

# THE HUB

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## TODAY'S PROGRAM

Program Chair of the Day: Nolan Duck



# Robin Marriott Manners Matter

Robin Marriott has a B.B.A., M.Ed., and many other licenses, certifications and designations indifferent areas. She has been adjunct professor at Texas Wesleyan University, Texas A&M University Corpus Christi and spoken on other college campuses. In the early 2000's she began writing curriculum and teaching Business Owners, CEOs, Administrators, and Medical Providers updated strategies to improve ROI and Patient Satisfaction scores. She's held the title of Physician Coach, Business Etiquette Liaison and even undercover patient and shopper to adequately teach her businesses skills.

Robin is also a designated Relocation and Luxury Realtor Compass Real Estate. When she isn't selling houses or speaking

on updated strategies and etiquette, she can be found hosting parties, traveling and exploring new restaurants.

She is the author of 3 books; Turning Manners into Money, So that Really Happened, from HaHa to Ahha Moments and Manners and Medicine. She's been featured in numerous magazines such as D Magazine, Fort Worth Magazine, 360 West, Journey, Bold, and Christianity Today.

Robin is married to Dr. Ronny Marriott Lead Pastor of FBC Richardson and current BGCT President. They have been in ministry together for 37 years and they have 3 grown children: Molly, Morgan and Ryan Marriott.

www,mannersmeanmoney.com

### RCPC IN ACTION

The Fourth of July Parade is just around the corner. Begin thinking how You can contribute.

Nominations are being taken for the 2025 Grand Marshal. If you know a great candidate, let Jill Jordan know

Some of the former GMs:

2010 - Darrell Fant

2011 - Gerald Turner

2012 - Randy Allen

2013 - Kirk Dooley

2014 - Dawson Orr

2015 - Leslie Melson

2016 - Mike and Marla Boone

2017 - Brad Bradley

2018 - Karl Kuby

2019 - Francie Moody-Dahlberg

2020 & 2021 - Laurie & Jim

Hitzelberger

2022 - Donna G. Pierce

2023 - Jan Edgar Langbein

2024 - Hon. Joel Williams, III

# ROTARY MEANS BUSINESS FELLOWSHIP

# Network like Only A Rotarian Can

The next Rotary Means Business Social Networking Event

5:00pm – 7:30pm Tuesday, Feb. 11th, 2025 at 12 Cuts Brazilian Steakhouse 18010 Dallas Pkwy, Dallas, TX 75287

#### Please RSVP:

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All levels of Rotary) are encouraged to attend.
Share your business services or expertise. Bring a GUEST.

Show off how well Rotarians are connected Retired? Come to the event and be a mentor!

### ROTARY INTERNATIONAL

What you should know about quantum science and Rotary (exerpted from Rotary Voices) by Manouchehr Shamsrizi, Rotary eClub of Silicon Valley

As a longtime member of Rotaract in Germany and now as a member of the Rotary eClub of Silicon Valley, I have witnessed the profound impact of scientific and technological advancements and their translation into (social) entrepreneurship for humanity, notably Rotary's areas of focus. I have seen these things in my professional role as a startup founder and currently as co-director of "leap.berlin" Germany's capital hub for quantum technology initiated by the "Berlin University Alliance."

On 7 June 2024 the UN declared 2025 as "The International Year of Quantum Science and Technology," aiming "to use the occasion of 100 years of quantum mechanics in 2025 to help raise public awareness of the importance and impact of quantum science and applications on all aspects of life."

A recent publication by the World Economic Forum is particularly suitable for making these considerations comprehensible: "Embracing the Quantum Economy: A Pathway for Business Leaders" explores the impact of quantum technologies on various industries and outlines strategic steps for businesses to get started with these technologies.

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#### LAS T WEEK

Presiding: President Nolan Duck Invocation/Pledge: Richard Stanford

Photographer: John Brown

Speakers: Eric Nadel and Ross Fenstermaker

#### **Program: Update on the Texas Rangers**

President Nolan Duck called the meeting to order. PP Richard Stanford gave the invocation and then led the Pledge of Allegiance and "The Star Spangled Banner." President Nolan asked for Happy Bucks, and then introduced our visitors and guests.

Eric Harrison introduced our Marketplace Advertiser of the Week, Kathy Wall and State Farm Insurance.

PE Sarah Oliai reported on the Strategic Planning meeting on Saturday, January 25. She said thirty-eight members attended to help steer the future of the club.

Pressident Nolan presented Melinda Mitchell her permanent badge, signifying that she had completed all of the requirements for full membership.

It was President Nolan's birthday! He was presented with a piece of birthday cake and a group rendition of "Happy Birthday."

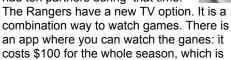
President Nolan asked for a volunteer to pick up member. Sam Miller each Friday and bring him to Rotary. He is not able to drive any more.

Mark Neace encouraged everyone to attend the District's networking event, "Rotary Means Business" on Tuesday, February 11. Bring your friends to show them something about Rotary.

President Nolan called for the raffle drawing. The total is now up to \$1200. PP Ley Waggoner had the winning ticket, but did not win the lottery.

PP Eric Heitkamp introduced our speakers today. He introduced Eric Nadel first who

then introduced Ross Fenstermaker. Eric Nadel started by saying he had called 6,000 gamed in his twentythree years of broadcasting. He has had ten partners during that time.



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who were enjoying playing the game. BD= Brd of Dirs Mtg, 8am BF=Bonton Farm Cn=PCR Connect Event. CP=ChildsPlay Work Mtg-Jill Jordan.

DH=Dentistry with a Heart-Michael Rainwater

FF=RCPC Foundation Fund Mtg- Ed Fjordbak FT=NTFB Truck.
FB=NTFB Event-Susan Glen
In=Interact Special Project

8 am - Tracy Gomes.

M= Meals on Wheels, Jim Weichel various days and times
Mn= Mentoring at Hillcrest HS
various days and times Mc=Ronald McDonald House

1 x/mo-Kathleen Klaviter NM=New Member Event Pr= Program Committee Mtg =Readers2Leaders-various days, times- Rob Levy =Rotaract- Ruth Ahilali.

#### Please remember

Cindy Cummings is now in rehab and is doing well. Cards are welcome.

Please let us know your joys and concerns.

about 150 games. The games will also be on Direct TV and will be streaming. The games will be on Charter, and they are in negotiations with the other providers. The games will be simulcast on radio and TV. They have a new sideline reporter who should be good.

He then introduced Ross Fenstermaker, the Rangers' General Manager

He has been the Assistant for ten years. Eric asked him about his priorities during this off-season. Ross said that he has had a lot to do. He wants to reinforce the offense and build up the bullpen. He has been working a lot under the radar to upgrade the club.. He is excited about the upcoming season. He feels like the team is going into the season with a hunger to win. He started at the beginning of the off-season in October to narrow in on players they were interested in. He said he made about fifty or sixty calls that ended in nothing. He was asked about free agents. He said they had identified several at the beginning. They met with some of them several times. They want to get the "right" players, not just the most talented. They are constantly in conversation with potential players, looking for players with personalities that will fit in. There are fifteen or sixteen players under consideration and will look at what skill sets are needed. The selection process has changed. There is a large amount of information that comes in; it can be overwhelming. You need people who can distill it down to find the right players. Eric was asked about his career in broadcasting. He said he was announcing hockey in 1979 when he was hired. He was allowed to learn on the job. He said he was lucky with his broadcast partners and learned from them. Ross was asked about players from South America. He said that players from South America can sign at sixteen years old. There are about sixty players in the Dominican Republican. Once they are ready, they are moved up to Arizona. He was asked his favorite players to watch. He said they were the ones with smiles on their faces

#### Our Mission

Building a legacy of good works and fellowship, we strive to: REACH those in need in partnership with others

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#### **UPCOMING PROGRAMS**



Dani Bethune & Darren Woodsen Feb. 14 Igniting Change for Future Leaders! How C5 Texas is Helping Youth To Build Their Own Leadership Path



Feb. 21 To Be Announced It will be interesting



Feb. 28 To Be Announced It will be interesting



Mar. 7 **Richie Butler** 

The Value Proposition for Diversity

#### **CLUB ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Please note that RCPC meetings and other events are public events where photos and video are customarily taken. By attending you are consenting to free use of your likeness on RCPC and related websites, social media, streaming video, emails, newsletters and similar methods.

Have a Great Idea for a Speaker? Your ideas are needed! Send your ideas with the details to Richard Stanford.

Help Wanted! At ANY RCPC Event or Project Take a few pictures, include a few sentences (who, what, when, where and WHY) and send to Betty for The Hub

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

RCPC Foundation: \$100 (or more). See Birthdays below, then Van Oliver.

Attendance Rule Change. For those wanting to maintain Perfect Attendance, makeups may now be completed within a year. RI is no longer tracking attendance.

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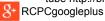
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#### THOUGHTS ON . . .

#### **Maners**

Good manners will open doors that the best education cannot.

#### ~ Clarence Thomas

I seek constantly to improve my manners and graces, for they are the sugar to which all are attracted.

#### ~ Og Mandino

Good manners are just a way of showing other people that we have ~ Bill Kelly respect for them.

Good company requires only birth, education, and manners, and with regard to education is not very nice. Birth and good manners are essential; but a little learning is by no means a dangerous thing in good company; on the contrary, it will do very well. ~ Jane Austen

Good manners are made up of petty sacrifices. ~ Ralph Waldo Emerson Manners maketh man.

#### ~ William of Wykeham

Be not deceived: evil communications corrupt good manners. ~ The Bible

Men's evil manners live in brass; their virtues we write in water. [info][add][mail][note]

~ William Shakespeare

#### RCPC IN ACTION (continued from page 1)

#### Thank you from Cristo Rev

Dear Mr. Stanford,

Thank you for supporting Cristo Rey Dallas through a donation. I'm a Freshman at CRD and am incredibly grateful for your generous donation to my school. Because of your gift I will be able to receive an amazing college prep education and pur-

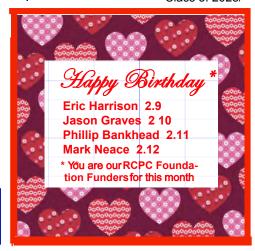
#### HE WHO LAUGHS. LASTS



Canada is ready.

The Hub is printed by Minuteman Press 7010 Greenville 75231 • 214.691.6377 sue my dream od attending college. This year I work in the development Department at CRD, and i am part of the Ballet Folklorico Team and the Drill Team.. Through opportunities at work and in my college prep classes, i have gained valuable experiences, and I am excited to begin looking at universities and to see what the Future holds for me! thank you for the incredible impact you have made in my life.

> Sincerely, Cinthia Juarez Class of 2028/



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