

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* (1963)(Ann Lynn) Funeral Home Director
 Barnard, David* (1988)(Pam) Fire Insurance
 Beazley, Brenda* (2002)(Jack) Finance:Mortgage Loans
 Beck, Robert (2005) (Bew) 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
 Ellis, Wendy (2012) Eeconomic Development
 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.
 Googe, 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
 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: Adminstrator
 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
 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
 Ricard, Brandy (2012) Physician, Internal Medicine
 Roberson, Jeffrey (2012) Photography
 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



March 14, 2012

Palestine Rotary Meeting

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

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 Club Website: 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

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?



TODAY'S PROGRAM

Gaurav Aggarwala, MD
Interventional
Cardiology

UPCOMING EVENTS

MARCH

- 15 Club Board Meeting
- 21 Carol Herrington/Willi Buhl Presentation
- 28 Texas Dept. of Agriculture Commissioner Todd Staples

APRIL

- 04 TBA
- 11 Michael Gray, Sculptor
- 18 Academic Olympics - Trial Run

SERVICE CALENDAR

March 14, 2012

- Greeter** New Members
- Attendance** Phil Johnson & Connie Fain
- Guest List** Scott Thompson
- Song/Flag** Leon Willhite
- Invocation** Tommy Bailey
- Introduction** Ron Safford

March 21, 2012

- Greeter** New Members
- Attendance** David Hennesse & Sloan Shuffler
- Guest List** Simon Webster
- Song/Flag** Rhonda Herrington
- Invocation** Sharon Grizzle
- Introduction** Ron Safford

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What Happened Last Week

LAST WEEK'S PROGRAM

Brenda Walker introduced PDG **Dave McSpadden**, a 28-year Rotarian, and a forty-year Hotel builder. PDG McSpadden told of his exit from the commercial building industry into the motivational speaker profession, by presenting an inspiring and motivational summary of the transition. Using a parachute as a metaphor for one's life, McSpadden discussed the major factors in setting our moral, physical, and emotional standards. Reminding us that we determine our own destiny, he noted that we may regret more the things that we didn't do, than the things we did. Always a pleasure to have a Rotary District Governor in our midst.

CLUB FUNDRAISER

Lisa Safford announced that the Tennis Ball Roll will be held April 21st at the Willow Creek Business Park from 2:00-4:00p.m.

DOGWOOD TRAILS PARADE

Simon Webster, float master, gave the club his vision for the Rotary float for the annual Dogwood Trails parade. Great idea. Now he asks our help in bringing it to fruition. Tonight (March 14) is the initial building conference.

NEW MEMBER

PDG **Hugh Summers** introduced our newest member, **Jeffrey Roberson**. President Ron did his usual outstanding job in formally inducting Jeffrey into the club. Jeffrey is a former resident, and has returned to Palestine. His classification is Photography. Great to have you back, Jeffrey.

FIRESIDE CHAT

John Dorsett announced that the Fireside Chat for Red Badge Members has been postponed until Thursday, March 29th.

District All Club Training Assembly

Members of our club attended the All Club Training Assembly Saturday, Mar. 10th.

MARCH. ROTARIANS

Britanni Johnson	Elkhart HS
Chancy Brymer	Elkhart HS
Vizel Aleman	Palestine HS
Roberto Equia	Palestine HS
Zac Taylor	Westwood HS
Metria Lacy	Westwood HS

CLUB GUESTS FROM MARCH 7th

Bill Campbell	Hugh Summers
Jennifer Page	LeeAnn Martine
Linda Asquith	Sharon Grizzle
Chuck Corb	Palestine HS
Billie Fitts	Elkhart HS

WE MISSED YOU LAST WEEK

Brad Anderson, Sameer Bhatt, Raben Bolton, Jordan Byrd, Harold Campbell, James Davis, Mike Davis, Jeff Doran, Lannie Dugan, Wendy Ellis, Jerry Hanson, Haywood Harris, Bruce Hay, Mark Henderson, Meghan Hill, Don Jackson, Phil Jenkins, Phil Johnson, Jamie Kraft, Ken Kuykendall, Jason Marshall, Tammy Mays, Kimberly McGuire, Jerry Nowlin, Brick Parsons, Jim Parsons, Lisa Priest, Steve Spencer, Terry Thorn, Fernando Varela, Carson Wages, and Larry Weber

SONG OF THE DAY

"You Are My Sunshine"

You are my sunshine, my only sunshine
You make me happy, when skies are gray
You'll never know dear, how much I love you
Please don't take my sunshine away.

The other night dear,
As I lay sleeping.
I dreamt' I held you in my arms.
When I awoke dear, I was mistaken
So I hung my head down and cried.



ROTARY INTERNATIONAL

Weekly Update: Dolly Parton helps Rotarians Spread Literacy

It can be hard to find books in Canada's vast Yukon. Claire Derome, 2009-10 president of the Rotary Club of Whitehorse-Rendezvous, knows of only one bookstore outside the capital, and in remote areas, access to libraries is also limited. Derome wanted to launch a literacy project that would reach all Yukon communities, and she found one in Dolly Parton's Imagination Library.

Every month, Imagination Library mails an age-appropriate book to each child in the program, until age five. Research showed that up to 85 percent of families receiving books through the program read to their children every day.

Derome, who has a graduate degree in education, did not need more convincing. "The number of books you have at home is a good indicator of future success in school," she says. Her Rotary club worked with the Yukon government and the Yukon Literacy Coalition to bring Imagination Library there, and 900 children are currently enrolled. The Dollywood Foundation and the participating community split the program costs; in Yukon, the Whitehorse-Rendezvous club covers the \$3.60 per child per month Imagination Library serves children in the United States, Canada, and the United Kingdom. In 2001, 2,500 children were participating in the program; today they number almost 700,000.

Imagination Library and Rotary International teamed up in 2009, and Rotary clubs are involved in the program in roughly 300 communities.

