



# THE HUB

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*Serving to Make a Difference Since 1948*

## TODAY'S PROGRAM

*Program Chair of the Day: Tom Swift*



## Paige Flink, CEO The Family Place

A vocal advocate for ending violence against women, Paige Flink is the Chief Executive Officer of The Family Place, the Dallas area's leading organization delivering proven programs that address emotional and physical abuse and incest. When The Family Place began its work in family violence, there were no laws in Dallas protecting battered women, no policies for the arrest of batterers, and no shelters to save lives. Today, Dallas is recognized for its integrated response to domestic violence victims, and Paige has been instrumental in changing public perception and the community's response. Through Paige's leadership, The Family Place has become a national model in the delivery of family violence services. Paige joined The Family Place in 1991 and became its Executive Director in 1997.

After becoming Executive Director, she led the agency through the planning and fundraising process of raising over \$6 million in a capital campaign to build a new shelter. Opened in May 2000, The Family Place Safe Campus is a state of the art facility which has 100 emergency shelter beds, 25 transitional housing apartments and a licensed day-care facility. She also led the community through a planning process which resulted in the establish-

ment of Faith and Liberty's Place, a supervised visitation and exchange center which serves Dallas County families. In 2009, she spearheaded the initiative of bringing over \$9 million in federal stimulus money from the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs for processing rental assistance for vulnerable families in the Dallas County. In addition to this, Paige has taken the lead in starting Dallas County's High Risk Offender program. Paige has received local and national recognition for her work on behalf of victims, including the Peace Award from the Sunshine Lady Foundation, the Women's Advocacy Award from Legal Aid of NorthWest Texas, and the Women's Center of Dallas Maura Award. Mosaic Family Services named her 2012 Champion of Human Rights. In 2016 Paige was selected as CNM Connect's Non-Profit CEO of the Year.

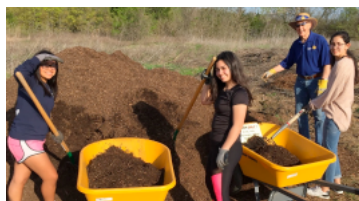
In 2015 Paige announced The Family Place's second capital campaign to open Ann Moody Place. This \$16.5 million facility opened in May of 2017 and is home to a second emergency shelter, pet shelter, Central Dallas Counseling Center, and a multitude of other Family Place programs. In 2017 Paige also led The Family Place to open the first men's shelter in the state of Texas.

## HILLCREST H.S. INTERACT

**Interact at the Trinity River Audubon Center** *with thanks to Ley Waggoner*



On Saturday, March 24, the Hillcrest High School Interact Club took on yet another service project. Eight Interactors went to the Trinity River Audubon Center. The task was to transport by wheelbarrow and place many cubic yards of mulch in a TRAC visitors picnic area. It was a beautiful day. The job was properly accomplished, and the reward was time to visit the TRAC's beautiful walkways, see and hear the



birds, and enjoy nature as she comes out of her winter's rest! (You wouldn't believe that it's the Trinity River you are seeing ...check it out!) RCPCers **Andy Carothers** and **Ley Waggoner** assisted in the process

## FELLOWSHIP

### **Cheese and Wine Pairing**

at Molto Formaggio,  
the Cheese Shop  
68 Highland Park Village  
Dallas, TX 75205  
Tuesday, April 24

**OR**

Wednesday, April 25  
6:30 – 7:30 p.m.  
with extra time to linger.

All members and their guests,  
21 and over are invited.

\$30 per person

Sign up on the RCPC website.

### **Deadline Extended for**

Lone Star Park Race Day on May 6  
RoughRiders Game on May 29

*Be a Vibrant and Visionary Model of Service Above and Beyond Self*

### LAST WEEK

Presiding: **Pam Carvey**  
 Invocation: **Mary Bishop**  
 Pledge: **Anne Harper**  
 Photographer: **Ley Waggoner**  
 Chair of the Day: **Valerie Pelan**  
 Speaker: **Nicola Longford, CEO**  
 Program: **Sixth Floor Museum at Dealey Plaza**



President **Pam Carvey** called the meeting to order on this Friday, the Thirteenth. **Mary Bishop** gave the invocation, noting that former member **Matt Slay** had

passed away and that **E.G. McMillan's** stepdaughter had stage four cancer. Please keep her and these families in your prayers. **Anne Harper** led the Pledge of Allegiance and The Star Spangled Banner. PE John Gilchrist assisted in introducing our visitors and guests, including DGE Bill Slicker. **Shawn Foster** introduced our Marketplace Advertiser of the week, **Charles Polansky** of Hub Insurance. PP **Greg Pape** asked **Happy Franklin** and **Richard Jodry** to come to the podium, and recognized them as fifth level Paul Harris Fellows. He



then asked **William Lees**, **Chad Harbour**, **Chelsea Davidson** and **Susan Donnenfield** to come up, and recognized them as



Paul Harris Fellows Members

have contributed to honor them. **Valerie Pelan** announced the Cheese and Wine Pairing event on Tues, April 24 or Wed, April 25. The club also has two service projects coming up: painting houses with Transform Dallas on Sat, April 21st and packing food for the North Texas Food Bank on Sat, May 12th. Deadlines for obtaining tickets have been extended for both Race Day at Lone Star Park on May 6th and the RoughRiders game on May 29th.

### EVENTS CALENDAR

April						
S	M	T	W	Th	F	S
1	M	M	M <sub>VV</sub>	M	Mtg	
8	M	M	M <sub>Cn</sub>	M <sub>FH</sub>	Mtg	
15	M <sub>Mc</sub>	M	M <sub>BD</sub>	M	Mtg	SpE
22	M	M <sub>F</sub>	M <sub>F</sub>	M <sub>FH</sub>	Mtg	
29	M					

### Please remember ...

The family of **Matt Slay** who has passed away. The address is Mrs. Matt Slay (Alicia), 4215 San Gabriel, Dallas, TX 75229

**E.G. McMillan's** stepdaughter has been diagnosed with stage 4 cancer. Please keep her in your prayers.

Please let us know your Joys or Concerns at- [announcements@parkcitiesrotary.org](mailto:announcements@parkcitiesrotary.org)

**Valerie Pelan** introduced our speaker today, Nicola Longford, CEO of the Sixth Floor Museum at Dealey Plaza. She began by saying that



there are two historic sites in Dallas; one is Fair Park and the other is the Dealey Plaza area, including the Old Red Courthouse. Preservation of history is at the core of culture.

The Sixth Floor Museum opened in 1989, twenty-six years after the assassination. The immediate response after the event was to want to demolish the building, but the Dallas Historical Society prevailed to save it. Today, the Dallas County Commissioners' offices take up the first five floors. The Museum is on the sixth floor where evidence of the assassin was found. Initially, the funding was a hard sell because it was not seen as a viable project, but currently, they have half a million visitors from all over the world every year. The museum is recognized as a model for presenting contentious history in a fair and equitable manner. It is an impartial, multigenerational destination and forum for exploring the memory and effects of the events surrounding the assassination of President Kennedy through sharing his legacy and impact. The museum holds a large collection of first person accounts, including over 1,700 interviews. They document stories for the historical record and personal perspectives for future generations. Most of the artifacts are from Dallas; they are made more vibrant by the personal histories. The museum is more than just a tourist destination; people come to see history recorded in an unbiased way. They try to engage, connect and inspire in terms of presidential history.

### Get Involved!

A=Agape Health Service Days

BD = Board of Dirs. Mtg, 7am

LaMadeleine, 75 & Mockingbird

Cn = PCR Connect Event.

CP = ChildsPlay Work Mtg

CC = Core Clubs Event

D = District 5810 Event

DH = Dentistry with a Heart

FR = Family of Rotary Event

F = Fellowship Event

FF = RCPC Foundation Fund

Mtg. See Cleve Clinton

FH = Fisher House. See Rob E

In-Interact Special Project

In-Interact at Hillcrest H.S, 8 am. See Bart Noble

M = Meals on Wheels (Different teams on each day)

See Patsy Watson

Mn-Mentoring at Hillcrest HS

Mc = Ronald McDonald

House-See Jina McDaniel

NM = New Member Event

FT=NTFB Truck-Stan Wright

FB=NTFB Event

Pr = Program Committee Mtg

RU = Rotary University

SpE = Special Service Event

Web = For New Members

### Our Mission

Building a legacy of good works and fellowship, we strive to:  
 REACH those in need in partnership with others  
 INSPIRE tomorrow's leaders with high ethical standards  
 FOSTER lives of service above self  
 - A supporting member of Rotary International

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## UPCOMING PROGRAMS



**April 27** Kelby Woodard, President  
Cristo Rey Dallas College Prep



**May 04** New Members  
Introductions



**May 11** Lili Kellogg, CEO  
Equest



**May 18** Chad Houser, CEO  
70th Anniversary - Cafe Momentum

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## CLUB ANNOUNCEMENTS *Sign up at [www.parkcitiesrotary.org](http://www.parkcitiesrotary.org)*

**Transform Dallas, Sat, April 21, 8:30-3:00pm,** Westmoreland Heights Community Center. Fifty volunteers needed to paint houses. Family, friends & children (over 10 years old) are welcome. Sign up and map on club website.

**Food Packing at North TX Food Bank, Sat, May 12, 1:00-3:30pm** at the Food Bank on Cockrell Hill Rd. Participants must be older than 10. No open shoes!

**RI Foundation:** \$100 (or more) Every Rotarian Every Year! See Greg Pape.

**RCPC Foundation:** \$50 (or more). See Birthday box below, then Doug Means.

**The Rule of 85.** Attendance requirements change for those who have been members of a Rotary club for twenty years and whose age and membership total 85.

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## THOUGHTS ON ... ROTARY INTERNATIONAL

### Families

Call it a clan, call it a network, call it a tribe, call it a family. Whatever you call it, whoever you are, you need one  
~ Jane Howard

Happy or unhappy, families are all mysterious.  
~ Gloria Steinem

I can't think of anything to write about except families. They are a metaphor for every other part of society.  
~ Anna Quindlen

Happy families are all alike; every unhappy family is unhappy in its own way.  
~ Leo Tolstoy

Many men can make a fortune but very few can build a family.  
~ J. S. Bryan

The family is the country of the heart.  
~ Giuseppe Mazzini

Some families can trace their ancestors back three hundred years but can't tell you where their children were last night.

~ Author Unknown

A family is a unit composed not only of children but of men, women, an occasional animal, and the common cold.  
~ Ogden Nash

### Our new vision statement: why should you care? from "Rotary Weekly"

In June, Rotary's Board of Directors and Trustees approved a new vision statement for the organization: **"Together, we see a world where people unite and take action to create lasting change — across the globe, in our communities, and in ourselves."**

Stephanie Urchick, chair of Rotary's Strategic Planning Committee, explains, "We are now more than a year into the process of revisiting Rotary's strategic plan, a process that will allow us to examine our strengths, weaknesses, opportunities, and threats in order to move the

organization in a direction that will allow Rotary to thrive in the years ahead. Our new vision statement is the first lap in that three-year journey.

"You may have seen the vision statement and wondered what its relevance is to you. If Rotary were a ship approaching land, our new vision statement would be the lighthouse that keeps us from running aground. Our vision statement explains what we want to achieve, in the same way that our mission statement explains our focus, and our strategic plan represents how we are going to get there."

## HE PROFITS MOST WHO LAUGHS BEST

A boy with a monkey on his shoulder was walking down the road when he passed a policeman who said, "Now, now young lad, I think you had better take that monkey the zoo."

The next day, the boy was walking down the road with the monkey on his shoulder, when he passed the same policeman. The policeman

said, "Hey there, I thought I told you to take that money to the zoo!" The boy answered, "I did! Today I'm taking him to the cinema."

### Proposed New Member

**Chris Blackman**

Classification: Real Estate

Proposed by: **Bill Parker**

## Happy Birthday\*

Wayne Yowell 4.22  
Larry Gebhardt 4.24

\*You are our RCPC Funders for this week

