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TODAY'S PROGRAM

Program Chair of the Day: Charlotte Kroeker



Kim Noltemy, President and CEO, Dallas Symphony Association The Dallas Symphony

Kim Noltemy is the Ross Perot President & CEO of the Dallas Symphony Association. Since her appointment in January 2018, Kim Noltemy has implemented numerous new initiatives that will have a long-term impact on the landscape of classical music in Dallas and the entire industry. The DSO was the first major American orchestra to perform for an in-person audience after the COVID-19 shutdown. During her tenure, the orchestra appointed renowned Music Director Fabio Luisi and Principal Guest Conductor Gemma New.

In May 2019, she negotiated the transition of management of the Morton H. Meyerson Symphony Center from the City of Dallas to the Dallas Symphony Association. She serves as President of the Dallas Arts District board and on the boards of the Dallas Black Dance Theatre and Aging Minds, and she is a member of the Dallas Assembly, Dallas Summit, Dallas International Women's Forum, and Executive Women's Roundtable.

Noltemy was named as a D CEO Dallas 500 in 2020 and 2021 and was a 2020 finalist for the Dallas Morning News' Texan of the Year.

In the fall of 2020, Noltemy introduced a comprehensive plan and commitment for equity, diversity, and inclusion at the DSO. In 2018, she launched the DSO's Women in Classical Music program. The DSO's Southern Dallas Residency, begun in November 2018, includes a very important educational initiative, Young Musicians.

Since the pandemic shutdown in March 2020, Noltemy has expanded the DSO online presence, implementing a digital strategy for 2020/21 and beyond. A state-of-the-art video studio with robotic cameras was installed to capture and live-stream DSO performances and third-party events in the hall.

www.dallassymphony.org

RCPC IN ACTION



Save The Date!
Make a Plan!
Register Now!



Extended! until October 22! The NTFB has extended the on-line and actual Peanut Butter Drive. Bring jars on Friday!



Get Your Thinking Caps Out!
Program Meeting

Mon, Oct. 25, 6:00-7:30pm via Zoom Programs will be after March, 2022. Register on web-site. **Every RCPC member is on this Team!**



PCR Connect
Oct 21, 5:00 -7:00pm
Hillstone, 8300 Preston

Legacy of Leadership, Oct. Meeting



Wednesday's RCPC Legacy of Leadership session discussed Gallup Clifton Strengths.

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ROTARY INTERNATIONAL

World Polio Day is October 24!

The Best Chance to Eradicate Polio is Now by Aidan O'Leary, at Rotary International

"There's something about the whole idea of eradicating polio that grabs the imagination," says Aidan O'Leary. "Most people talk about making steps toward achievements, and it's almost always into the never-never. Eradication is a zero-sum game; anything short of zero is failure. You keep getting closer and closer, but ultimately the only number that actually matters is zero."

Although O'Leary, the polio eradication director for the World Health Organization, is speaking from his home in Galway, against the verdant backdrop of western Ireland, his focus is on war-torn Afghanistan and the parched and dusty plains of Pakistan — the last two places on the planet where wild polio still thrives.

Even during a pandemic, even as grim realities confront him, O'Leary *(continued on page 3)*

Be a Visionary Model of Service Above and Beyond Self

LAST WEEK

Presiding: **PP Eric Heitkamp**
Invocation/Pledge: **Ley Waggoner**
Marketplace Adv: **Shawn Foster**
Photographer: **Ley Waggoner**
Chair of Day: **Daniel Drabinski**
Speaker: **Oliver Chandhok**, President & Publisher, Dallas Business Journal
Program: **Entrepreneurship**



PP **Eric Heitkamp** called the meeting to order. PP **Ley Waggoner** gave the invocation. He then led the Pledge of Allegiance and *The Star Spangled Banner*. PP **Eric**, assisted by PP **Richard Stanford**, introduced our visitors and guests. **Shawn Foster** introduced our Marketplace Advertiser of this week, **Nolan Duck** and DBG Advisors. PP **Richard Stanford** stood in for Sgt-at-Arms **Scott McLaughlin** and reported on the RCPC Foundation. The Foundation has reached almost \$2 million. **Jeff Brady** asked for "happy bucks." One joy was that **C C Collie** is home from the hospital today.

Stan Wright announced the RCPC packing day at the North Texas Food Bank on Saturday, Oct. 16. **Joi Gold** announced the next PCR Connect will be Thurs., Oct. 21, 5 to 7 pm at Hillstone on Preston Road.

Daniel Drabinski introduced our speaker today, Ollie Chandhok, President and Publisher of the *Dallas Business Journal*, who spoke on "Entrepreneurship." The program was presented in an interview form at. He was asked:



- Why are businesses moving to Dallas. Among the reasons are the tax policy and consistent regulatory universe, whether you agree with it or not.
- How do companies choose whether to go to Austin, Dallas, Houston or San Antonio? It is a company by company decision. Tech companies often go to Austin because there are other tech companies there. Industries look at the southern part of Dallas.

Please remember ...

Barb Jeffries's son-in-law who is having open heart surgery
Please let us know your joys and concerns

Please remember ...

Siobhan Abraham and the passing of her father. A memorial service for Dr. Abraham will be on Sat., Oct. 30th at 10:00am in the Sanctuary of Highland Park United Methodist Church followed by a reception in the Great Hall.

- What about Mike Rawlings? Fifteen years ago he said that Dallas would be a banking center. Today there are 231 banks in Dallas. There is a critical conduit; you can get anywhere from the DFW area. You can find anything. McKinney is becoming an innovation hub with young start-ups and tech groups.
- Why are companies leaving California? When a company of any size moves to Texas, they save twenty percent; they save on taxes, payroll, real estate and utilities. If you are running an organization, you like your people and the Texas lifestyle is easier.
- What about the real estate market? Housing prices are still going up, but more slowly. It is beginning to normalize.
- Where are businesses moving? Certain geographic areas, Alliance north of Ft. Worth, Anna or Melissa north of Dallas, Irving and Legacy East or West.
- What are some other projects? The Omni Hotel in Frisco is the deal of the century. There are some cool hotels in downtown Dallas and Ft. Worth that can be in-town destinations. Dallas doesn't have the attraction of Nashville or Charleston.
- Why did Boeing go to Chicago? Infrastructure. The roads in Dallas are not keeping up with its growth; also lack of workforce. The schools are producing talent, but there needs to be more ties between schools and industries. Dallas has an aging housing market. The new houses are in Anna or Melissa.
- Success of Dallas Business Journal? They try to stay apolitical. They cover the local business scene; their role is to inform.
- Challenge? Media is going digital. They are already digital. COVID made it more popular.

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Get Involved!

A=Agape Health Service Days

BD= Board of Dirs. Mtg. 8am

BF=Bonton Farm-Stephanie B

Cn=PCR Connect Event

CP=ChildsPlay Work Mtg.

D=District 5810 Event

DH=Dentistry with a Heart

F=Fellowship Event

FF=RCPC Foundation Fund

Mtg. See Ed Fjordbak

FH=Fisher House-Doug Means

FT=NTFB Truck. Stan Wright

FB=NTFB Event

In=Interact Special Project

In= Interact at Hillcrest H.S

8 am See Tracy Gomes.

LL=Legacy of Leadership

M=Meals on Wheels

See Jim Weichel

Mn=Mentoring at HillcrestH

Mc=Ronald McDonald House

1x/mo-See Kathleen K.

NM=New Member Event

Pr= Program Committee Mtg

RL=Readers2Leaders-various

times. See Ruth Alhilali

Rct=Rotaract. See Ruth A.

SP=Strategic Planning Mtg

SpE=Special Service Event

October						
S	M	T	W	Th	F	S
					Mtg	BF
3	M	M	M	M	Mtg	BF
10	M	M	M	Cn	Mtg	BF FB
17	M	M	M	BD	Cn	Mtg BF D F
24	M	Pr	M	M	Mtg	F DH

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

In person at Maggianos or watch on YouTube. NO reservation needed!



Oct. 22 **Ralph Cousins**
George Porter Story and African American History



Oct. 29 **Cynthia Olson, Executive Director**
Connecting Point



Nov. 5 **Holly Hollenbeck, Dist 5810 Membership Director**
Membership



Nov. 12 **Rear Admiral Jim Eckelberger, USN (Ret)**
Veteran's Day Program

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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 Jeff Sheehan.

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 Kyle Marmillion.

Attendance Rule Change. For those wanting to maintain Perfect Attendance, make-ups may now be completed within a year.

The Rule of 85. Attendance requirements change for those who are at least 65 years of age and who have been a member of a Rotary club for twenty years

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THOUGHTS ON...

Music

The whole problem can be stated quite simply by asking, 'Is there a meaning to music?' My answer would be, 'Yes.' And 'Can you state in so many words what the meaning is?' My answer to that would be, 'No.'

~ Aaron Copland

Music is the only language in which you cannot say a mean or sarcastic thing.

~ John Erskine

If you develop an ear for sounds that are musical it is like developing an ego. You begin to refuse sounds that are not musical and that way cut yourself off from a good deal of experience.

~ John Cage

Writing about music is like dancing about architecture.

~ Elvis Costello

Though music oft hath such a charm to make bad good, and good provoke to harm.

~ William Shakespeare

Music has charms to soothe the savage breast

To soften rocks, or bend a knotted oak.

~ William Congreve

Music is the wine that fills the cup of silence.

~ Robert Fripp

FAMILY OF ROTARY

('Polio' continued from page 1)

conveys a sense of optimism about the possibility of finally eradicating polio. "Particularly in the days of COVID-19, there is something that really resonates about snuffing out a highly communicable infectious disease," he says. "As COVID has taken off, it has also led a lot of people to better understand why now is the time to finish this job with polio."

The particularly encouraging part right now is that the program has a very elaborate net-

HE WHO LAUGHS, LASTS

Get Ready! October 31 is National Knock-Knock Joke Day!

Knock knock! Who's there? Little Old Lady! Little Old Lady Who? Gosh, I didn't know you could yodel!

Proposed New Members

Cynthia Graser

Type of Membership: Individual
Classification: Executive Search Consultant
Proposed by **Greg Pape**

John Powell

Type of Membership: Individual
Classification: Insurance or P&C
Proposed by **Happy Franklin**

work of environmental testing sites for sewage — almost 100 sites in Afghanistan and Pakistan that cover all of the major population centers. In 2020, almost 60 percent of the monthly test samples came back positive for poliovirus. This year to date, that percentage is probably around 15 per-cent. We have been unable to detect any wild poliovirus in Afghanistan since February 23, and we've seen five isolates in Pakistan since April 12.

Why do you think that is? While conditions in 2020 were certainly adverse both for surveillance and for the campaign operations, there are two areas that are helping this year. One is reduced mobility - both within Afghanistan and Pakistan, and across the borders.

< Uddm Birthday*



Bobby Majumder 10.16
Ruth Alhilali 10.18
Roger Allspaugh 10.18
Tammy Cowser 10.18
Fred Brown 10.20
Herbert Durham 10.20
Scurry Johnson 10.20

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