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Speakers

Nov 07, 2012 Captain G. J. Paitl, Commander,

US Coast Guard Veteran's Day Salute

Nov 07, 2012

[ROTARIAN OF THE DAY:

Joshua Taub] Ecumenical Thanksgiving Service by the Beaumont Interfaith Clergy Association

Nov 14, 2012

Dr. Al Sacco, Jr., Former NASA Astronaut-Columbia

Payload specialist on the Space Shuttle Columbia mission STS-73 in 1995

Nov 14, 2012

[ROTARIAN OF THE DAY: Mary Ellen Robertson]

Anayat House is Building!

Nov 21, 2012

No meeting today Happy Thanksgiving!

Nov 28, 2012

[ROTARIAN OF THE DAY: Ashley & Derrick Barber]

Pay it Forward Christmas Job

Nov 28, 2012

[Memorial Resolution: Norman

Lee]

Nov 28, 2012

Past President Robert J.

Robertson

The Rotary Club of Beaumont: A Powerbase for Civic Leadership since 1913

Dec 05, 2012

Barry Bryant, Chairman ROTARY GOES TO WORK

Dec 12, 2012

Kevin Roy, Chairman Holiday Party (evening event)

Dec 19, 2012

TBA - tentatively on hold

Holiday Program

Dec 26, 2012

No meeting today

Happy Holidays!

View entire list...

Club Events & Meeting Makeup Opportunties

30 Something

ROTARYGRAMS

November 7, 2012 - Vol. 100, No. 19

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PROGRAM PREVIEW November 7, 2012

"A Salute to Veterans"



Captain George "Joe" Paitl

Commanding Officer, USCG Marine Safety Office

In honor of all veterans, the Rotary Club of Beaumont will welcome Captain Joe Paitl as the speaker on Wednesday. Captain Joe plans to share stories and recognize veterans of military service. He has some special stories to share as we recognize all who have helped to keep our nation free and strong.

Captain Paitl assumed command of Marine Safety Port Arthur in July 2011. He comes to Port Arthur from his previous assignment as Deputy Commander, Sector Sault Sainte Marie, MI, during which he oversaw operations and administration of Coast Guard units in Michigan, Wisconsin, and Minnesota. He held this position from July 2008 to July 2011, while in 2010 temporarily deploying to Mobile, AL to serve as Deputy Incident Commander in response to the *Deepwater Horizon* drilling rig explosion and oil spill.

He began his military career in 1980 with the U.S. Air Force, working and flying on B-52 Bomber aircraft for ten years before transferring to the U.S. Coast Guard. He attended Coast Guard Officer Candidate School in Yorktown, VA, graduating in 1990.

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MCM Elegante, Embassy Room Nov 15, 2012 11:30 AM

Board of Directors' Meeting The Beaumont Club Nov 27, 2012 11:45 AM

ROTARY GOES TO WORK Dec 05, 2012

Holiday Party Dec 12, 2012

Rotary Youth Leadership Awards (RYLA)

Jan 11, 2013 - Jan 13, 2013

Board of Directors' Meeting The Beaumont Club Jan 22, 2013 11:45 AM

Large Club Conference MCM Elegante' and city Jan 24, 2013 - Jan 27, 2013

International Service: Nicaragua Layette Project Broussard's Event Centre Feb 11, 2013

Rotary Centennial Day on KVLU Radio Feb 22, 2013

Board of Directors' Meeting The Beaumont Club Feb 26, 2013 11:45 AM

Board of Directors' Meeting The Beaumont Club Mar 26, 2013 11:45 AM

Board of Directors' Meeting The Beaumont Club Apr 23, 2013 11:45 AM

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

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



A History in Photos

11-02-12 District Governor Brenda Walker Visits

11-02-12 Benefit Lunch at Carrabba's

10-31-12 Rebekah Maxwell, Ambassadorial Scholar

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 Following a vessel inspector training tour at Marine Inspection Office New York, NY, and deployments to the Middle East in support of Operations Desert Shield and Desert Storm, Captain Paitl was assigned as Chief, Inspections Department, Marine Safety Office, Cleveland, OH, in 1992.

Captain Paitl will be introduced by Rotarian Becky Ames.

HEAD TABLE AND MENU FOR NOVEMBER 7



Invocation - Chelsea Tipton, Musical Director/Conductor, Symphony of Southeast Texas



Pledge to the USA & Texas Flags - Connie Browning, Vice President-Small Business Banking, Bank of America



Introduction of Guests - **Craig Escamilla**, Executive Director, Symphony of Southeast Texas

Menu: salad bar, vegetable soup, Yankee pot roast, grilled chicken, mashed potatoes, peas and carrots, assorted pastries and desserts, tea and coffee

CALENDAR OF ROTARY EVENTS

(and make-up opportunities)

November 15	30 Something meeting, 11:30 - 12:30, in the Embassy room of the Elegante'; brown bag lunch
November 27	Board of Directors meeting, 11:45 a.m. at the Beaumont Club

It will soon be Veterans' Day! Please come help with Flags!

Sunday, November 11 is Veteran's Day and the Rotary Club of Beaumont will be honoring veterans while serving the community by posting flags for our subscribers. Chairman Pat Anderson needs your help and support. The group of volunteers will gather at the Boy Scout office at 5:00 a.m. and with quick and easy distribution from headquarters, the teams will complete their assignment early.



Please volunteer. Let Pat know you can help by calling 782-4057.

District 5910 Governor Brenda Walker Visits

The Governor came to visit, and she came to work! That's right, the Governor of District 5910 Brenda Walker, arrived early at Carrabba's for our fundraiser on Friday, rolled up her



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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 Chargois, BISD

08-29-12 Week: Rotary Goes Home

08-22-12 Robert Floyd, Texas Vietnam Veterans

<u>08-16-12 Rotary After Hours</u> <u>with Symphony of SETX</u>

08-08-12 John Hazen, J.D. Power & Associates

08-16-12 30 Something meeting

08-15-12 Ted Poe. Congressional District 2

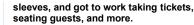
08-01-12 Ray Woodard, Lamar

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



She helped from the pre-event stage until it concluded and was thoroughly engaged with us in making money for the Beaumont Rotary Centennial Playground.



We are grateful for her interest in the club and our special project for our Centennial. She posed for a picture with Centennial President Becky Mason, Past Presidents and Governors, Chuck Mason and Roger McCabe, Sharon McCabe and Matt McCallon as they show her the playground layout and design.

Dig in for the Playground!

on Friday, November 2, 2012, was a great success!



Thank you for supporting the fundraiser. Link here to see some photos of the day.

We will earn over \$3,000 for the Beaumont Rotary Centennial Playground from this one event. We are grateful to all who sold tickets, bought tickets, helped to publicize, and enjoyed the meals

The Donor List is Growing! Have you made your gift? We need YOU to reach the 100% goal!

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Centennial President Becky Mason and Past President Chuck Mason

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Make your contribution by credit card directly to the Beaumont Rotary Foundation by linking here.



If your employer, or you as an employer, has a matching gift program, please remember to submit the paperwork as that doubles your donation.

West Brook High School Interact

The Interact Club at West Brook High School invited President Becky Mason to attend their meeting on November 1 and share the information about the Centennial Playground Project. Even though the meeting is very early in the morning, the student gathered with enthusiasm about their club and the project. They announced fundraising plans to contribute to the effort and we are looking forward to

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having them participate in actually helping us build too!



Final Opportunity

If your daughter, granddaughter, or other relative is a senior in high school, planning to participate in the 2013 Neches River Festival, please let the Rotary office know if you would like the Club to be named as the sponsoring organization.

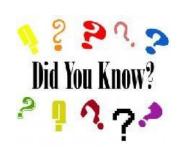


VISITORS AND ROAMING ROTARIANS ON OCTOBER 31



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

Rebekah Maxwell, speaker and guest of the Club
Debbie Maxwell, guest of the club
Josephine Forssbohm, guest of Randall Fluke
Julie Hardegree, guest of Randall Fluke
Lino Anunciacion, guest of Randall Fluke
Deketnic Love, guest of Randall Fluke
Clarissa Urban, guest of Joe Domino
Linda Domino, guest of Joe Domino
Elizabeth Maxwell, guest of Rebekah Maxwell
Dr. Darias Maggi, guest of Randall Fluke
Paul Koester from the Spindletop Club



... the first Interact Club was founded fifty years ago?

Interact clubs around the world are celebrating the 50th anniversary of the program. The first Interact Club was founded in Melbourne, Florida on November 5, 1962. Read their story at http://wp.me/p23IKB-t0 via @rotary

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Outstanding Quotes from Rotary International Presidents

"Much of the trouble in the world today is not so much the noise of the bad as it is the silence of the good."

-1977-78 International President W. Jack Davis, Rotary Club of Hamilton, Bermuda in address to the 1977 Rotary Convention in San Francisco, CA



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!



Chuck Mason November 8

PROGRAM REVIEW October 31, 2012

"My Journey and Adventures as a Rotary Ambassadorial Scholar"



Rebekah Maxwell Ambassadorial Scholar

by Rotarian John Neely

Our speaker for Rotary today was Rebekah Maxwell, Rotary Ambassadorial Scholar for 2011-12. Ms. Maxwell was introduced by Rotarian Teresa Simpson. Ms. Maxwell enthusiastically presented "My Journey and Adventures as a Rotary Ambassadorial Scholar" with pictures and stories.

While Rebekah was extremely busy earning her Masters Degree in International Marketing at the University of Strathclyde in Glasgow, Scotland, she also had the opportunity to visit and fellowship with European Rotarians.

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The Rotary Club of Glasgow was celebrating their Centennial during her time in Scotland. Rebekah stated that the Glasgow membership is male at this time, although there are 'hints' that this may change. European Rotarians seem to very involved with fundraising, although with less of a "hands-on" approach than we have in the USA. Participating in one of many fundraisers with fellow Ambassadorial Scholars, Rebekah climbed the three tallest peaks in the United Kingdom ... all within 28 hours! In addition, Ms. Maxwell took the opportunity to visit Italy (Venice), Amsterdam, Paris, London, Barcelona, and Wales. And, YES, she did attend the Olympics, a question she is frequently asked!

Rebekah credits her ability to attain her Masters degree to the earlier guidance she received at Lamar University. Graduation will take place in Scotland, in November 2012. Ms. Maxwell expressed her sincere appreciation to the Rotary Club of Beaumont for supporting her nomination and application for Ambassadorial Scholar. It was the opportunity of a lifetime.

Rebekah did not forget us while there. She presented numerous flags and memorabilia from quite a few European Rotary Clubs to our club President, Becky Mason. Rebekah is obviously proud of Rotary's support and confidence...and we believe she knows how proud we are of her.

EditorCraig Escamilla

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