



THE HUB

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Serving to Make a Difference Since 1948

TODAY'S PROGRAM

Program Chair of the Day: Marcia Zidle



Howard Fitch* New Member Speech Day

The Club's New Members

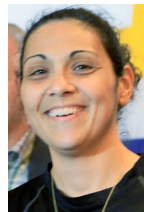
Introductions

**Howard Fitch was a member for only about three and a half years before his sudden and untimely death in September, 2012. Always friendly and joking, he is most remembered for "shepherding" the new members through to their Blue Badges. He coined the phrase "Living Obituaries" for these new member speeches.*



Laine DiStefano

Classification: Marriage and
Family Counseling
Proposed by
Mark Kashar



Danielle Girdano

Classification: Nutrition
and Fitness
Proposed by
Mark Neace



Kyle Marmillion

Classification
: Insurance
Proposed by
Tom Swift



William Parker

Classification
Physician
Proposed by
Clayton Rote



Bob Wehrmann

Classification:
Publishing (Retired)
Proposed by
Phillip Bankhead

COMMITTEE TIME

Mark Your Calendars!

**Food Packing
Service Project**
with the
**Dallas Rotary Club and
Feeding Children
Everywhere**
Benefitting
the **DISD Food Pantry**
Saturday, Feb. 24
1:00 - 3:00 pm
with a Happy Hour
afterwards at
The House of Blues
2200 North Lamar
Dallas 75202



Collaborative Partners' Leaders Honored as Paul Harris Fellows

with thanks to PP Karen Farris, PP Fred Brown, and Katt Massey

Our Strategic Plan priority #2 involves enhancing our club impact and community awareness through collaborative partnerships. This strategic priority has served us well. Our club works with many service partners - all very important organizations - but collaborative partnerships are deeper relationships with organizations that tie into our overall strategic plan.

They are organizations that transcend a specific event. We work to understand and support one another's priorities, we have tried to align our RCPC Foundation grants to support their needs (58% of our grant money has been directed to our collaborative



partners in the past 5 years) and ideally we like to see a member of their organization join our club. We have 5 collaborative partners. The PHF honorary recipients were, Trisha Cunningham of NTFB, member **Stephanie Bohan** of Agape Clinic and **Orv Salmon**, anchor of RCPC's relationship with Salvation Army. He is a multiple PHA and Sapphire recipient; other recipients were members Major **Paul McFarland**, and **Stan Carr** of the Salvation Army. We are appreciative of our collaborative partners, the people who work within them, and what they do to enhance impact on our club and the community.

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

LAST WEEK

Presiding: **Pam Carvey**
 Invocation: **Paul Pirok**
 Pledge: **Anne Harper**
 Photographer: **Barb Jeffries**
 Chair of the Day: **Ley Waggoner**
 Speaker: **Trisha Cunningham**, CEO
 Program: **One Meal at a Time; Stop Hunger, Build Hope**

President **Pam Carvey** called the meeting to order. Her first announcement was of the death of PP **Moody Alexander** who was a founder of Dentistry of the Heart and was given a Lifetime Achievement Award last June. **Mary Bishop** had the room decked out for Valentine's day with sweet treats at each place. **Paul Pirok** gave the invocation noting to pray for healing for **Marilyn Hargrave**, **Rob Pirtle**, **Janie Loveless**, **Sara Oli-ai's** mother. **Anne Harper** led the Pledge of Allegiance and the Star-Spangled Banner. The Market Place Advertising was presented by **Tom Swift**, **Valerie Pelan** is an accomplished Leadership-Executive Coach.

Fred Brown and **Karen Farris** presented the Rotary Club Foundation's Paul Harris Fellows to five people who are part of our Collaborative Partners. [Story on Front Page.]



John Gilchrist

Presented a RCPC foundation Grant to Mike Miles, ED of the Dallas Area Parkinson's Society. Mike let us know that the

funds would be going to their non-contact boxing Program and their "Move, Laugh, Connect" Program.

New Member **Abby Phillips** was introduced by **Scott McLaughlin**. Abby is with HFS Wealth Management. She was an alum of RYLA in Austin, and a Rotary founder and Past President at Texas Tech. She is also involved in CASA.



PP **Ley Waggoner** introduced speaker

Please remember ...

PP **Rod Pirtle** who is awaiting a decision on heart surgery

Marilyn Hargrave who had surgery on Monday

Pat Martin's mother, Nieva Barr in ICU

Janie Loveless

Sara Oli-ai's mother

If you wish to send Mimi, our former pianist, a note or a card, the best address is- Mimi Guten, c/o Ruthie Guten, 953 Englewood Ln, Plano TX 75025

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

Trisha Cunningham of the North Texas Food Bank

Trisha started the program with telling us about the tough choices that their clients must make, and had the group participate in a "Tough Choices" survey that was reflective of the type of budgets their clients are on. At the end of the month and after all the bills and unexpected expenses are in, they barely have enough money to buy groceries. The food at NTFB comes from; 54% Grant Programs, 41% is donated, and 5% is purchased. There are Farm Bill Programs that support food pantries, direct programs (mobile food pantry) and social services. They provide 190,000 meals each day, 70 million meals annually, 230 partner agencies, and 1000+ feeding programs within 13 counties in the Dallas Metro. They have a 10-year plan to provide access to 92 million meals annually by 2025. Their approach will include network expansion, community engagement, and client visibility. They will need to increase the volunteer count from 35,000 a to 60,000 to help complete this goal. "Stop Hunger, Build Hope" is part of a capital campaign working to raise \$55 million dollars to use to fund 'brick and mortar' projects including a new facility in Plano, and a plan to connect the service organizations and healthcare providers in the areas that they serve.



with thanks to Katt Massey for these Notes!

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 (Differ-

ent 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

EVENTS CALENDAR

February						
S	M	T	W	Th	F	S
				M	Mtg	
4	M	M	M	M	Mtg	D
11	M	M	FF	Cn	Mtg	
18	M	Mc	M	BD	Mn	SpE
25	M	M	M			

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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UPCOMING PROGRAMS



Feb. 23 Eddy Moore, Tournament Chairman
Byron Nelson Golf Tournament



Mar. 2 Ethics and
Hillcrest Ethics Fair Winners



Mar. 9 Ginger Reeder, VP of Communications
Earth X



Mar. 16 New Members
Introductions

ROTARY CONNECTED



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



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

Food Packing Project with Dallas RC Benefitting DISD Food Pantry.

Sat, Feb. 24, 1:00-3:00pm at House of Blues, followed by Happy Hour

Core Happy Hour, Tues, March 6, 6pm at Greek Isle Restaurant.

Service Trip to Cuba with Plano East RC, March 3 - 10, 2018. \$1,875/per person, all inclusive. For details see <https://portal.clubrunner.ca/13749>.

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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THOUGHTS ON ... FAMILY OF ROTARY

Humanity

The worst sin toward our fellow creatures is not to hate them, but to be indifferent to them: that's the essence of inhumanity.

~ **George Bernard Shaw**

Be ashamed to die until you have won some victory for humanity.

~ **Horace Mann**

You must not lose faith in humanity. Humanity is an ocean; if a few drops of the ocean are dirty, the ocean does not become dirty.

~ **Mahatma Gandhi**

So long as we live among men, let us cherish humanity.

~ **Andre Gide**

A really great man is known by three signs... generosity in the design, humanity in the execution, moderation in success.

~ **Otto von Bismarck**

What sunshine is to flowers, smiles are to humanity. These are but trifles, to be sure; but, scattered along life's pathway, the good they do is inconceivable.

~ **Joseph Addison**

In Memory of Moody Alexander

Some excerpts from a Dallas Morning News article, dated February 11, 2018

"Orthodontist Charles Moody Alexander cared for people of all ages but, being young at heart himself, was especially fond of his younger patients.

"His youthful streak extended well into his senior years, when the retired Dallas doctor and professor celebrated his 80th birthday in 2012 by skydiving. ...

"Alexander took an interest in his patients, young and old, remembered details about each and every one of them and made a connection. ...

"in 1975 Alexander moved his practice to Dallas, where he was invited to teach orthodontics at the Baylor College of Dentistry, now Texas A&M College of Dentistry. In 1977 Alexander was named chair of the orthodontics department.

"In 1987 Alexander returned to private practice, after leading the department for ten years, but continued to teach part time and make a difference for young people.

"in 2008 Alexander founded Great Expectations, a mentoring program for first-year students at the dental school"



HE PROFITS MOST WHO LAUGHS BEST

"Darling," said the young man to his new bride. "Now that we are married, do you think you will be able to live on my modest income?" "Of course, dearest, no trouble," she answered. "But what will you live on?"

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*Happy Birthday**

Betty Dawson 2.18

* You are our RCPC Funders for this week

