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April 15, 2011

Program Chair of the Day: Bob Dill





Admiral Patrick M. Walsh Commander, U.S. Pacific Fleet

dmiral Patrick M. Walsh graduated with honors from Jesuit College Preparatory in Dallas and received both the Distinguished Graduate and Distinguished Alumnus awards. He graduated from the United States Naval Academy in 1977 with a Bachelor of Science degree.

Walsh began operational flying with the "Golden Dragons" of Attack Squadron 192. He then reported to Air Test and Evaluation Squadron 5 as an Operational Test director until selection to the Navy Flight Demonstration Squadron, "Blue Angels." When he returned to the fleet, Walsh joined the "Golden Warriors" of Strike-Fighter Squadron 87 as the Operations Officer.

Walsh commanded the "Gunslingers" of Strike-Fighter Squadron 105. He commanded Carrier Air Wing 1 aboard USS John F. Kennedy (CV 67), and Carrier

Group 7/USS John C. Stennis Strike Group. He also commanded U.S. Naval Forces Central Command and U.S. 5th Fleet, while commanding the Combined Maritime Forces conducting Operations Enduring Freedom, Iragi Freedom and maritime security operations. Prior to his assignment to U.S. Pacific Fleet, he served as the 35th Vice Chief of Naval Operations. Walsh has been a special assistant to the Director of the Office of Management and Budget as a White House Fellow. He chaired the Department of Leadership, Ethics and Law at the U.S. Naval Academy, served as the executive assistant to the Chief of Naval Personnel, and reported to the Joint Staff for his first flag assignment as the deputy director for Strategy and Policy, (J-5). He also served concurrently as the director, Navy Quadrennial Defense Review and Director, Navy Programming Division. He attended graduate studies in the International Relations curriculum at the Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy, Tufts University, as part of the Admiral Arthur S. Moreau Scholarship Program. Walsh graduated first in his class and received a Master of Arts in Law and Diplomacy, entered the Doctorate Program with distinction and subsequently received a Ph.D.

His awards and decorations include the Distinguished Service Medal (2), Defense Superior Service Medal, Legion of Merit (4), Meritorious Service Medal (2), Air Medal w/ Combat V, Strike/Flight Medal (5), Navy Commendation Medal (3) w/ Combat V, Navy Achievement Medal, Presidential Service Badge, and various other awards.

For more on the Pacific Fleet, see www.cpf.navy.mil/navy

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL

Rotary and Oikocredit launch strategic partnership

The Rotary Foundation Trustees have reached an agreement with Oikocredit International, a Netherlands-based cooperative financial institution that promotes socially responsi-

ble investing, to form the first strategic partnership under the Foundation's Future Vision Plan.

Through the partnership, the Foundation will offer packaged grants for Rotary clubs and districts to work with microfinance institutions within the Oikocredit network. Together, these institutions and Rotarians will identify local needs,

develop effective approaches, and structure training programs to improve entrepreneurs' business skills.

"This strategic partnership with Oikocredit

enables Rotary to work with a globally recognized leader in the field of microfinance in order to make a meaningful contribution to poverty reduction," said Foundation Trustee Chair Carl-Wilhelm Stenhammar. "It allows Rotary club members to directly contribute their valuable expertise and skills without administering the loans."

New free Rotary Club Locator iPhone app available



You can now search for a Rotary club with RI's free iPhone app. In the Apple app store it's called the Rotary Club Locator from Rotary International. The app also will soon be offered for Android phones.

If you have questions or feedback, please let RI know by emailing contact.center@ rotary.org



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LAST WEEK

Presiding: Rick Amsberry Invocation: Charlie Bond

Pledge/Song Leader: Kirby Warnock

Introductions: Charlie Bond Photographer: Bill Kelly Chair of the Day: Howard Fitch Speaker: Robert McClelland, MD Program: JFK at the Parkland ER on Nov. 22, 1963

President Rick Amsberry called the meeting to order.

Charlie Bond gave the invocation; and said that there were no members ill or in the



hospital. Kirby Warnock led the Pledge of

Allegiance and "The Star Spangled Banner," followed by "Texas, Our Texas." Charlie Bond returned to introduce our visitors and quests, which included former RCPC member Helmut

Delius and a long-distance visiting Rotarian from Evanston, IN. Dax Seale

recognized The Hub and web advertisers of the week. Greg Pape



remarked on all that Rotari-

ans do to make a difference. He quoted Stephen Covey on the characteristics of great achievers, then recog-

nized some of the great achievers in RCPC, Drs. Michael Rainwater, Moody Alexander, and Roy Washburn, for their dental care to the community, and Charlie Bond who is one of Dallas's most substantial contributors to the Rotary Foundation. He

Members with quests

Pam Carvey Howard Fitch John Gilchrist Jerry Sayers Fred Speno

then recognized Alan Winn as a Major Donor to the Rotary Foundation.



Howard Fitch introduced our speaker today, Dr. Bob

McClelland who is the last living surgeon who

attended President Kennedy in the Emergency Room of Parkland Hospital. He said he was in his second year at Parkland in 1963. When he got the notice that President Kennedy had been shot and



was being brought to Parkland, he went to the ER. One of the first things he saw was Mrs. Kennedy sitting on a folding chair in her bloody clothing. When he actually walked into the trauma room he saw the President lying on his back, and two other staff surgeons already exploring a small neck wound. Dr. McClelland said he moved to the head of the gurney, and then he saw the massive wound at the back of the President's head. He said he could look down in to the President's skull and see that the back half of his brain had been blown out. Then as he watched, the right half of the President's cerebellum fell out. He went on to say that the nature of the wound and his own research, has led him to believe that President Kennedy was first shot from the back as the motorcade turned on to Elm Street, then he was shot again from the front as if by a high-powered rifle from the picket fence on the grassy knoll. He said that there is accumulating evidence that it was a shot from the grassy knoll that caused the fatal head wound. Later, he also attended Lee Harvey Oswald. By the time he arrived, Oswald was being resuscitated, but he believes the nature of the wound kept him from being saved. Rather than the bullet going straight through, Oswald had turned just as the shot was fired so the bullet traveled across his abdomen, injuring the two main blood vessels.

Dr. McClelland brought the blood-stained shirt that he had worn as he worked on President Kennedy in the ER.



President Rick's quote from Paul Harris: "If Rotary ceases to be a responsibility and becomes a mere relaxation or pastime, its usefulness will cease."

EVENTS CALENDAR

April						
S	M	T	W	Th	F	S
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3	M	M	M _V v	M In	Mtg	
10	М	M Cn	М	M In	Mtg	
17	M M c	М	Мвс	M In	0	
24	М	M	М	M In	Mtg	

AED = Defibrillator Training BI = Blood Drive BD = Board of Dirs. Mtg, 7 am LaMadeleine, 75 & Mockingbird CM = Circles of Success Mentoring See T. Gomes Cn = PCR Connect Event. = ChildsPlay Work Mtg = District 5810 Event DH = Dentistry with a Heart FR = Family of Rotary Event F = Fellowship Event = RCPC Foundation Fund

Mtg. See Jim Mills

Get involved! In- Interact at Hillcrest H.S. 8 am. See Tracy Gomes M = Meals on Wheels (Different teams on each day) See Charles Delphenis Mc = Ronald McDonald House-See Jina McDaniel NM = New Member Event Pr = Program Committee Mtg Reading and Radio Resources See Hal Copeland Special Service VV = Vet to Vet - See Bob Dill Web-lite = after noon mtg Blue = Activities on own schedule

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THE HUB

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UPCOMING PROGRAMS





April 29

Kenneth Starr Baylor University



May 6 Forrest Hoglund, Nicole Small Perot Museum of Science and Nature

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May 13 Art Bollon, PhD Artificial Blood

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CLUB ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sign up at www.parkcitiesrotary.org

Ronald McDonald House, Mon, Apr 18, 5:00-7:00pm at RMcD House. Serve dinner to families of hospitalized kids. See Jina McD.

Meals On Wheels needs one volunteer to deliver meals on the third Monday of each month. Contact Charles Delphenis for details

EREY - \$100 to the RI Foundation from Every Rotarian Every Year!

Projector Setup & Breakdown for Friday Meetings. Now 'til Jun 24, 2011. About half hour before or after the mtg.

Do You Love a Parade? Fourth of July Parade, Mon, July 4. Jobs for all. Sign up soon to get your favorite. See Cleve, John, Jon.

RI Convention, May 21-25, New Orleans, LA

ROTARY CONNECTED

Linked In Interesting new thread: In these tough economic times, how have fellow Rotarians communicated to their employers the benefits of being an active Rotarian?

Tweet of the Week: Mischief, adventure & one big idea. Tell young people about Rotary's history with The Remarkable Mr. Harris comic book. http://cot.ag/h2MwOC

Interesting new thread: Thank you to Rotarians in the Philippines and Australia who helped bring clean drinking water to residents in the Philippines with a US\$400,000 grant from The Rotary Foundation and USAID.

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

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

THOUGHTS ON . . .

The Sea

I walked beside the evening sea and dreamed a dream that could not be; the waves that plunged along the shore said only: "Dreamer, dream no more!

~ George William Curtis

The human heart is like a ship on a stormy sea driven about by winds blowing from all four corners of heaven.

~ Martin Luther King, Jr.

He that will not sail till all dangers are over must never put to sea. ~ Thomas Fuller

Smooth seas do not make skillful sailors. ~ Proverb

Anyone can hold the helm when the sea is calm.

~ Publilius Syrus

He that would learn to pray, let him go to sea. ~ Proverb

NEW MEMBER TRIVIA

Harold Dean Chance

- 1. What are you most proud of in your life? Having good, loyal friends.
- 2. What is something about you that most people don't know? I am an Eagle Scout.
- 3. What is your personal motto? Know the truth.
- 4. Who is the person who has influenced your life the most? My father.
- 5. What was your favorite childhood pet? Dog.
- 6. What is your favorite book or movie? My favorite book is *The Black Swan* by Nassim Nicholas Taleb

- 7. What would you like to be remembered for? That I am trustworthy.
- 8. What is your favorite thing to do in your spare time? Read.
- 9. What is the most embarrassing thing that ever happened to you? Playing in a trumpet trio that played a wrong note.
- 10. What is your nickname? Dean.
- 11. How did you first learn about Rotary? My father.
- **12.** Where were you and what were you doing on Sept. 11, 2001? I had just retired on Sept. 4, 2001 and was in Springfield, IL, visiting my parents.

THEY PROFIT MOST WHO LAUGH BEST

It may be that your sole purpose in life is simply to be kind to others. If you can't be kind, at least have the decency to be vague.

A truly happy person is one who can enjoy the scenery on a detour.

Youth would be an ideal state if it just came a little later in life.

If you lend someone \$20 and never see them again, it was probably worth it.

The most effective way to remember your wife's birthday is to forget it once.

Birthdays are good for you. The more you have, the longer you will live.

FOUNDATION FUNDERS

Our Funders for Next Week are

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