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In this edition: Zoom Link, 40 Futures Initiative, a look at our past, & more...

Kurt's Korner

By Kurt Bartley



The past two months have been active for our members. LisAnn Peters Read with Rotary was May 18-19. We had 16 volunteers who shared 5 hours each day to be with Webb Elementary students as they selected a book for themselves from the Scholastic Book Fair. As the nearly 700 students each brought their book to the table to for their Read with Rotary sticker, I asked one young first grader, Marcus, why he chose a Captain Awesome book he was tightly holding in his hands. He shyly replied, "I want to be special." I glanced back at Marcus and said, "You are special." Both our lives were changed at that moment.

In June we held one of our blood drives and kudos to Kay King for wrestling with logistics to continue the blood drive offsite. We had 20 donors, collected 21 units, and touched/changed 51 lives.

These two activities are at the core of being a Rotarian, serving to change lives. What service might you participate in or are already participating in, Rotary sponsored or not, to change lives? While you're at it, invite someone to join you. Give them the opportunity to not only serve and change lives, but to have their life changed also.

Two more activities coming our way – Arlington Heroes Run and Field of Honor – are two great

THIS WEEK AT ROTARY **Bud Kennedy**



COMING SOON

July 15 Robert Carter Austin

stin Arlington Symphony

& Brent Buemi

July 22 Jennifer Savage Hurley

Arlington Foodies

IT HAPPENED LAST THURSDAY By Malcom Chakery

Speakers: Cynthia Will, Instructor, Dan Dipert Center and Mary German, ED, Travel & Sports Legacy Foundation Meeting called to order at 12:10 PM Meeting adjourned at 12:56 PM Prayer and Pledge by Jim Quick

Presentation (Susie McAlister) – Rotarian of the Year (Sally Hopper)

Installation Social – June 24 (99 guests) – THANK YOU!

Distinguished Rotarian of the Year (Derrick Kinney)

Blood Drive - June 17

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opportunities to serve. See Heather Kipker and Clete McAlister, respectively. Don't forget to invite someone to join you in service to changing lives!

Kurt Bartley, President, 2021-22



Our club's Global Scholar, Samantha Reich, has graduated from Sciences Po in Paris, with her masters degree in International Affairs.



PDG, Peter Scott, interviews Mary German, Cynthia Will, and student Caleb about the 40 Futures Initiative.

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LisAnn Peters Read With Rotary - May 18-19

Every student at Webb was able to pick out a book, so around 700 books for \$2400. 16 volunteers giving 10 hours of volunteer time.

Field of Honor September 4 - 11. Need Volunteers and Sponsorship Opportunities

Heroes Run Sep 11

NEW: District Program – Vibrant Club Workshop – Aug 14 (Abilene)

Mia Russo reminded Rotarians to please sign in for attendance purposes.

Birthdays from last week by Sally Hopper

Steve Brooks June 20 Sara Knotts June 25 Jim Orr June 25 Susie McAllister June 26

Anniversaries this week

Paul Fulks 17 Years June 24, 2004
Derrick Kinney 22 Years June 24, 1999
Joyce Stanton 17 Years June 24, 2004
Walter Virden 23 Years June 30, 1998

40 Futures Initiative Program

Peter Scott led the conversation in a interview style format with our guest speakers Mary German, ED, the director of Travel & Sports Legacy Foundation . Cynthia Will, is an instructor with the Dan Dipert Center that specializes in hospitality and tourism through the CTE program.. Cythia Will also brought in one of her students, Caleb who was able to participate in the 40 Futures Initiative Program. This program helped Caleb gain confidence, communications skills providing the students with

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ZOOM LINK FOR OUR NEXT MEETINGClick This Link to Join Our Zoom Meeting

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BIRTHDAYS

Bob Cooke Birthday Fund

July 4 — July 10

July 7 Graham Schadt

July 9 Fred Buehrer

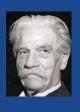
July 9 Peter Scott

Our club has a tradition of writing birthday checks to the **Rotary Foundation** in the amount of the number years they are celebrating (or rounding it up a little higher if they chose). The gift sent to the **Rotary Foundation** goes into a pool that eventually funds our club grants and also earns you points toward your next Paul Harris pin. Checks can be mailed to Sally Hopper, 3409 Viscount Drive, Arlington, TX 76016. (Please note this is the **Rotary Foundation** not the Arlington Rotary Foundation. Thanks!)



I don't know what your destiny will be, but one thing I do know: the only ones among you who will be really happy are those who have sought and found how to serve."

Albert Schweitzer



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a better understanding of financial literacy while assisting students with scholarships in addition to guiding them through the college entry process.

Caleb who is a junior at the Arlington ISD Dan Dipert Career and Technical Center said that he was a little skeptical in the beginning but feels that this program has helped him have a better understanding overall in terms of confidence and life experience.

The 40 Futures Initiative is a program that aims to transform the lives of 40 underserved youth from local high schools by providing students with innovative life skills training that includes personal discovery assessments and coaching, business presentation and leadership development, and financial literacy sessions.

For two years, TSLF has offered an on-site hotel internship program for AISD Dan Dipert Hospitality Services and Tourism program students. The internships were hosted by the Sheraton Arlington and Hilton Arlington. The hotel internship students had the opportunity to learn about hotel operations by working alongside hotel professionals. Due to the Coronavirus pandemic, the onsite internship program has been suspended. Currently, TSLF is providing hotel training through the American Hotel Lodging Educational Institute (AHLEI) learning modules and the Knowledge Matters hotel simulation program. Students who complete the program will graduate with a hospitality guest services certification.

Students who successfully complete the high school program and enter college at Tarrant County College or UT Arlington can apply for a TSLF scholarship. TSLF offers seven (7) scholarships annually for students interested in careers in travel and tourism. The scholarships are available for TCC Hospitality Management & Culinary Arts students and UT Arlington Kinesiology Sports, Leadership &

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Past president Susie presents Rotarian of the Year to Sally Hopper.

Rotarian, Sam Wine, receives the youth baseball trophy on behalf of Texas Electric sponsored team, the Reddy Kilowatts, from league president and University of Texas football and baseball great, Bohn Hilliard. August 14, 1958, Arlington News.

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Management Program students.

TSLF provides an innovative Milestones Mentoring Program for all TSLF scholarship recipients. This is a yearlong mentoring program and is designed for post-secondary students interested in careers in Hospitality Management and Culinary Arts or Kinesiology Sports Leadership & Management programs. The sessions are taught by professional and certified life coaches.

TSLF launched the flagship Milestones Mentoring Program in the fall of 2020. The mentoring program was designed to further assist in the growth of scholarship recipients by providing students with individual and cohort mentoring, life skills coaching and personal discovery assessments. Industry mentors are assigned to scholarship recipients/ mentoring program participants during their second year of study.

TSLF is launching a new innovative Open Door Mentoring program for students who participate (or participated) in TSLF high school and college programs. Additionally, the Open Door Mentoring program will support the ongoing operations of the TSLF Milestones Mentoring Program for TCC and UT Arlington scholarship recipients.

The program will provide students with the opportunity to be mentored virtually by certified and professional life coaches. The mentors will set weekly Open Door appointments for students.



Barry Bondurant introduces guests and visitors.

