

# Rotary Club of Palestine Roster

Abrahamson, Mike(2009)(Kathy) ..... Retail:Electronics Sales  
 Absey, Jumah (2009)(Linda) ..... Medicine: Optometry  
 Anderson, Brad (1999) ..... Finance Banking  
 Anderson, George\* (2006)(Joyce) ..... Data Processing  
 Bailey, Thomas\* (1962)(Ann Lynn) ..... Funeral Home Director  
 Barnard, David\* (1988)(Pam) ..... Fire Insurance  
 Beazley, Brenda\* (2002)(Jack) ..... Finance:Mortgage Loans  
 Beck, Robert (2005) (Bev) ..... Law/Estate Law  
 Bhatt, Sameer (2006)(Sangita) ..... Hotel Management  
 Bolton, Raben (1986)(Debbie) ..... Business Services:CPA  
 Boone, Jr., James C.\* (1979)(Chauncey) ..... Civil Law  
 Braun, Ken\*(2002)(Ann) ..... Bank Loan Officer  
 Buhl,Will\*(2002)(Louise) ..... Commercial Printing  
 Byrd, Jordan (2011)(Stevie) ..... Minister:First Christian  
 Campbell, Harold\*(2006)(Deb) ..... Insurance:Life  
 Connor, Gary \*(2004)(Ann) ..... Newspaper Publishing  
 Davis, Dan\* (1986)(Ruth) ..... Real Estate Agency  
 Davis, Don C.\* (1962)(Jean) ..... Elementary Education  
 Davis, James \*(2002)(Jane) ..... Retail Office Supplies  
 Davis, Mark\* (1998) ..... Finance:Banking  
 Davis, Mike (2009) ..... Law: Civil  
 Doran, Jeff \*(1998)(Cheryl) ..... Corporate Law  
 Dorsett, John (1996)(Dixie) ..... Chiropratic  
 Dugan, Lannie (2011)(Amie) ..... Restaurant Management  
 Fain, Connie (2008)(Woody) ..... Finance:Trust Dept.  
 Fontaine, Jerry (2007) ..... Civil Engineering  
 Freeman, Bobby (1993)(Sarah Jane) ..... Family Law  
 George, Alan (2011)(Kelly An) ..... Medicine:Hospital Admin.  
 Gooze, Hank (2011) ..... Boy Scouts:District Admin.  
 Grizzle, Sharon \*(1998)(Burl) ..... Motel Administration  
 Hanson, Jerry\*(2001)(Ava) ..... Civil Law  
 Harris, Haywood \*(1999)(Anne) ..... Food Retailing  
 Hay, Bruce\* (2008) (Carol) ..... Minister:Methodist  
 Henderson, Mark \*(1996)(Shelia) ..... Electric Motor Repair  
 Hendricks, David (2011)(Melissa) ..... YMCA Director  
 Hennessee, David (2007) (Becky) ..... Finance:Banking  
 Herrington, Carol\* (2004)(Albert) ..... Public Library Director  
 Herrington, Kurt (2008)(Christi) ..... Funeral Home Director  
 Herrington, Rhonda\* (1998) ..... Education:Cur.Director  
 Hill, Meghan(2011)(Matt) ..... Chamber of Commerce  
 Holmes, Albert\* (2003)(Betty) ..... Finance:Mortgage Lender  
 Howell, Angela (2011) ..... Wholesale Beverage  
 House, Lance\*(2007) ..... Home for the Aged: Administration  
 Jackson, J Don \*(2001)(Hannas) ..... Medicine:Surgery  
 Jenkins, Phil \*(1974)(Sharon) ..... Oil Field Construction  
 Johnson, Phil (2011)(Mona) ..... Business Services: Employee Testing  
 Johnston, Robert (2009) (Jacque) ..... Agriculture: Ranching  
 Jones, Greg (2001)(Nelda) ..... Wholesale Beverage  
 Kenderdine, Stewart \*(1979)(Jane) ..... Insurance: Life  
 Kozik, Tim \*(2006)(Leah) ..... Home for Aged Mgmt.

Kraft, Jamie (2010)(Ellen) ..... Attorney: Corporate Law  
 Kuykendall, Ken (2011)(Virginia) ..... Physician: Retired  
 LaRue, Rusty\* (1989)(Ellen) ..... Casualty Insurance  
 Laudadio, Greg (2011)(Renee) ..... City Admin: Finance  
 Leslie, Zac (2007)(Brittany) ..... Chiropratic Care  
 Lowe, Doug \*(2004)(Diane) ..... Criminal Law  
 Lyman, Ed (2008)(Terrye) ..... Education: Administration  
 Martine, Lee Ann (2010)(Paul) ..... Heating and Air Conditioning  
 Marshall, Jason (2011)(Shanna) ..... Education: Administration  
 Mays, Tammy (2010)(Cindy) ..... Computer Sales  
 McGuire, Kimberly (2009)(Jon) ..... Insurance:Property  
 Miller, Robert H.\* (1967)(Rosemary) ..... Rail Freight Claims  
 Mollard Jean\*(2006) ..... Wholesale & Retail Sales  
 Newton, Jerry\* (1984)(Kathrine) ..... Medicine:Urology  
 Nowlin, Jerry \*(1999)(Hollie) ..... Bank Trust Officer  
 Ohrt, Michael (2011)(Brandy) ..... Government: City Manager  
 Page, Michael (2010) ..... Transportation: Management  
 Parkinson, Lee\*(2008) ..... Broadcasting-General Manager  
 Parsons, Brick (2010)(Shelly) ..... Finance:Investment Broker  
 Parsons, James \*(1997)(Karen) ..... Civil Trial Law  
 Paxton, Martha (2009)(Cesar) ..... Real Estate  
 Priest, Lisa\*(2011)(John) ..... Business Services: Advertising  
 Redden, Kathy (2009)(Wes) ..... Employment Services  
 Saegert, Elizabeth (2011) ..... Government: City Finance  
 Safford, Lisa\* (2007)(Ron) ..... Finance:Investment Broker  
 Safford, Ron\* (2003)(Lisa) ..... Hospital Administration  
 Selden, Jr., Jack K.\* (1972) ..... Civil Trial Assistant  
 Shuffler, Sloan\* (2003)(Clifton New) ..... Bus. Services:CPA  
 Snow, Robert \*(1997)(Sherry) ..... Auto Parts: Accessories  
 Spencer, Steve M.\* (1981)(Jackie) ..... Business:Accounting  
 Summers, A.Hugh \*(1974)(Ahnise) ..... Real Estate Law  
 Taylor, Greg \*(2005)(Barbara) ..... Govt/County Law Enforcement  
 Thomason, Mike \*(1994)(Judy) ..... AC Service and Repair  
 Thompson, Scott \*(1999)(Paula) ..... Investment Broker  
 Thorn, Terry M. (2000)(Jessie) ..... Law:Real Estate  
 Varela, Fernando\*(1995) ..... Automobile Retailing  
 Wages, Carson\*(2001)(Sherry) ..... Real Estate Appraisal  
 Walker, Brenda\* (2000)(Stack) ..... Utility Management  
 Walton, Linda\*(2002)(Sid) ..... Innkeeper  
 Watson, Jeff (2011) ..... College of Education  
 Weber, Larry \*(2001)(Ellen) ..... Bus. Services:Income Tax  
 Webster, Simon (2011) ..... Restaurant  
 Welty, Ted (2009)(Ann) ..... Minister: Episcopal  
 Westmoreland, Jeanette (2006)(Danny) ..... Adv:Custom Design  
 Whitaker, Stuart \*(2001) ..... Law:General Practice  
 Willhite, Leon \*(2004)(Lynn) ..... Gov't Planning Service  
 Williams, Cad \*(1975)(Francis) ..... Commercial Banking

^ Past President

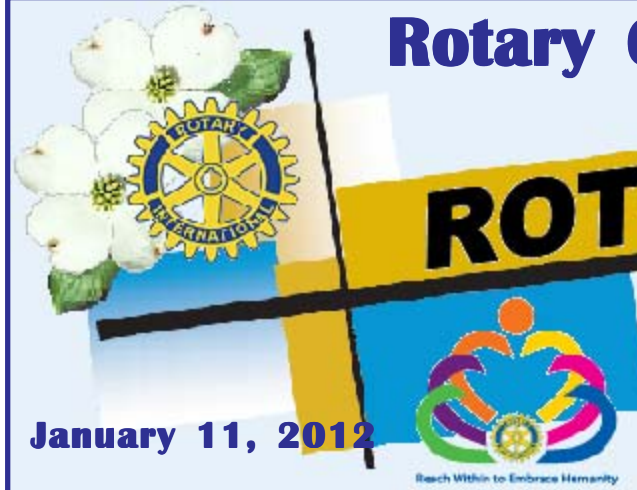
\* Paul Harris Fellow

## Makeup Opportunities

**ROTARY CLUB of SOUTH TYLER**  
 First Christian Church ..... Mon-Noon  
**ROTARY CLUB of FAIRFIELD**  
 Sams Restaurant (i45) ..... Tues-Noon  
**ROTARY CLUB of JACKSONVILLE**  
 Sadlers Restaurant ..... Wed-Noon  
**ROTARY CLUB of RUSK**  
 Cherokee Fed Credit Union ..... Wed-Noon

**ROTARY CLUB of ATHENS**  
 Athens Country Club ..... Thurs-Noon  
**ROTARY CLUB of CROCKETT**  
 North 3rd Street ..... Thurs-Noon  
**EHS Interact Club** ..... TBA  
**PHS Interact Club** ..... TBA  
**WHS Interact Club** ..... TBA

# Rotary Club of Palestine



January 11, 2012



**Palestine Rotary Meeting**  
 Wednesday–Noon–Ben E. Keith Community  
 Room–Palestine, Texas

P. O. Box 612 • Palestine, Texas 75802-0612  
 Club Website: [www.palestinerotaryclub.org](http://www.palestinerotaryclub.org)

## 2011-2012 Club Officers

President ..... Ron Safford  
 President Elect ..... Michael Thomason  
 Secretary ..... LeeAnn Martine  
 Treasurer ..... Sloan Shuffler

## DIRECTORS

Membership ..... John Dorsett  
 Club Service ..... Carson Wages  
 Public Relations .... Kimberly McGuire  
 Foundation ..... Linda Walton  
 Director at Large ..... Hugh Summers  
 Director at Large ..... Carson Wages  
 Director at Large ..... Brenda Walker  
 Past President ..... Carol Herrington  
 Programs ..... Alan George  
 Sgt. at Arms ..... Kurt Herrington  
 Bulletin Editor ..... Rhonda Herrington

**Founded June, 1913**  
**Eighth Oldest**  
**Rotary Club in Texas**

## 2010-2011 DISTRICT OFFICERS

RI President  
 Kalyan Banerjee  
 5910 District Governor  
 Ulli Budelmann  
 Asst. District Governor  
 Rhonda Herrington  
 5910 District Governor Elect  
 2012-2013  
 Brenda Walker  
 5910 District Governor  
 Nominee 2013-2014  
 Dave Johnson

## Four Way Test

Of the things we think, say or do:  
 Is it the **TRUTH**?  
 Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?  
 Will it build **GOODWILL** and **BETTER**  
**FRIENDSHIPS**?  
 Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### January

- 18 Organ Donor Program - Sherry Denson Sellers
- 25 Charles Foster - "The Need for Immigration Reform"

## SERVICE CALENDAR

### January 11, 2011

- Greeter** Ken Braun
- Attendance** Mike Thomason & Connie Fain
- Guest List** Brad Anderson
- Song/Flag** Leon Willhite
- Invocation** Jack Selden
- Introduction** Martine, LeeAnn

### January 18, 2011

- Greeter** Lannie Dugan
- Attendance** Hank Googe & David Hennesee
- Guest List** Mark Davis
- Song/Flag** Jerry Newton
- Invocation** Sharon Grizzle
- Introduction** Martha Paxton

## Club Guest from January 4th

Robert Herbert ..... Mike Ohrt  
Larry Deaton ..... Michael Page  
Chuck Corb ..... Palestine HS  
Billie Fitts ..... Elkhart HS

## January Jr. Rotarians

David Johnson ..... Elkhart HS  
John Pyle ..... Elkhart HS  
Joshua Clayton ..... Palestine HS  
Roberto Cienfuegos ..... Palestine HS  
Sierra Westley ..... Westwood HS  
Michael Betterton ..... Westwood HS

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### TODAY'S PROGRAM



### What Happened Last Week

■ **Ron Safford - 2011 Rotary Club Review**  
President Ron showed his resilience and adaptability to start the New Year. Faced with a luncheon without a luncheon, he rallied the troops, re-ordered lunch, and started the meeting anyway. He presided over a Mini-Club Assembly by having club officers report on the club's progress during the first six months of this club year. And just as it seemed we would all go home hungry, the caterer showed up and we were served (saved). In doing such a Good job, President Ron may have inadvertently started a new trend for our meetings. Most of us like the old format, however, but as he showed, we are amenable to change.

■ **We missed you last week:**  
David Barnard, Sameer Bhatt, Gary Connor, Don Davis, James Davis, Mark Davis, Mike Davis, Jeff Doran, John Dorsett, Hank Googe, Sharon Grizzle, Mark Henderson, Kurt Herrington, Don Jackson, Phil Jenkins, Stewart Kenderdine, Jamie Kraft, Zac Leslie, Doug Lowe, Tammy Mays, Robert Miller, Jean Mollard, Jerry Nowlin, Brick Parsons, Lisa Priest, Lisa Safford, Carson Wages, and Larry Weber.

### Birthdays & Anniversaries

Linda Walton ..... January 15th

## ROTARY INTERNATIONAL



### President's Message

#### Kalyan Banerjee

#### My dear brothers and sisters in Rotary,

At Arlington National Cemetery outside Washington, D.C., stands a memorial to the Seabees, formally known as the U.S. Naval Construction Force. An inscription reads, "With willing hearts and skillful hands, the difficult we do at once; the impossible takes a bit longer."

In Rotary, we already have our own mottoes. If we didn't, I might be given to nominate those two lines. The power of combined effort, as Paul Harris once wrote, knows no limitation. When we work together, the impossible becomes possible.

My friends, the day that polio will be eradicated is close at hand. We have to be ready for it with a powerful Rotary – a Rotary of enthusiasm and confidence, of bold vision and clear ambitions. It is time for us to prepare by taking an honest look at our clubs. Are our projects meaningful, sustainable, and relevant? Are our meetings productive and enjoyable? Are our clubs welcoming to new members, and are our schedules and events friendly to young families? And once people join us, do we welcome them properly, involve them enough? Do we make them a part of the family of Rotary quickly enough?

The figures tell us that while enough new individuals join Rotary every year and everywhere, too many exit Rotary, on an ongoing basis. What unfulfilled hope do they leave with? What expectations are we not meeting? Can we do more and better?

Now is the time to focus our energies on our clubs, and on the way people see them. It is time to show our communities that the Rotary of today is not the Rotary of their preconceptions. Rotary is a way to connect, to do more, to be more – it is a way to take our idealism and our vision, and turn them into reality.

## SONG OF THE DAY

### "When Rotarians Go Marching In"

Oh, when Rotarians go marching in,  
Oh, when Rotarians go marching in,  
Yes, I want to be in that number,  
When Rotarians go marching in.

Oh, when we meet at Rotary  
Oh, when we meet at Rotary,  
Yes, I want to be in that number,  
When we meet at Rotary.



Today's Meal  
provided by  
Ranch House



Great news!!  
We are at \$198.75 million of the \$200 Gates Foundation Challenge. Looks like we will exceed it by RI Convention.  
Pass it on!!