



**The Rotary Club of Beaumont**

Club No. 72 - Founded February 26, 1913



## SPEAKERS

Jul 23, 2014

[Cory Crenshaw, District Attorney, Jefferson County](#)

Raising the Cost of Doing Business for Criminals

Jul 30, 2014

[District 5910 Governor Don Taylor](#)

Vision for District 5910

Aug 06, 2014

[FBI Agent \(Anonymous; no name or photos permitted\)](#)

Facts the FBI Wants You to Know

Aug 13, 2014

[Jack Gill, Managing Partner, Vanguard](#)

Intelligence, Leadership, Entrepreneurship: How They Interlink for Success

Aug 20, 2014

[Kevin Templin, NASA/Johnson Space Center](#)

Human Space Exploration

Aug 27, 2014

[Scott Dueser, Chairman/President/CEO,](#)

First Financial Bankshares, Inc. on Elder Abuse

Sep 03, 2014

## ROTARYGRAMS

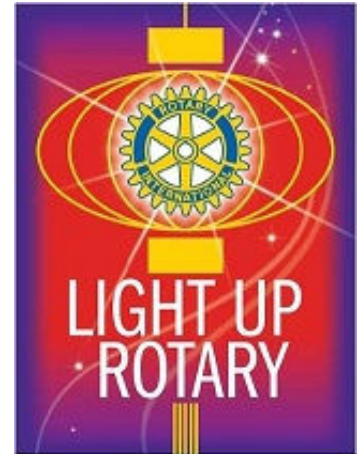
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## STORIES

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### PROGRAM PREVIEW

**July 23, 2014**

## "Raising the Cost of Doing Business for Criminals"



**The Honorable Cory Crenshaw  
Criminal District Attorney  
for Jefferson County**

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[Kathleen Jackson](#)

Texas Water Development Board

Sep 10, 2014

[Michael Truncala](#)

China's Legal System

Sep 17, 2014

[John L. Nau, III, Founder & President, Nau Found.](#)

The Nau Center for Texas Cultural Heritage

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

[Board of Directors Meeting](#)

The Beaumont Club

Jul 22, 2014 at 11:45 AM

[New Member Orientation](#)

Edison Plaza, 1st Floor Conference Room

Jul 25, 2014 at 10:30 AM

[Board Meeting with District Governor Don Taylor](#)

Jul 29, 2014

[Rotary After Hours](#)

D'Vine Winery

Aug 14, 2014 at 5:30 PM

[Board of Directors Meeting](#)

The Beaumont Club

Aug 26, 2014

[Show Your Colors Flag Project- Patriots Day](#)

Sep 11, 2014 at 5:00 AM

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## [Head Table & Menu](#)

### Head Table and Menu for July 23



#### Invocation:

**Craig Lively**

City Judge

City of Beaumont



#### Pledges to the USA & Texas Flags:

**Rod Carroll**

Deputy

Jefferson County Sheriff's Office



#### Introduction of Guests:

**Randy Fluke**

Assistant U. S. Attorney

U. S. Department of Justice

Menu: salad bar, bean soup, roast pork loin, chicken picatta, mashed potatoes and gravy, carrots, assorted pastries and desserts, tea and coffee

## [Calendar of Events](#)

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

(and meeting make-ups)

<b>July 22</b>	<b>Board of Directors Meeting at the Beaumont Club at 11:45 a.m.</b>
<b>July 25</b>	<b>New Member Orientation at Edison Plaza-1st floor Conference Room at 10:30 a.m.</b>
<b>AUGUST</b>	
<b>August 14</b>	<b>Rotary After Hours, 5:30 p.m. at D'Vine Wines, 6755 Phelan Blvd.</b>
<b>August 26</b>	<b>Board of Directors Meeting at the Beaumont Club at 11:45 a.m.</b>

## [Rotary After Hours](#)

**Rotary After Hours Resumes for 2014-15**

We never stop moving:



Southern Homes



Wathen,  
DeShong  
& Juncker,  
L.L.P.

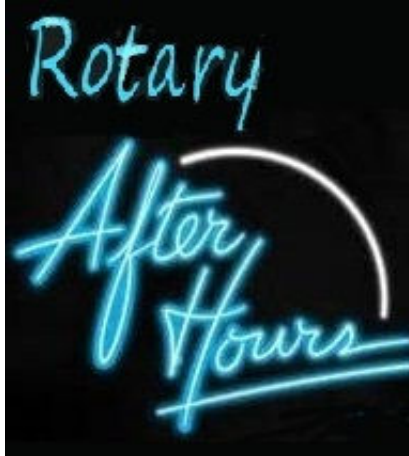


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Thursday, August 14

5:30 p.m.

D'Vine Wine

6755 Phelan Blvd.

#### Club Leadership

#### **CLUB LEADERS FOR 2014-15**

During the Installation of President Vernon Pierce, he announced the Rotarians who are assuming roles as Lane and Committee Chairs for the 2014-15 Rotary year. We thank them for their service and following the Rotary practice of never declining the opportunity to serve.

***“Great vision without great people is irrelevant.”***

-Jim Collins, *Good to Great: Why Some Companies Make the Leap....And Others Don't*

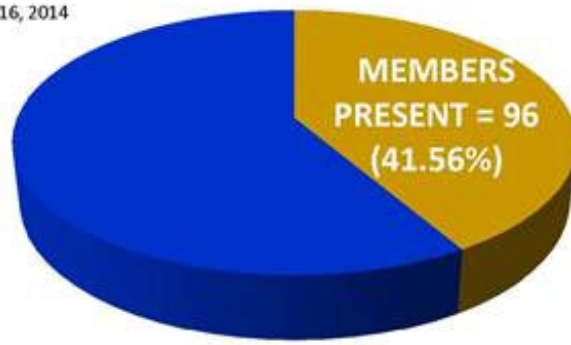
[You can access the club's organizational chart here.](#) If you are interested in working on a committee or a project, please let the chairperson know. Your service is invited and your help welcomed!

#### Attendance Report

#### **Watch Attendance Grow!**

President Vernon has said his main goal is to grow the club with increased attendance and participation in projects creating a momentum that will inherently bring new members to the club. It will take a commitment from every member to help him reach his goal. Mark your weekly calendar as "Rotary meeting" on Wednesday and come enjoy lunch, fellowship and a great program!

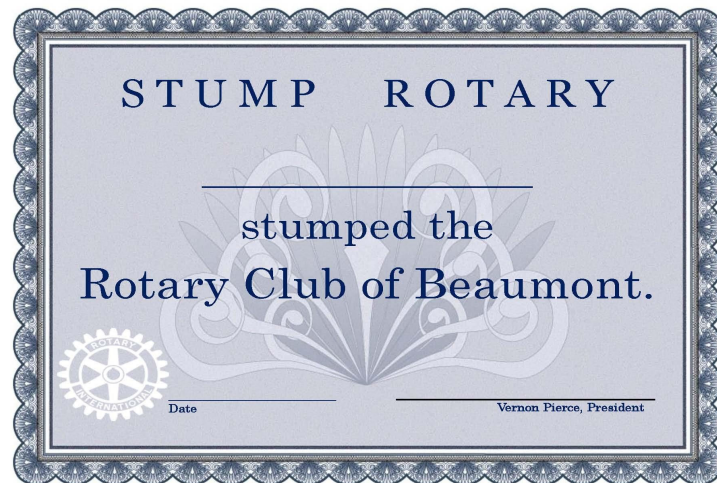
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**See you at Rotary!**

Stump Rotary!

**Can You Stump Rotary?**



President Vernon Pierce has a fun new way to increase the Foundation coffers, and you can take part too! Be the person to Stump Rotary!

Send a photo of yourself from a few years back and some hints or clues that can be shared, and if no one in the room can identify you, you will stump Rotary. The honor comes with a handsome certificate, complete with the President's signature!

If, however, the members can name who is in the photo, you will NOT stump Rotary and you will owe The Beaumont Rotary Foundation a donation of \$20 or more!

The challenge is yours!

Best Wishes

**WISHES FOR A SPEEDY RECOVERY**



We send wishes for a quick recovery to friends and fellow Rotarians who have recently been ill or had surgery.

We hope you are feeling better soon!

**Jay Johnson**  
**Chuck Kalkbrenner**  
**Russ Schultz**

(Please let us know of others who should be included in our weekly good wishes article.)

[Birthdays](#)

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY!**

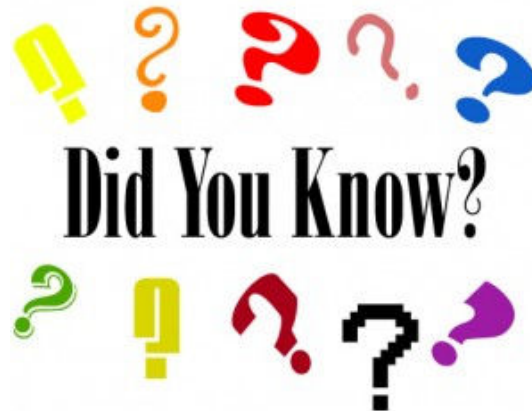


**Angela Baker**  
July 25

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**Rotary International has adopted a New Member Sponsor Recognition Program**

The New Member Sponsor Recognition Program is an exciting new initiative approved by the Rotary International Board of Directors. It honors Rotary members who sponsor new members.

A current member who sponsors one new member will receive a recognition pin with a blue backer. As additional members are sponsored, new colored backers will be awarded to signify the sponsor's achievement.

We will add the program to our club recognition of new

member sponsors also. The first pins for our club members will be presented by Governor Don Taylor during his visit on July 30.

**Sponsor a new member and wear your pin proudly!**

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## **PROGRAM REVIEW**

**July 16, 2014**

### **"Keystone Pipeline and the Canadian-US Partnership"**



**Paula Caldwell St-Onge  
Consul General**

by Rotarian John Neely

The Honourable Paula Caldwell St-Onge, Consulate General of Canada, was our Rotary Speaker today. Ms. St-Onge was introduced by W. L. Pate.

Ms. St-Onge was excited to be in Beaumont and visiting the Rotary Club of Beaumont (particularly since her dad is a Rotarian also). Ms. St-Onge employed use of a PowerPoint presentation which highlighted a tremendous partnership with the United States. Some of the points were:

Canadian imports from the USA = \$14.4 billion

Canadian exports to the USA = \$25.9 billion

\*Jobs = over 352,000 Texas jobs are supported by trade with Canada

Canada is Texas' 2nd largest export market after Mexico

Partners In Prosperity:

-Canada/United States goods and services trade totals \$734 billion, annually

-more than 8 million jobs are supported by trade with Canada  
-more than 400,000 people cross the US/Canadian border annually.

Canada's Energy Endowment stretches from their East Coast, across to their West coast, with a variety of the following products from their Provinces:

- crude oil
- natural gas
- oil sands
- crude oil pipelines
- natural gas pipelines
- nuclear energy
- uranium mine
- tidal energy
- refineries

Global crude oil reserves in Canada are ranked third by the independent Oil and Gas Journal.

Canada is the largest supplier of crude oil and petroleum products to the United States. Canada is proud of their partnership with us, and has high hopes that the US government will support the mutual blessings of the Keystone XL Pipeline Project.

The Beaumont Enterprise carried a great front page story, written by Dan Wallach, about the meeting. If you did not read it, [click here to access a copy.](#) Thank you to Janna Fulbright for arranging and the Beaumont Enterprise and the local television stations for the press coverage.

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