



THE HUB

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Serving to Make a Difference Since 1948

TODAY'S PROGRAM

Program Chair of the Day: Pam Carvey



Chad Houser, Founder, CEO, Exec. Chef Café Momentum

Always one to add a little levity to the conversation, Chad often describes Café Momentum as “taking kids out of jail and teaching them to play with knives and fire.” But levity aside, it’s this charisma and passion to teach life, social and employment skills to Dallas’ most at-risk youth that makes Houser a hit with everyone from philanthropists and dinner-goers to the young people participating in the program. After 17 years as a chef Chad sold his partnership of Parigi Restaurant to devote his full attention to the role of Executive Director of Café Momentum in 2012.

In the community, Chad has previously served as President of the board of directors for Dallas Farmers Market Friends and as Vice Chair of the El Centro Exes Association (Houser received his culinary training at El Centro) where is also a member of the El Centro College Food and Hospitality Institute “Hall of Fame.”

Just last month, Chad received national recognition as a CNN Hero for his work to with Cafe Momentum. At the end of last year Chad and Café Momentum were featured in the Starbucks

production of Upstanders Season 2, a series created to shine a light on stories of everyday Americans who are doing extraordinarily courageous things. He has also appeared on The Rachael Ray Show, The Chew, The Hero Effect and Pickler & Ben.

Chad has received multiple nominations from D Magazine for “Best Up-And-Coming Chef” (2010) and “Best Chef” (2011 and 2012). In 2011, he received the Edible Dallas/Fort Worth “Local Hero – Chef” award. In 2017 and again for 2018 Chad has been named in the Best 500 Business Leaders in Dallas.

Chad was also selected as Dallas Business Journal’s “40 Under 40,” and as one of the United States Junior Chamber’s (Jaycee) 2015 Ten Outstanding Young Americans. He has been named to the “Top 50 Under 40” by the Social Enterprise Alliance, an “Urban Innovator to Watch” by the New Cities Foundation, as one of “30 Most Interesting People in the Metro Area” by the Dallas Observer, and one of Good Magazine’s “Good 100,” individuals at the cutting edge of creative impact across the globe.

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL

Rotary International Alumni Groups

RI Alumni Associations bring together former Foundation scholars, recently returned Youth Exchange students to celebrate their experiences, work together to improve communities, and develop as leaders through Rotary.

Congratulations to the newly chartered alumni associations in Districts 3450 (Hong Kong), 4195 (Mexico), 4730 (Brazil), and 9790 (Australia).

Here are some ways that alumni associations are having fun and serving the community:

- The Rotary District 3450 Alumni Association in Hong Kong celebrated its formation with a Charter Night and First

Rotary Scholar Sharing Dinner.

- In Kenya, the Rotary District 9212 Alumni Association organized a free medical camp for a community in Muranga. Several association members received their medical training as Rotary Scholars.

- As part of its 2018 reunion, the Rotary District 9141/9142 Alumni Association in Nigeria organized a medical outreach that provided free health care to a local community.

- The Rotary District 6970 Alumni Association in northeast Florida partnered with a local Interact club to pack 14,000 meals for an international hunger relief organization.

You are Cordially Invited to the
Rotary Club of Park Cities
2nd Annual Announcement Luncheon
Park Cities 4th of July Parade
Honoring
2018 Grand Marshal
Karl Kuby, Sr.
and
All Past Grand Marshals
Friday, June 1, 2018

Communities Foundation of Texas
Mabel Peters Caruth Center
5500 Caruth Haven Lane, Dallas



Friday, June 1, 2018
Luncheon 11:45 a.m.
Communities Foundation of Texas
5500 Caruth Haven Lane (at US 75)
Please Register and Pay Online

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

LAST WEEK

Presiding: **Pam Carvey**
 Invocation: **Stan Carr**
 Pledge: **John Brown**
 Photographer: **Cleve Clinton**
 Chair of the Day: **Pam Carvey**
 Speaker: **Elizabeth 'Lili' Kellogg**,
 Program: **Equest Therapeutic Horsemanship**



President **Pam Carvey** called the meeting to order, remarking that it had been a busy week starting with horse racing at Lone Star Park, then continuing with PCR Connect and a Program Meeting, and ending with packing food at the Food Bank on Saturday. **Stan Carr** gave the invocation, noting that **Bill Sleeper** was still struggling after his bypass surgery. Please keep him in your prayers. **John Brown** led the Pledge of Allegiance and "The Star Spangled Banner." VP **Paul Pirok** assisted in introducing our visitors and guests which included former RC PC member **Tom Dortch** who is now a member of the Rockwall RC, and a visiting Rotarian from Tuscaloosa, AL. **Shawn Foster** introduced our Marketplace Advertiser of the Week **Stuart Markussen** of Goodson Consulting Engineers.

Paul McFarland introduced new member **Ian Mudge**, who brought an entertaining video of the highlights of his life. **Bill Parker** introduced new member **Chris Blackman**, who is a



realtor with Allie Beth Allman. **Richard Stanford** announced

a special meeting on June 1st honoring the parade grand marshals; the meeting will be at the Communities Foundation of Texas building at Caruth Haven and US 75. The program will be an interview of Karl Kuby, Sr.

President **Pam** reminded us of upcoming events, the Rough Riders Game on May 29th

Please remember ...

PP **Bill Sleeper** is still struggling following triple by-pass surgery.

Please let us know your Joys or Concerns at- announcements@parkcitiesrotary.org

and Transform Dallas work day on June 9th.

PE **John Gilchrist** introduced our speaker today, Lili Kellogg, CEO of Equest Therapeutic Equestrian Center. She explained that Equest facilitates therapies for children and for veterans. They see children with all kinds of disabilities. She remarked that there are over 800,000 people with disabilities in the Metroplex. One in six children has some developmental disability, and one in sixty-two has autism. She also noted that twenty veterans in the U.S. commits suicide every day. One in every four children with intellectual disabilities has no significant interaction with their peers. She explained why therapy with horses works. Horses walk in as similar way as humans, so riding a horse mimics the same walking pattern; the body is constantly shifting, making little adjustments to stay with the horse. It strengthens the muscles, but is not weight-bearing; there is no stress to the joints, but they are constantly opening and closing, which increases the circulation. Additional benefits include gaining self-confidence from riding. For veterans it helps to make their transition smoother and more positive and leads to wellness. It works because the horse mirrors what we feel; if the veteran is angry, the horse is agitated, but if the rider is calm, the horse is calm. They also coach para-equestrian teams. They teach horsemanship, teaching people to ride. Hippotherapy includes occupational, physical and speech therapies. Horses for Heroes has severed four hundred veterans and their families. Equest has also partnered with Dallas ISD for children in special education and for vocational training. They have an industry education project with four hundred volunteers. She remarked that good therapy horses are very hard to find; they must be well-trained, and also tolerant.



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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EVENTS CALENDAR

May						
S	M	T	W	Th	F	S
	M	M	M _{VV}	M	Mtg	
6 F	M	M	M _{Cn}	M	Mtg	
13	M _{Mc}	M	M _{BD}	M _{Pr}	Mtg	FB
20	M	M	M	M _{FH}	Mtg	
27	M	M _F	M	M		

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

UPCOMING PROGRAMS



**May 25 Brian Williams, Medical Director
Parkland Medical Health Institute**



**June 1 Parade Grand Marshal Luncheon
Interview with Karl Kubly, Sr.**



**June 8 Michael J. Sorrell, EdD.
Paul Quinn College**



June 15 Flag Day!

CLUB ANNOUNCEMENTS *Sign up at www.parkcitiesrotary.org*

**Save the Date! Fri, May 25, Dist. 5810 All Club Luncheon Celebrating
30 Years of Women in Rotary.** See DG Rick. Choose them or us!

Transform Dallas Make-Up Work Day, Sat, June 9, 8:00am-1:00pm

Blue RCPC Shirt and Hat. If you don't have yours, see Kathleen Klaviter to order. If you have one that doesn't fit, clean it and trade it for one that fits.

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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#parkcitiesrotary



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<http://bit.ly/RCPCvimeo>

RCPC has its own channel. Miss a Meeting? Watch it Online!

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LinkedIn RI: www.linkedin.com/groups?gid=858557&trk=hb_side_g



RI: <http://twitter.com/#!/rotary>



RI: www.facebook.com/rotary

Dist. 5810: www.facebook.com/RotaryDistrict5810



RI has its own channel on YouTube offering a growing collection of videos and psas.



Check out or add to RI's Flickr group often, www.flickr.com/groups/familyofrotary/



<http://pinterest.com/rotary/>



RI has Pinboards on major projects.



www.statigr.am/rotaryinternational
See RI's latest pictures via Instagram.

THOUGHTS ON ...

70th ANNIVERSARY

Dining

The art of dining well is no slight art, the pleasure not a slight pleasure.

~ Michel de Montaigne

Eating is really one of your indoor sports. You play three times a day, and it's well worth while to make the game as pleasant as possible.

~ Dorothy Draper

What's sad about not eating is the experience, whether at a family reunion or at midnight by yourself in a greasy spoon under the L tracks. The loss of dining, not the loss of food.

~ Roger Ebert

Good food ends with good talk.

~ Geoffrey Neighor

Food is our common ground, a universal experience.

~ James Beard

Sharing food with another human being is an intimate act that should not be indulged in lightly.

~ M. F. K. Fisher

A man of sixty has spent twenty years in bed and over three years in eating.

~ Arnold Bennett

Throughout its existence, the members of the Rotary Club of Park Cities have consistently supported the **Rotary Foundation** at multiple sponsorship levels. Our members who are Paul Harris Major Donors:

Charlie and	Dennis Devenport	Bob Heard	Greg Pape
JoAnn Bond	Doug Gill	Bill Kelly, Jr.	Jerry Washam
C.C. Collie	John Glancy	Doug Means	Alan Winn

The **RCPC Foundation** is a charitable endowment as a fund of Communities Foundation of Texas. The Foundation was originally sponsored in the 1960s to provide an enduring legal entity through which members and friends of the club might channel donations for the good of mankind and the Dallas community

HE PROFITS MOST WHO LAUGHS BEST

A doctor who was known for extraordinary treatment of arthritis, had a waiting room full of people when a little old lady, almost bent in half, shuffled in slowly, leaning on her cane. When her turn came, she went into the doctor's office and, amazingly, emerged within 5 minutes walking completely erect with her head held high.

A woman in the waiting room who had seen this rushed up to the little old lady and said, "It's

a miracle! You walked in bent in half and now you're walking erect. What did that doctor do?"
"Gave me a longer cane."

Happy Birthday*

John Whaley 5.18	Rob Eggemeyer 5.21
Bill Clark 5.19	Lynn Surls 5.23
Bob Dill 5.19	Stan Wright 5.23
Howard Parker 5.19	
Chelsea Davidson 5.21	

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24 of Our Recent Past Presidents



**William E.
Sleeper**

Classification:
Insurance
Joined Mar, 1981
President **1991-92**



**Gregory W.
Pape**

Classification:
Real Estate
Joined Nov, 1983
President **1992-93**



**Donald A.
Berg**

Classification:
Financial Services
Joined July, 1979
President **1993-94**



**Jerry P.
Washam**

Classification:
Real Estate
Joined Dec, 1974
President **1994-95**



**Marc
Hall**

Classification:
Restaurants
Joined Feb, 1987
President **1995-96**



**Michael T.
Riddle**

Classification:
Financial Services
Member 5/1987 to 7/ 2008
President **1997-98**

**Lynn Garison
Shoop**

President **1998-99**



**Mark J.
Thomason**

Classification:
Energy
Joined Nov, 1985
President **1999-00**



**Karl
von Bieberstein**

Classification:
Landscape Architecture
Joined June, 1983
President **2000-01**



**Rodney W.
Pirtle**

Classification:
Education
Joined Apr, 1989
President **2001-02**



**Douglas
Means**

Classification:
Contractors
Joined March, 1981
President **2002-03**



**W. John
Glancy**

Classification:
Law
Joined Sept, 1993
President **2003-04**



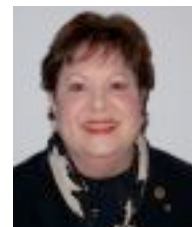
**Rosemary
Domecki**

Member until Aug, 2012
President **2004-05**



**Douglas W.
Gill**

Classification:
Financial Services
Joined May, 1998
President **2006-07**



**Linda C.
Tunnell**

Joined Jan, 1999
Classification:
Non-Profit
President **2007-08**

Turn over please!

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Ley Waggoner
Classification:
Real Estate
Joined Oct, 2001
President **2008-09**



Phillip Bankhead
Classification:
Mortgages
Joined Feb, 2002
President **2009-10**



Rick Amsberry
Classification:
Accountant-CPA
Joined Feb, 1998
President **2010-11**



James W. Mills
Classification:
Law
Member 6/2003 to 7/2017
President **2011-12**



Fred A. Brown
Classification:
Banking
Joined Oct, 2003
President **2012-13**



Cleveland G. Clinton
Classification:
Law
Joined April, 1998
President **2013-14**



Eric Heitkamp
Classification:
Manufacturing
Joined July, 2000
President **2014-15**



Karen Farris
Classification:
Insurance
Joined Dec, 1987
President **2015-16**



Tracy Gomes
Classification:
Economist
Joined Oct, 2005
President **2016-17**



Pam Carvey
Classification:
Accounting
Joined Aug, 2003
Current President

History of the Rotary Club of Park Cities

By 1948 Highland Park, University Park and North Dallas had become a sizable and important segment of Greater Dallas. The Rotary Club of Dallas determined that the time had come to establish the Rotary Club of Park Cities (RCPC). An extension committee of eight prominent members of the Dallas Club was formed to sponsor and guide the organization of a new club. The Charter Banquet was held on June 11, 1948, with the induction of sixty charter members. Jim Maxfield was elected its first president.

The club began meeting on Fridays at noon in the ballroom of the Melrose Hotel in the then suburban area of Oak Lawn. The Club continued to meet there until 1975 when the facility could no longer adequately accommodate its 230 members. Over the next several years the Club met at a number of sites before moving to Maggiano's Little Italy Restaurant in NorthPark Center in 2000.

In the early years Rotary was more formal than it is today. The membership was exclusively male professionals - doctors, attorneys, educators, clergy, corporate executives, managers and many business owners. The classification system was rigid, and if there were no openings, prospective members were turned away until the time when there was an opening. Business suits and ties were the dress code of the time. The Annual Banquet for the Installation of Officers and the Board of Directors was a gala black tie affair held at the Dallas Country Club until 1985.

In 1987, Rotary eliminated the gender restriction for membership. Karen Farris and Honor Franklin were the first Rotarians to

become members under the new rule later that year. Lynn Garrison Shoop was our first woman president in 1998-1999.

In 2002 Bob Heard was selected by the Park Cities Exchange Club to become the Grand Marshall of the Park Cities Fourth of July Parade. Heard asked Roy Washburn if the Club would like to begin sponsoring the Park Cities Fourth of July Parade. Through Roy Washburn's leadership, the Club agreed to take over the Parade and has sponsored it since July 2003.

In the 2004-2005 Rotary year, Rotary International celebrated its 100th birthday. To recognize this historic milestone, RCPC committed to build ChildsPlay at Bachman Lake. This barrier free playground is now open to all children, but is specifically designed to accommodate those children with disabilities. At a cost of over \$500,000, the playground was completed in the summer of 2005. For this accomplishment, the Club was recognized by Rotary District 5810 with the 2005-2006 Spirit of Cooperation Award and the Advocate Award by the Texas Recreation and Parks Society. In 2015 under the leadership of Club President Karen Farris, the Club raised over \$250,000 to purchase a refrigerated food pantry truck for the purpose of distributing free, fresh produce to the social and economic needy areas of Dallas.

The Rotary Club of Park Cities and its individual members have received numerous awards from District 5810, Rotary International and the community for its service to mankind.

Excerpted from the Club History in the current Roster