



Rotary Club of Mineral Wells

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Future Speakers

Aug 10 2011

Dan Steele, Assistant Governor

"District Governor Sharron Miles will speak to our club on her annual visit."

Aug 17 2011

Rick Burciaga

Aug 24 2011

Wayne Sanderson

Aug 31 2011

Shotgun Raffle Drawing

"Our Beretta Xtrema 2 Shotgun Raffle Fundraiser will end and a winner's ticket will be drawn."

The Meeting, July 27, 2011

by Perkins, Rual



President Harris Brooks opened the meeting, Willie Casper lead in the pledge to our flag and Payton Wall lead the invocation. Rual Perkins had a joke and Roger Eades got his ticket drawn. He took home about \$10 and the pot now grows to \$973 plus today's take. There are only 28 cards left in the deck.

Attendance was way down, probably several taking that last minute vacation. *Please plan to be here August 10 for our District Governor's visit. Always an interesting and challenging program.*

Program chair Mitch Bradshaw introduced Judge Bobby Hart, Justice of the Peace of Precinct 5 in Palo Pinto County.

He first spoke of his trip to Idaho with his family to see his son run the Iron Man Marathon there. The race climaxed with his son's proposal of marriage to his girlfriend to the surprise of everyone..except the media who had been tipped off and ran the event on next days newscast.

Judge Hart continued with an overview of some of his activities for the past year. He pronounced 45 deaths, performed 35 mental commitments and worked 80 call-out hours. This Civil Court is run the same way as the District Court, but Small claims Court is a peoples court and much less formal. He said new laws may do away with Small Claims Court which he believes is bad for the people.

Meet Sharron Miles, District Governor 5790 for 2011-12

by Steele, Dan

Sharron attended Southwest Texas State University and completed her formal education with a Doctorate from Baylor University in Education Administration. She retired after thirty-nine years service in Texas Public Schools. She was a speech therapist, Special Education Director, Elementary Principal, Central Office Administrator, and Superintendent.



While serving as an educator she also was actively involved in her community as an officer and director with the United Way, American Red Cross, Camp Fire, Salvation Army, Cleburne Chamber of Commerce,

Upcoming Events

Governor's Visit

Aug 10 2011

District Foundation Seminar

Aug 20 2011

End Polio Now Baseball Game

Aug 28 2011

Shotgun Raffle Drawing

Aug 31 2011

Rotary Flag Day on Labor Day

Sep 5 2011 - Sep 5 2011

District Membership Seminar

Sep 10 2011

Institute for Leadership (IFL)

Oct 29 2011 - Oct 30 2011

Elect Club Officers for 2012-13

Dec 7 2011

Club Christmas Social Dec 8

Dec 8 2011

Rotary Foundation Banquet

Feb 10 2012

2012 Rotary International Convention

May 6 2012 - May 9 2012

District 5790 Conference

May 18 2012 - May 20 2012

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District 5790 Governor visit
August 10

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Zonta International, and the First Baptist Church. Her community honored her for her service by awarding her the Woman of the Year in 2002, 2005 Athena Award, 2005 Wall of Fame Award from the Cleburne Chamber, and the 2008 Red Cross Community Spirit Award.

In 1999, she joined the Cleburne Rotary Club, and held numerous Rotary positions including President in 2002. She served as the District Database Administrator, Assistant Governor for three years, District Secretary, Chairman of the District Simplified Grant Committee, and is a member of the District Leadership Training Team. She was named 2009 Rotarian of Year for District 5790. Sharron is a multiple Paul Harris Fellow, a member of the Paul Harris Society, and a Benefactor of the Rotary Foundation. She traveled to Leon, Mexico, with others from District 5790, to deliver wheelchairs, and to Chinenaga, Nicaragua, to work with the "Children of the Dump"

She has been married forty-two years to Dan who is a bank lending officer in Glen Rose and a Paul Harris Fellow. They have two grown children, Adam, a Rotarian, City Manager for Hewitt, Texas, and Amy, a teacher in Cypress Fairbanks, Texas, both of whom are Paul Harris Fellows. She has three grandchildren.

Beretta Shotgun Raffle Drawing August 31

by Steele, Dan



Mineral Wells Rotary

Fundraiser Raffle for Polio Plus*

 BERETTA



Beretta Xtrema 2

**Retail Value: \$1,500 Only 200 ticket sold: Odds per ticket
1:200 Drawing August 31, 2011**

\$50 per ticket - Cash or Checks payable to Mineral Wells Rotary Club

Every Rotarian is asked to sell or buy four tickets.

Rotary District 5790 Foundation Seminar August 20th

by Steele, Dan

Yes it is that time again. Back to Rotary Foundation School. Our District Governor Sharron Miles is encouraging as many of your



club members as possible to attend, not just your club Foundation Chairs, but new members as well as any Rotarian who has a passion for the programs of the Rotary Foundation.

We will be discussing this year's programs to assist you in planning your year. Then we will transport to the FUTURE to discuss the Rotary Foundation's FUTURE VISIONS concept.

We will need your input and experience to move forward. So plan on attending. Registration can be made on line at www.rotary5790.org

See information below for more details.

PDG Dan Morales (District 5790 Foundation Chair)

Date: Aug 20, 2011 at 8:30 AM - Aug 20, 2011 at 2:00 PM

Event Fee: 18.00 USD (Paid by our club for those who attend.)

Location: Harbor Lakes Country Club
2100 Clubhouse Dr.
Granbury, Texas 76408

EVERY

by Danforth, Fred



The Rotary Foundation urges **every Rotarian** to contribute at least \$100 to the Foundation **every year**.

Here at the Mineral Wells Rotary Club we echo that appeal. It is our contributions to the Foundation that make possible all the great service projects undertaken by Rotary both here in Mineral Wells and around the world. District grants we receive allow a share of the contributions we make to be used for service projects right here at home, as well as all the wonderful world wide projects we read about on-line and in the *Rotarian*.

This is a new Rotary year. Now would be a great time to make that contribution to the Foundation! Include it with your annual dues.

We also encourage our members to support the **End Polio Now** effort with at least a \$50 contribution each year. We're so close! Help us complete this greatest of all Rotary efforts to place *Service Above Self*.

Thank you,

Fred S. Danforth
Rotary Foundation Chair

Foundation Jackpot

by Steele, Dan

Harris Brooks had the winning ticket and took home \$15. The jackpot will be \$1005 going into the August 10 meeting.



This Close

by Perkins, Rual

Polio still cripples thousands of children around the world. With your help, we can wipe this disease off the face of the earth forever.

Visit rotary.org/endpolio to help.
END POLIO NOW



MOW Schedule

by Steele, Dan

- Aug 12 Ken Williamson
- Aug 19 Connie Ball
- Aug 26 Pam Holt/Lottie Eubanks
- Sep 02 Karen Thompson
- Sep 09 Saskia Vaughan/Linda Bradford
- Sep 16 Dan Steele
- Sep 23 Mitch Bradshaw/Raj Patel
- Sep 30 Harris Brooks/Kody Wallace



Pick up the Meals at the MOW Office at 1410 SE Martin King Jr. by 11:00 AM. If you cannot do your assigned day find a replacement or call Connie Ball or Diane Brown.

Cause for Celebration

by Steele, Dan



- Aug 04 Jim Ashby Wedding Anniv
- Aug 07 Diane Brown Birthday
- Aug 11 Jeanette Ender Spouse BD
- Aug 13 Leon Groves Birthday
- Aug 14 Jack Jackson Club Anniv
- Aug 18 Leon Groves Club Anniv