



ROTARYGRAMS

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**ROTARY:
MAKING A
DIFFERENCE**

Speakers

Dec 27, 2017

[NO MEETING AT THE ELEGANTE](#)

Holiday

Jan 03, 2018

[TBA, on the](#)

Patricia Huffman Smith Columbia Space
Shuttle Museum

Jan 10, 2018

[RYLA Team](#)

Reflections of RYLA Experience

Jan 17, 2018

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

RReintegration of Felons Into Society After
Release

Jan 17, 2018

[ROTARIAN OF THE DAY: Gigi
Mazzola on](#)

"Clays for Cardio Shoot-Out" for Southeast
Texas Cardiologist Association

Jan 24, 2018

[NO MEETING AT THE ELEGANTE](#)

Tentatively "Rotary Goes to Work"

Jan 31, 2018

PROGRAM PREVIEW

December 27, 2017

[Edna Alemayehu, Advocate and Good Will Ambassador](#)

Debunking Misconceptions about Africa and Aid

Feb 07, 2018

[Chelsea Tipton, Symphony of Southeast Texas](#)

Announcing the Upcoming Symphony Season!

Feb 14, 2018

[Service Day: Rotary Has Heart!](#)

Layettes and More!

Feb 21, 2018

[Speaker TBA and Presentation of the](#)

T. Kelsey Lamb, Sr. Award for Business Ethics

Feb 28, 2018

[Mike Vaughan and Vernon Pierce, Entergy Texas](#)

Transmission Lines, New Generation Plant in Texas, and Smart Meters

Mar 07, 2018

[Sylvia Whitlock](#)

Celebrating International Women's Day - Rebekah Maxwell, Chair

Mar 14, 2018

[TBA, possible World Rotaract Week](#)

[View entire list](#)

Upcoming Events

[Board of Directors Meeting](#)

Art Museum of Southeast Texas
Dec 19, 2017 11:45 AM

[Board of Directors Meeting](#)

Art Museum of Southeast Texas
Jan 23, 2018 11:45 AM

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

Feb 19, 2018 5:00 AM

[Rotary After Hours](#)

Amelia Farms
Feb 22, 2018
5:30 PM – 7:00 PM

[Board of Directors Meeting](#)

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

**HAPPY HOLIDAYS
MAZEL TOV
MERRY
CHRISTMAS
HAPPY NEW YEAR
HAPPY HANUKKAH
SEASON'S
GREETINGS
HAPPY KWANZAA
PEACE
ON EARTH
AND GOODWILL
TOWARDS ALL**

There will not be a meeting on Wednesday, December 27.



President Tim Sudela and the entire Board of Directors wish you a very happy holiday.

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The Rotary Office will be closed Friday, December 22 through Monday, December 25.

Please send an email and/or leave a phone message at 409-842-1913.

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CALENDAR OF ROTARY EVENTS (Club participation & opportunities for meeting makeups)

DECEMBER

27

NO MEETING - HAPPY HOLIDAY

JANUARY

3
5-7

WEEKLY MEETING
SCHEDULE RESUMES

Camp RYLA!

13

Winter Wonderland and
Operation Warm - Rotarians
to distribute warm coats to
children in need in South
Park neighborhood; 1:00pm -
3:00pm; see sign up to
volunteer

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Rotary dues are due on or before December 31, 2017!



Interested in being a sponsor?
[Download the website sponsorship guide](#)

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Subscribe to our eBulletin and stay up to date on the latest news and events.

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Thank you to those who have already taken care of this business matter so promptly!

Pay online using the link on your invoice or the secure payment page ([click here](#)).

If you prefer, mail a check to:
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If you have not done so yet, please save the office staff and the Board of Directors considerable time and expense by paying your dues now!

Beaumont Rotary to Give Coats from OPERATION WARM!



On January 13, the Rotary Club of Beaumont is joining with the South Park Neighborhood Association and the Beaumont Health Coalition to host "Winter Wonderland." As you see in the picture above, it will be an afternoon of fun for the children at Alice Keith Park in South Park. The Rotary Club of Beaumont, using disaster relief donations, is purchasing and will distribute new warm winter coats and jackets to children whose families were impacted by the Harvey disaster.

Lynn Hill will chair the project and is asking for volunteers who can help with setting up and preparing, and then with distributing the coats. Plan to work the morning to prepare, or the afternoon to hand-out the coats, or both. You can begin to sign up now by clicking on the image:



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BECOME A PAUL HARRIS FELLOW OR A MULTIPLE PHF

Have you considered becoming a Paul Harris Fellow or perhaps adding another Paul Harris Fellow to those you have earned? A Paul Harris Fellow can be earned by a combined contribution of dollars and points totaling 1,000.



If you have ever given money or if money has been given in your name to The Rotary International Foundation, you have an account balance. If that balance reaches 1,000 through additional money or point contributions, you will become a Paul Harris Fellow or a multiple Paul Harris Fellow.

The Beaumont Rotary Club has points which the Board of Directors will consider using to match your contribution so that your balance plus additional contributions plus points equals 1,000. Call the Executive Director at 409-842-1913 to determine what additional contributions you must make by December 31, 2017, in order to take advantage of this offer.

All such donations are tax-deductible, but **must be received by December 31 for 2017 taxes. (Please make note that December 31 is on Sunday.)**

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You can't get better publicity than this! The Vocational Excellence Awards program was featured on a full page of the Beaumont Business Journal, December 2017.

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Thank you to all involved in helping to promote the Club's programs and projects around the community.

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Rotarians were generous with the donation of gift cards and money to purchase more cards needed for the teachers and staff of Martin Elementary school.

Board Member Brenda Gray represented the Club and visited the school on Thursday, December 14, presenting the Principal, Dr. Tamara Long, with a basket full of gifts for the 68 employees. Of course, Dr. Long was extremely grateful and expressed an abundance of thanks. Later, this message was received on Facebook:

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Lindy Dennis
December 29

Frank Eastman
December 29

Peg Towers
December 29

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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.

Jane Burns
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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We extend heartfelt sympathy to **Rotarian**

Uliana Trylowsky
on the loss of her mother
on Sunday, December 24, 2017.

Please remember Uliana, her father, son Dennis, and daughter Natalia, in your prayers. They were all involved in a car accident in Vancouver, Canada. Her father and daughter are still hospitalized at this time.

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Rotary
Club of Beaumont



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**

Adopted by the Board of Directors on November 28, 2017

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