

October 9, 2024



ROTARY AND UPCOMING COMMUNITY EVENTS					
	Oct. 9th	Dr. Julie Philley—New UT Tyler President			
	Oct. 16th	Terry Zigler—End Polio Now Zone Coordinator			
	Oct. 22nd	Pints for Polio Social @ Pint & Barrel@ 6pm			
	Oct. 23rd	Elkhart Ag Students Presentation			
	Oct. 30th	October Jr. Rotarian Speeches			

TODAY'S PROGRAM

Dr. Julie Philley—U T Tyler President

On June 1, 2024, Julie V. Philley, MD became the sixth president of The University of Texas at Tyler and the first woman to lead the university.



A Professor of Medicine and board certified in internal, pulmonary and critical care medicine, Dr. Philley served as UT Tyler's Executive Vice President for Health Affairs following the 2021 merger of UT Tyler and the UT Health Science Center at Tyler, which created a single, integrated university. She also served as Vice Provost from 2022 until she was appointed President. Dr. Philley played an instrumental role in launching the UT Tyler School of Medicine — the UT System's seventh medical school, which welcomed its first cohort in 2023. Previously, she was Chair of the Department of Medicine and Professor of Medicine at the UT Health Science Center at Tyler.

A native of East Texas, Dr. Philley was raised in Overton. She returned to the region in 2012, serving as Assistant Professor of Medicine at the UT Health Science Center at Tyler, where she continued research efforts in nontuberculous mycobacterial disease and bronchiectasis. An accomplished researcher, Dr. Philley has led numerous studies and published book chapters and articles. She earned a bachelor's degree from Texas Woman's University and her MD at UT Health Houston's McGovern Medical School, completing an internal medicine residency program at Johns Hopkins







RI PRESIDENT MESSAGE October 2024

With World Polio Day on 24 October, I'm proudly rooting for Rotary as we team up around the world to End Polio Now.

The Rotary world was heartbroken to learn about the tragic passing in August of Aidan O'Leary, director for polio eradication at the World Health Organization. I knew Aidan and worked with him directly. He was a tireless advocate in the fight against polio and a kind, genuine man. We will remember him both for his advocacy and his warmth.

As people of action, we don't have the luxury of giving in to despair, even in the face of tragedy. The best way to honor Aidan's memory is by teaming up and reaching our goal to End Polio Now.

We made a promise to the children of the world and their families. It is incumbent upon us, together with our global partners, to end this threat once and for all.

There are so many ways we can team up to eradicate polio. You can donate to the End Polio Now campaign, join or initiate a PolioPlus Society in your club or district, or take inspiration from the fundraisers I mentioned above. I encourage Rotary members around the world to continue to seek out new teammates, so that together, we end polio.





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Rotary (24) Club of Palestine

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

Oct. 9th—Labeling Dictionaries before Rotary Oct. 12th—Hot Pepper Float Building—10 am Oct. 2th—Curious Museum Clean UP—All Day—619 Oak St. Oct. 16th—Dictionary Distribution—Southside Elementary -1:15-1:40pm; 1:45-2:10pm; 2:15-2:40pm





ROTARY CLUB OF PALESTINE FOUNDED JUNE 1913					
2024-2025 CLUB OFFICERS					
Membership Director	President Elect – Greg Lindsey diate Past President – Mary Raum – Chris Keller Public Image Di ce Director – Richard Rutledge	Secretary – LeeAnn Martine Director at Large—Hug rector – Angela Howell-Fields Foundation Director –	Service Director – Bill Kimla		
RI President – Stephanie	Urchick 5910 District Gov	ernor – Leon Willhite As	sst Governor –Karen Chapman		





	Bailey Thomas ♦ PH 1962 (Ann Lynn)	Funeral Home Director
	Bender, Darlene 2023 (Jason)	
	Brown, David 2023 (Linda)	
	Byrd, Jordan PH 2020 (Stevie)	
	Campbell, Harold PH 2006 (Deb)	
	Champagne, Gregory 2021 (Patricia).	
	Clark, Krissy 2022 (Randy)	
	Crutcher, Kasey 2020 (Jessica)	
	Davis, Amelia 2024 (Charles)	
	Davis Dan • РН 1986 (Ruth)	
	Davis, Jodi PH 2022 (Mark)	Realtor
	Davis, Mark ♦ PH 1998 (Jodi)	
	Davis, Michael + PH 2009 (Sandy)	Law: Civil
	Flores, Rudy PH 2018 (Becky)	
	Fontaine, Jerry PH 2007	
	Gorby, Mike PH 1994 (Carolyn)	
	Ham, Cassie 2024(Tim)	
	Harcrow, Mark 2019	
	Henderson Mark PH 1996 (Sheila)	
	Herrington Rhonda + PH 1998	
	Hollie, Lillian 2022 (Marvin)	
	Howell-Fields, Angela PH 2011	
	Jackson, Mattie 2024	
	Johnson, Juanita 2023	
	Johnson, Phil 2021(Mona)	-
	Johnston Robert PH 2009 (Brenda)	
	Jones, Paul 2022 (Sharron)	
	Keller, Chris 2021 (Allison)	
	Kennedy, Tim 2024 (Shawn)	
	Kimla, Bill 2023 (Josette)	Chemical Dis. Manager
	Kozik, Tim 2006 PH (Leah)	Home for Aged Mgmt.
	Lamb, John PH 2023 (Kathy)	Venue Owner
	La Rue, Rusty PH 1989 (Ellen)	Casuality Insurance
	Lindsey, Greg PH 2013	Auto Dealership
	Link, Edwin PH 2013 (Kerran)	
۲	Little, Andrew 2022 (Brittany)	Hospital Administration
	Loveless, Larissa 2019 (Lee)	
	Magdziak, Schyler 2014 (Cody)	Bank Loan Officer
	Marshall, Jason PH 2011 (Shanna)	
	Martine, LeeAnn PH 2010 (Paul)	
	McAughan, John PH 2012 (Paula)	
	McBroom, Cliff 2023	, ,
۲	McGuire, Amy 2019 (Jon)	
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۲	Newton, Jerry PH 1984 (Kathrine)	
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Parsons, James PH1997 (Karen)	Civil Trial I aw
Patel, Shweta 2023	
Piersol, Cindy PH 2015 (John)	
Polster, Celia 2019 (Wayne)	
Polster, Wayne 2019 (Celia)	
Pulver, Josh 2019	
Raum, Mary PH 2017 (Shane)	
Ray, Jordan 2023 (LIndsey)	
PH 2019 (Kari)	
Roberson, Jeffrey PH 2012	Photography
Rutledge, Becky 2022 (Richard)	
Rutledge, Richard PH 2018 (Becky)	
Selden, Jack PH (1972)	Civil Trial Assistant
Shipman, Karen 2023 2022 (Randy)	
Smalley, Alyson 2022 (Kevin)	
Stanford, Wade PH 2016	Education: Administration
Stewart, Robb 2020	Oilfield Exploration
Summers, Hugh + PH 1974 (Ahnise)	Real Estate Law
Tang, Mark 2024 (Lisa)	
Thomason, Mike ♦ PH 1994 (Judy)	
Thompson, Scott PH 1999 (Paula)	Investment Broker
Thorn, Terry PH 2000 (Jesse)	Law: Real Estate
Tidrow, Kenny PH 2017 (Tracy)	Financial Advisor
Toole, Dolinda2023	Banking
Torrez, Katrina 2023	Crisis Center Director
Trahan, Christophe 2023	
Triplett, Timothy PH 2012 (Elaine)	
Triplett, Elaine 2023 (Timothy)	
Varela, Fernando PH 1995 (Alena)	-
Wallace, Elaine 2024 (Phillip)	
Weber, Larry PH 2001 (Ellen)	
Weisenburn, Brett 🔶 PH 2013 (Laura)	
Willhite, Leon PH 2004 (Lynn)	-
Willhite, Lynn PH 2023 (Leon)	
Williams, Ernie PH 2021 (Vanessa)	
Winchester, Matt 2022 (Lori)	Oncor Manager

Past President
PH Paul Harris Fellow
Polio Plus Society