabe, and PDG Chuck Mason.

Past District Governor Alex Broussard (with the distinction of 50+ years perfect attendance) opened the meeting, describing it as an "auspicious occasion." Past President and Past District Governor Chuck Mason, addressed Rotarians prior to the installation process, focusing on "The Core Values of Rotary":

- **Service** To be of benefit to our community and our world, helping to bring about greater understanding and peace in our community and the world.
- **Fellowship** To cultivate relationships & friendships, which enrich our lives and strengthen our resolve by which we can accomplish so much more, both as individuals and as a club
- **Diversity** Within our club, we have differences in religion, race, business models and politics. But our common beliefs in service and integrity unite us in common goals "beneficial to all concerned."
- **Integrity** We believe in honor and high ethical standards in both our work and our personal relationships. We strive to be fair and respectful in our dealings with others.
- **Leadership** When service, fellowship, diversity, and integrity combine in our actions, and we become responsible to our community and each other, promoting goodwill throughout the world.

Chuck Mason then administered the Oath of Office to Becky Mason. This was a historic moment in the fact that the couple will now be the first to have ever both been Presidents of our Club.

PDG Chuck Mason then administered the oath of office to the other new officers: Vice President - Vernon Pierce; Secretary - Craig Escamilla; Treasurer - Mary Ellen Robertson; Sergeant-at-arms - Pat Anderson; and President-Elect - Chad Blanchard. Immediate Past President David Locke and Presidential Advisor Chuck Mason will provide continuity and support to the board. President Mason presented each with a Rotary pin.

PDG Roger McCabe installed the Centennial Board Members: Chris Ayers, Slate Babineaux, Richard Bothel, Cindy Cherry, Marcia Crone, Steve Doblin, Joe Domino, Craig Escamilla, Ted Moor, Michael Perez, John Quigley, and John Weitzel and incoming Club Foundation Trustee - Larry Beaulieu.

Taking the podium for the first time as President, Becky Mason introduced family and friends. Recognizing the large contingent of past presidents in attendance, she thanked them for their leadership through the years and their continued participation and loyalty. Becky illustrated how the club's activities over the past century had promoted the core values of Rotary and made a strong, positive impact on our community. She challenged members to use the celebration of this milestone as an opportunity to re-energize the club and lay the foundation for another hundred years of service.