



The Rotary Club of Beaumont, TX, is a large and diverse fellowship of inspired business, professional, and civic leaders with significant community connections that foster the ideals of Service Above Self and high ethical standards.

## MISSION STATEMENT

## Speakers

Apr 04, 2018

[Marilyn Manson-Hayes and Company](#)

Preview of "1930's Beaumont Voices," a program of the Lamar Center for History and Culture

Apr 11, 2018

[Karen Bell, Office of British Consulate-General](#)

International Trade with the United Kingdom

Apr 18, 2018

[Youth Day!](#)

Celebrating Youth Day!: Interact Clubs, Scholarships, YSAS Awards

Apr 25, 2018

## ROTARYGRAMS

April 4, 2018

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DIFFERENCE**

## PROGRAM PREVIEW

April 4, 2018

### "1930s Beaumont Voices"

## 1930s Beaumont Voices

Monday April 23, 2018 5-7 pm. Lamar University Theatre Free.

**CHESTER A. EASLEY**  
Multimedia Performance of Depression Era essays by Chester Easley and Samuel Rosinger from Beaumont Rotary Club Archives, "Rotarygrams"

**SAMUEL ROSINGER**  
Researched, directed, & produced by Marilyn Manson-Hayes, independent researcher & Lamar University Fellow

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## Marilyn Manson-Hayes Lamar University Fellow

In the 1930s, Rotarians regularly read the musings of two members in the Rotarygrams, the Club's weekly bulletin. The writings of Chester A. Easley and Rabbi Samuel Rosinger were discovered by researcher Marilyn Manson-Hayes who found them both entertaining and interesting descriptions of the era of the Great Depression, prohibition, and Rotary's leadership in community service.

[Lynae Sanford, Managing Director,  
Lutcher Theatre](#)

A Taste of Broadway in Southeast Texas

May 02, 2018

[Chris Hebert, StormGeo](#)

2018 Hurricane Season Forecast

May 09, 2018

[Chris Draths, Director, Magnolia  
Garden Club](#)

A Birds-Eye Look into the Cattail Marsh

May 16, 2018

[John Ross, US Attorney's Office](#)

Reintegration of Felons Into Society After Release

May 23, 2018

[Dr. Ken Evans, President, Lamar  
University](#)

Think Lamar University!

May 30, 2018

[Reverend Anthony "Tony" Clark](#)

Moral Injury: The Hidden Wound of the Soldiers' Soul

Jun 13, 2018

[Dr. John Frossard, BISD  
Superintendent](#)

Students, Schools and Successes!

Jun 26, 2018

[Replaces the meeting on June 27](#)

A Toast to President Tim Sudela

Jun 27, 2018

[NO MEETING AT THE ELEGANTE](#)

[View entire list](#)

## Upcoming Events

[Board of Directors Meeting](#)

Art Museum of Southeast Texas  
Mar 27, 2018 11:45 AM

[Interact Clubs Spring Mixer](#)

West Brook High School cafeteria  
Apr 12, 2018  
6:00 PM – 8:00 PM

[Board of Directors Meeting](#)

Art Museum of Southeast Texas  
Apr 24, 2018 11:45 AM

Marilyn was selected as one of the first Fellows of The Center for History & Culture of Southeast Texas and the Upper Gulf Coast. She and her cast will be presenting a multimedia performance of the Depression Era using the essays of Rotarians Easley and Rosinger in the Rotarygrams as the basis of "1930s Beaumont Voices," one in a series of lectures for the Center at Lamar. The performance at the Rotary Club of Beaumont on April 4 will be a preview of the entire program one can enjoy by attending on April 23. Come enjoy the show!

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### Head Table for April 4

#### Invocation:



**Lynn Hill**  
Co-Owner  
NuVation Tek

#### Pledges to USA & Texas Flags:



**Jennifer Burch**  
CEO / Owner  
Best Hospice Care of Texas

#### Introduction of Guests:



**Jennifer Gregory**  
Financial Analyst  
Coburn Supply Company

*Would you like to take part in the weekly meetings in a more active role? Don't wait to be asked. Volunteer for one of the weekly assignments! Choose your role and a date that is convenient. Contact Barry Bryant at 409-656-4108 or [bbryant@billclarkbugsperts.com](mailto:bbryant@billclarkbugsperts.com).*

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## CALENDAR OF ROTARY EVENTS

*(Club events & opportunities for meeting makeups)*

### APRIL

Quarterly Service Project Committee, following Rotary Noon meeting at approximately 1:00 p.m.; "Committee at Work" table

[Board of Directors Meeting](#)  
Art Museum of Southeast Texas  
May 22, 2018 11:45 AM

[Show Your Colors Flag Project-Memorial Day](#)  
May 28, 2018 5:00 AM

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District Year-End Meeting in Dickinson

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Interact-Rotaract-Rotary Mixer; 6:00-8:00 p.m., West Brook High School Cafeteria

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Car entry in Neches River Festival Parade; 5:30 line-up at Beaumont Civic Center

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Board of Directors meeting, 11:45 a.m., Art Museum of Southeast Texas

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**OPEN** meeting (all invited) of the 2018-19 Program Committee, 5:15 p.m.; Art Museum of Southeast Texas

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Rotary After Hours, 5:30-7:00 p.m.; location TBA

27-29

District Conference in Palestine, TX

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**LAST CALL!** Are you a current club officer? Will you be an officer of the club next Rotary year? Your participation in the District 5910 Year End All Club Training is requested! **Sign up now for the event on Saturday!**

**DISTRICT 5910**  
**YEAR END ALL CLUB TRAINING**

**PURPOSE**  
Club leadership teams will discuss and refine goals for the upcoming year.

For President-Elect, President-Nominee, incoming club leaders including officers and board members

Saturday, April 7  
in Dickinson  
8:30 a.m. - Noon

Registration fee: \$10

REGISTER ON THE WEBSITE:  
[www.rotary5910.org/events](http://www.rotary5910.org/events)

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The Rotary Club of Beaumont was invited to participate in the Neches River Festival parade on Friday, April 13 in downtown



Beaumont! What a great way to get the Rotary brand out and about town!



Everyone is invited to participate by walking along the route with our decorated truck which new member, Ty Coudrain, has graciously agreed to drive for us. President-Elect Lynn Castle and Board members Randy Shelton and Brenda Gray have already volunteered to walk the route so come join in the fun!

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Skip the Easter leftovers and join the Lamar  
University Rotaract  
on Tuesday, April 3 from 5:00-10:00 p.m. at

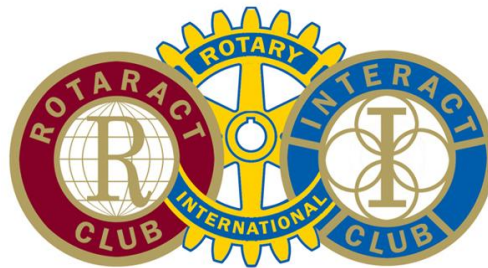


on Dowlen Road

Order dinner and tell the cashier you are there to support Lamar Rotaract! McAlister's will donate proceeds from the sales that evening to support the Lamar Rotaract Club to dig a water well in Nicaragua.

This applies to dine-in or take-out orders!

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Please join us for  
**SPRING 2018 ROTARY MIXER**  
 Benefitting our local Humane Society

**DETAILS:**

- Thursday, April 12th
- 6 PM to 8 PM
- West Brook High School Cafeteria
- Open to members of local INTERACT, ROTARACT, and ROTARY Clubs.

Pizza & Cold Drinks  
**PROVIDED**

**WHAT TO BRING:**

- Used Towels
- Bed Sheets
- Thin Blankets
- Toys & Treats
- Food (*Pedigree or Purina, please*)
- Long Format Shredded Paper
- Whole Newspaper
- Any Dog/Cat Accessory will help
- Financial Donations Appreciated

**Please bring items in boxes. Thanks!**

**FOR MORE INFORMATION**  
 Contact: Sally Andrews  
 sandrews@vidorisd.org  
 (409) 951-8713

 A photograph of a beagle dog sitting and holding a small grey kitten in its front paws.

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### Congratulations to Rotary University Graduates!

Rotary University Dean Joanne Brown was proud to award three former "Red Badges" with their Bachelor of Rotary Science degree and the coveted Blue Badge.



Kathryn Fuller (center) is joined by President Tim Sudela and Rotary University Dean Joanne Brown as she displays her diploma and Blue Badge. Congratulations, Kathryn!



Congratulations to Jennifer Gregory as she is presented with her degree and Blue Badge by President Tim Sudela. Thanks for the hard work, Jennifer!



Lynn Hill happily changed her Red Badge for a Blue as she received a Bachelor of Rotary Science Degree. Congratulations, Lynn!





Denise Berry challenges all Rotarians to join her and earn a Doctor of Rotary Science degree from Rotary University! She easily met all requirements and proudly added another acknowledgement to her badge. Congratulations, Denise!

*If you are not aware, you should know even long-time Rotarians can earn advanced degrees. Who is the next Master or Ph.D. degree candidate? Talk with Rotary University Dean, Joanne Brown, about the next step in your Rotary education.*

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If you are one of the few members who had to miss the meeting on March 7 when Dr. Sylvia Whitlock was our speaker in celebration of International Women's Day, you missed an awesome program by this very special lady who determinedly challenged Rotary International until women were welcomed into the organization, paving the way for the thousands of female Rotarians.

The good news is that Paula Bothe, President of Four Alarm Productions, was in the house! And her professional production company recorded the entire meeting for us to have to watch again and again, to remember the time Sylvia Whitlock visited Beaumont and our Rotary Club!

We will make it available for you to watch on the homepage of our website soon. Watch for it, and enjoy a video of this milestone in club history!

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**HAPPY BIRTHDAY!**



**Cheryl Williams**

April 2



**Kristi Fuselier**

April 5



**Tony Clark**

April 6



**Mitch Templeton**

April 6



**Gary Hidalgo**

April 8



**Jerre Croley**

April 9

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We send wishes for a quick recovery to our friends and fellow Rotarians who are ill, are anticipating or recovering from surgery, or just in need of encouragement and support.

**Jay Johnson  
Roger McCabe**

*If you know of others who should be added to this list, please advise the office staff at 409-842-1913.*

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## **PROGRAM REVIEW March 28, 2018**

### **"The FBI Mission and Priorities"**



**Minique Crump  
Supervisory Special Agent  
FBI - Beaumont**  
by Chuck Heare

Minique Crump is the current Supervisory Special Agent of the FBI in Beaumont. The Resident Agency of the FBI in Beaumont is part of the Houston Division and covers six counties in SE Texas. Agent Crump grew up in a dangerous neighborhood in Boston, MA, which fostered her passion for a career in criminal justice. She received a Bachelors and Master's Degree in Administration of Justice from Salve Regina University. She served in the Marine Corp as a Major. While a marine, she attended the Marine Corp University and received a Master's Degree in Staff Management and National Security. She then joined the FBI and has served in a number of locations, including Washington DC, where she worked with the Counterterrorism group. She arrived in Beaumont six and a half months ago to lead the Resident Agency here.

Agent Crump gave us an overview of the FBI, its structure, offices, number of employees, its mission and priorities. The FBI has 56 Field Offices in major cities across the country and 84 Attached Offices around the world. It currently has 36,246 employees; 13,759 of those are agents, 22,457 are support professionals.

The FBI's mission is "To protect the American people and uphold the Constitution of the United States." It has eight priorities:

- Protect the United States from terrorist attack
- Protect the United States against foreign intelligence operations and espionage
- Protect the United States against cyber-based attacks and high-technology crimes
- Combat public corruption at all levels
- Protect civil rights
- Combat transnational/national criminal organizations and enterprises
- Combat major white-collar crime
- Combat significant violent crime

The FBI, at least locally, tries to work closely with local law enforcement in all of these areas. She discussed a recent operation in which the local office helped to apprehend a suspect who was making explosive devices. One of the devices was detonated in a controlled environment, and they are working with local officials to build a case against the suspect. This operation was the result of a tip from our local crime stoppers hotline.

▶ **START SLIDESHOW**

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