

# Rotary Club of Palestine Roster

Abrahamson, Mike * (2009)(Kearly) .....	Retail:Electronics Sales	Kraft, Janie (2010)(Ellen) .....	Attorney: Corporate Law
Absy, Jumah (2009)(Linda) .....	Medicine: Optometry	Kuykendall, Ken (2011)(Virginia) .....	Physician: Retired
Anderson, Brad (1999) .....	Finance Banking	LaRue, Rusty * (1989)(Ellen) .....	Casualty Insurance
Anderson, George * (2006)(Joyce) .....	Data Processing	Laudadio, Greg (2011)(Renee) .....	City Admin: Finance
Bailey, Thomas * (1963)(Ann Lynn) .....	Funeral Home Director	Lastie, Zac (2007)(Britany) .....	Chiropractic Care
Barnard, David * (1988)(Pam) .....	Fire Insurance	Love, Doug * (2004)(Diane) .....	Criminal Law
Beazley, Brenda * (2002)(Jack) .....	Finance:Mortgage Loans	Lyman, Ed * (2008)(Terre) .....	Education: Administration
Beck, Robert (2005) (Bea) .....	Law/Estate Law	Martine, Lee Ann * (2010)(Paul) .....	Heating and Air Conditioning
Bhatt, Sameer * (2006)(Sangita) .....	Hotel Management	Marshall, Jason (2011)(Shanna) .....	Education: Administration
Bolton, Raben (1986)(Debbie) .....	Business Services:CPA	Mays, Tammy (2010)(Cindy) .....	Computer Sales
Boone, Jr., James C. * (1979)(Chaucney) .....	Civil Law	McGuire, Kimberly * (2009)(Jon) .....	Insurance:Property
Branan, Ken (2002)(Ann) .....	Bank Loan Officer	Miller, Robert H. * (1967)(Rosemary) .....	Rail Freight Claims
Buhl, Will * (2002)(Lanita) .....	Commercial Printing	Molland Jean (2006) .....	Wholesale Retail Sales
Byrd, Jordan (2011)(Steve) .....	Minister:First Christian	Newton, Jerry * (1984)(Kathrine) .....	Medicine:Urology
Campbell, Harold * (2006)(Deb) .....	Insurance:Life	Nowlin, Jerry * (1999)(Hollie) .....	Bank Trust Officer
Connor, Gary * (2004)(Amy) .....	Newspaper Publishing	Oirt, Michael (2011)(Brandi) .....	Government: City Manager
Davis, Dan * (1986)(Ruth) .....	Real Estate Agency	Jennifer Page (2012) .....	Call Center, Account Manager
Davis, Don C. * (1962)(Jean) .....	Elementary Education	Page, Michael (2010) .....	Transportation: Management
Davis, James * (2002)(Jane) .....	Retail Office Supplies	Parsons, Brick (2010)(Stehly) .....	Finance:Investment Broker
Davis, Mark * (1998) .....	Finance:Banking	Parsons, James * (1997)(Karen) .....	Civil Trial Law
Davis, Mike * (2009) .....	Law: Civil	Paxton, Martha (2009) .....	Real Estate
Doran, Jeff * (1998)(Cheryl) .....	Corporate Law	Prest, Lisa (2011)(John) .....	Business Services: Advertising
Dorsett, John * (1996)(Dixie) .....	Chiropractic	Redden, Kathy * (2009)(Fes) .....	Employment Services
Dugan, Lannette (2011)(Aime) .....	Restaurant Management	Reard, Brandi (2012) .....	Physician, Internal Medicine
Ellis, Wendy (2012) .....	Economic Development	Roberson, Jeffrey (2012) .....	Photography
Fain, Conale (2008)(Wood) .....	Finance:Trust Dept.	Saeget, Elizabeth (2011) .....	Government: City Finance
Fitts, Billie (2012) .....	Education	Safford, Lisa * (2007)(Ron) .....	Finance:Investment Broker
Fontaine, Jerry (2007) .....	Civil Engineering	Safford, Ron * (2003)(Lana) .....	Hospital Administration
Freeman, Bobby (1993)(Sarah June) .....	Family Law	Selden, Jr., Jack K. * (1972) .....	Civil Trial Assistant
George, Alan (2011)(Kelly Ann) .....	Medicine:Hospital Admin.	Shuffler, Sloan * (2003)(Cliffon New) .....	Bus. Services:CPA
Googe, Hank (2011) .....	Boy Scouts:District Admin.	Snow, Robert * (1997)(Sherry) .....	Business:Accounting
Grizle, Sharon * (1998)(Burr) .....	Motel Administration	Spencer, Steve M. * (1981)(Jackie) .....	Business:Accounting
Hanson, Jerry * (2001)(Ava) .....	Civil Law	Stewart, Rob (2012) .....	Oilfield Exploration
Harts, Haywood * (1999)(Aime) .....	Food Retailing	Summers, A.Hugh * (1974)(Anita) .....	Real Estate Law
Hay, Bruce * (2008) (Carol) .....	Minister:Methodist	Taylor, Greg * (2005)(Barbara) .....	Govt/County Law Enforcement
Henderson, Mark * (1996)(Sheila) .....	Electric Motor Repair	Thompson, Mike * (1994)(Ludy) .....	AC Service and Repair
Hendricks, David (2011)(Melissa) .....	YMCA Director	Thompson, Scott * (1999)(Paula) .....	Investment Broker
Hennessey, David (2007)(Becky) .....	Finance:Banking	Thorn, Terry M. (2000)(Leslie) .....	Law:Real Estate
Herrington, Carol * (2004)(Albert) .....	Public Library Director	Varla, Ferrando * (1995) .....	Automobile Retailing
Herrington, Kurt (2008)(Christi) .....	Funeral Home Director	Wages, Carson * (2001)(Sherry) .....	Real Estate Appraisal
Herrington, Rhonda * (1998) .....	Education:Cur Director	Walker, Brenda * (2000)(Stacy) .....	Utility Management
Hill, Meghan(2011)(Kari) .....	Chamber of Commerce	Walton, Linda * (2002)(Sid) .....	Inspeper
Holmes, Albert * (2003)(Betty) .....	Finance:Mortgage Lender	Watson, Jeff (2011) .....	College of Education
Howell, Angela (2011) .....	Wholesale Beverage	Weber, Larry * (2001)(Ellen) .....	Bus. Services:Income Tax
Jackson, J Don * (2001)(Hanna) .....	Medicine:Surgery	Webster, Simon (2011) .....	Restaurant
Jenkins, Phil * (1974)(Sharon) .....	Oil Field Construction	Wells, Ted (2009)(Amy) .....	Minister: Episcopal
Johnson, Phil (2011)(Aron) .....	Business Services: Employee Testing	Westmoreland, Jeanette * (2006)(Danny) .....	Adv:Custom Design
Johnson, Robert (2009) (Jacquie) .....	Agriculture: Ranching	Whitaker, Stuart * (2001) .....	Law:General Practice
Jones, Greg (2001)(Nedra) .....	Wholesale Beverage	Willhite, Leon * (2004)(Lynn) .....	Gov't Planning Service
Kendredine, Stewart * (1979)(Ane) .....	Insurance: Life	Williams, Cad * (1975)(Francis) .....	Commercial Banking
Kozik, Tim * (2006)(Leah) .....	Home for Aged Mgmt.		

## Makeup Opportunities

<b>ROTARY CLUB of SOUTH TYLER</b>	Mon- Noon
First Christian Church	Mon- Noon
<b>ROTARY CLUB of FAIRFIELD</b>	Tues- Noon
Sams Restaurant (45)	Tues- Noon
<b>ROTARY CLUB of JACKSONVILLE</b>	Wed- Noon
Sadlers Restaurant	Wed- Noon
<b>ROTARY CLUB of RUSK</b>	Wed- Noon
Cherokee Fed Credit Union	Wed- Noon

<b>ROTARY CLUB of ATHENS</b>	Thurs- Noon
Athens Country Club	Thurs- Noon
<b>ROTARY CLUB of CROCKETT</b>	Thurs- Noon
North 3rd Street	Thurs- Noon
<b>EHS Interact Club</b>	TBA
PHS Interact Club	TBA
WHS Interact Club	TBA

# Rotary Club of Palestine

## ROTO-VIEWS



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  
Web Master ..... Lisa Priest

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

## 2011-2012 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?



**President Ron  
End of Year**

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**JUNE**

- 23** Installation of Brenda Walker as District Governor 2012-2013
- 27** Installation of 2012-2013 Officers

**NEW DUES STRUCTURE**

Beginning July 1st, the new monthly dues amount will be \$114.00. For the next 10 months, \$10.00 will be added each month to help offset the cost of the District Conference being held in Palestine.

**SONG OF THE DAY  
"Vive Le Rotary"**

Let all good Rotarians stand up and sing.  
Vive le Rotary!  
With service and love let this song loudly ring.  
Vive le Rotary!  
Vive le, Vive le Rotary! Vive le, Vive le Rotary!  
Truth is our right, Love is our might.  
Vive le Rotary!

An honest day's work is a duty we claim.  
Vive le Rotary!  
And truth in our business will honor our name.  
Vive le Rotary!  
Vive le, Vive le Rotary! Vive le, Vive le Rotary!  
Truth is our right, Love is our might.  
Vive le Rotary!

**What Happened Last Week**

**LAST WEEKS PROGRAM**

City Manager **Michael Ohrt** and City Finance Director, **Elizabeth Saeger**, gave their classification talks. Both bring impressive



resumes to their respective jobs; both bring strong biographies to support those resumes. The City of Palestine is indeed fortunate to have individuals of this caliber working for us. And our club is so similarly fortunate to have them as members. Again, Classification Talks continue to be great programs, as these two prove. Also very unusual to have such closely related classifications presented on the same program. Thanks **Mike** and **Elizabeth** for splendid presentations.

**PAUL HARRIS FELLOW**

**Sameer Bhatt** was called up by **President Ron** to receive his **Paul Harris** fellowship. All of the club is pleased with each new member so inducted. Thanks, **Sameer**, from the entire club.



**SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS**

Two scholarship recipients-**Nicoli Morgan** and **D'Metria Lacy**-visited us to personally thank the club for the scholarships just awarded them. They confirm that the club is doing something very special-changing lives-with these awards. Makes us proud of Rotary and especially proud of these two young people

**EVERY  
ROTARIAN  
EVERY  
YEAR**

**BIRTHDAYS and ANNIVERSARIES**

- Kurt Herrington** ..... June 25th
- Fernando Varela** ..... June 25th
- Junah & Linda Absy** ..... June 21st

**HISTORIC MOMENTS: Why the Rotary year begins July 1**

Ever wonder why the Rotary year begins 1 July? The international convention initially played a key role in determining the start date of our fiscal and administrative year.

Rotary's first fiscal year began the day after the first convention ended, on 18 August 1910. The 1911-12 fiscal year also related to the convention, beginning with the first day of the 1911 convention on 21 August. At its August 1912 meeting, the Board of Directors ordered an audit of the International Association of Rotary Clubs' finances. The auditors recommended that the organization end its fiscal year on 30 June to give the secretary and treasurer time to prepare a financial statement for the convention and board, and determine the proper number of club delegates to the convention.

The executive committee concurred, and at its April 1913 meeting, designated 30 June as the end of the fiscal year. This also allowed for changes to the schedule for reporting club membership and payments. Even *The Rotarian* changed its volume numbering system to correspond to the fiscal year (beginning with vol. 5, July 1914).

Rotary continued to hold its annual conventions in July or August until 1917. Delegates to the 1916 event in Cincinnati, Ohio, USA, approved a resolution to hold future conventions in June, mainly because of the heat in cities where most of them occurred. The next one was held 17-21 June in Atlanta, Georgia. The term "Rotary year" has been used to signify Rotary's annual administrative period since at least 1913. Since the executive committee's decision in 1913, the end of the Rotary year has remained 30 June.

**ROTARY INTERNATIONAL**

**FELLOWSHIP MONTH**

**Weekly Update: Shutterbugs find a picture-perfect way to develop skills and friendships**

You don't have to be skilled with a camera to enjoy Rotary's newest fellowship, the International Fellowship of Rotarian Photographers. The fellowship, which was recognized by the RI Board of Directors in January, counts amateur and professional photographers among its members, as well as those who have an appreciation for photography.



"Our group is open to anyone at any skill level, from point-and-shoot beginners to longtime professionals," says **Layne Marshal**, a member of the Rotary Club of Campbell River Daybreak, British Columbia, Canada, who chairs the fellowship. "We have 65 members on our membership list in Canada, the United States, Europe, Australia, and India, but that list is probably incomplete."

**Marshal**, an amateur photographer, was interested in joining a fellowship where he could meet other Rotarians and sharpen his skills, but found that there wasn't such a group. After learning that others had attempted to form a photography fellowship, he worked with them to file the appropriate paperwork with RI.

As a newer group, the fellowship is still developing activities, but it has an online forum for members to share advice, ask and answer questions, or otherwise discuss photography. It is also building a website for members to display their work, receive or offer critiques, and take part in competitions.