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TODAY'S PROGRAM

Program Chair of the Day: Mark Neace



Keith Randall Duncan

The Movie Institute

Keith, a Dallas native, is a 40-year, award-winning veteran of film and video production and a local nonprofit executive.

Keith founded The Movie Institute (www.movieinstitute.org), a youth development nonprofit in 2000, with Co-Founder Martha Duncan, at the former Studios at Las Colinas (now "Mercury Studios). The Movie Institute is a youth and child mentoring and training organization that uses all aspects of the motion media industry to train vital life skills and provide opportunities to individuals in the community. Keith was instrumental in creating the new MI North Studio in Plano, a Movie Institute production & training center project. He is a certified nonprofit manager.

He is a current member of the Dallas Producers Association, a founding member of the Texas Media Production Alliance and a lifelong member of the American Film Institute. Other active memberships include the Plano Chamber of Commerce, the Associa-

berships include the Plano Chamber of Commerce, the Association of Fundraising professionals and Conscious Capitalism.

He is also a former 8-year instructor and curriculum writer for MediaTech Institute, an accredited digital film and video college located in Dallas.

Keith resides in Plano, Texas, a northern suburb of Dallas. He has been married since 1999 to Martha Duncan (Movie Institute Co-Founder) and has a married stepdaughter, Lauren, who lives in Denton. Texas.

For 25 years, The Movie Institute has mentored & trained vital life and leadership skills in thousands of young people through the creativity and discipline of motion media. We offer filmmaking camps, workshops, and other programs that put young people on the path to creating their own successful futures.

www.movieinstitute.org



Change the Date! North Texas Food Bank Volunteer Packing Day Saturday, October 25th,

9:00am-11:30am at North Texas Food Bank, The sign up form will be available in September. Qs? Ask Susan Glen.



Monday, Oct. 20, 4:00-6:45 pm Prepare and serve dinner for the parents of ill children staying ar Ronald McDonald House, 4707 Bengal St., Dallas, 75235 Qs? Ask Kathleen Klaviter

Save the Date

Friday, Nov, 1 – Soles for Souls.

Start collecting gently used pairs of shoes. The club collected 400 shoes last year. Let's try for more this year..More details coming soon!.

Save the Date Sunday, November 9, 3;00 - 5:00 pm RCPC VIP Guided Tour of the National Medal of Honor Museum

Adult (18+) \$51/ticket Senior (65+) \$46.75/ticket Qs? Ask Happy Franklin

Dentistry with a Heart, Sat, October 18, 2025













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LAST WEEK

Presiding: President Sarah Oliai Invocation and Pledge: Mary Bishop Advertiser of the Week: Mark Neace highlighting Richard Stanford representina CC Young Senior Living

Photographer: Barb Jeffries Speaker: Jeff McKissack Program: "Hocus Focus"



President Sarah Oliai called the meeting together with Mary Bishop giving the Invoca-

tion, Pledge and National Anthem. Several happy bucks were collected for joys. There were no Raffle winners.

Fashad Marzban was presented with his perma- MANY Thanks to Mary nent badge.

Mark your calendar for Notes. 'Shoes for Souls," our annual shoe drive.on Nov-

ember 1. We collected 400 shoes in 2024 and our goal is 800. The North Texas Food Bank packing day is October 25.

Our up and coming social will be:a Tour of the National Medal of Honor Museum on Sunday, November 9 with RSVP to Happy Franklin.

Please consider a donation to World Polio Day by sending a check to Greg Pape

The chairman of the day. Mark Kashar introduced our program 'Hocus Focus' and speaker Jeff McKissack. Jeff is a noted auth- avoid being the target. ority in the fields of threat assessment and the prevention of crime for over 35 years. He conducts seminars, training programs and uses magic tricks to explain.several key techniques that criminals use such as conditioning, misdirection, and illusion. These are simple ways to gain access to your purse, phone, or other valuable items. We are conditioned to stop for a person dressed as a cop. He warned a badge is not enough as they can be bought or collected by thieves. If the patch of identification is stitched to the uniform it will most likely be legitimate. Call 911 if unsure.

Several cautions: Don't open emails from unknown people and educate yourself on scams. Beware of someone playing on your

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Please remember and keep them in your prayers.

Cindy Cummings remains at C.C. Young. Please let us know your concerns.

PDG C.C. Collie passed away Sunday. October 19 at the age of 102. His memorial service will be at Highland Park United Methodist Church in the Sanctuary, Tuesday, November 11, 2025, 1:00pm (Veteran's Day - how fitting) If you want to write Mrs. Collie (Sue) a note, her address:is Mrs. C.C. Collie and Family, 8610 Turtle Creek Blvd., #203, Dallas, TX 75225

Bishop for these Meeting

emotions (a child) or asking for help (cable jump). Watch for accomplices and the bait and switch, a group causing a commotion, or a misdirection scheme. My goal is to help you spot trouble before trouble spots vou. Beware of your surroundings and focus to prevent and













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 A high ethical standards A

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UPCOMING PROGRAMS



Oct. 31 DG Mary Bedosky **District Governor Official Visit**



Darin Klemchuk Carry the Load



Nov. 14 Larry Webb, District Foundation Chair The Rotary Foundation



Nov. 21 TBA You won't want to miss it!

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 Eventor 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 Jack Carpenter.

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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THOUGHTS ON . . .

Movies

The movies are the only business where you can go out front and applaud yourself. ~ Will Rogers

Joel: That's the movies, Ed. Try reality.

Ed: No thanks. ~ Ellen Herman

Some relationships start with fights... But, usually only in romantic comedies. Life's not the movies.

~ Takayuki Ikkak, etc.

You go to movies to see people you love suffer - that's why you go to the movies. You don't go to see a movie about a guy who already knows he has a wonderful life.

~ Joss Whedon

In films murders are always very clean. I show how difficult it is and what a messy thing it is to kill a ~ Alfred Hitchcock man.

Life is like a B-picture script. It is that corny. If I had my life story offered to me to film, I'd turn it down. ~ Kirk Douglas

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL

excerpted from

From hope to history: how we defeated polio in the Western Pacific

by Dr. Shigeru Omi

The Polio Frontline of 1990

When I started in 1990, most people thought the goal was impossible. The virus was still endemic in large parts of Asia. There was no money. No road map. Just]a resolution passed by WHO: to eradicate polio by the year 2000. It was,in a word, chaos.

The first thing I noticed was the absence of basic surveillance systems. Cases of polio went undetected, unreported, and not tested to be diagnosed. Official records showed only 6,000 cases per year. But we all knew that number was wrong. The virus wasn't hiding. We were simply blind to it

Of course, there were more In Cambodia and Vietnam, families lived on boats, drifting along rivers - unreachable, undocumented, and highly vulnerable to disease. In places like Mindanao in the Philippines, conflict ' made access nearly impossible. In China, children born outside the "one child" policy were often not registered at all. No documents meant no health services - and no vaccines. These unregistered children were vaccines. These unregistered children were

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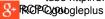
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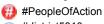
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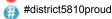
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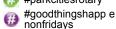
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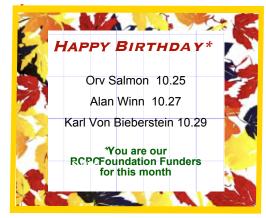




the ones polio found first.

And one of the greatest challenges was funding. Even purchasing enough vaccine required millions of dollars – not to mention the operational cost, resources needed to build infrastructure, train health workers, and reach remote communities.

It was October 1992. Rotarians from Japan, India, and the United Statez came with an offer: "If you agree to lower the target age for vaccination from under five to under four," they said, "we will donate US\$1.5 million immediately." The US\$1.5 million was our first real pool of funding. Rotary didn't just write a check. They showed up. And they stayed. They became true partners. Momentum came slowly and then all at once. In 2000, we celebrated the certification of the whole WHO Western Pacific Region as polio-free.



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