

Summer **Weekly**



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UPCOMING MEETINGS

September 18

"Annual Camp RYLA Program"

September 25

Pat Reeder -"Nine Hallmarks of Highly Incompetent Losers"

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October 2

Yoram Solomon - "The Worst Diet Ever"

October 9

President Earnest Burke - "Club Assembly"

October 16

Jim Duffy, District 5810 RYLA Operations Director -"2014 International RYLA Experience"

SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Ean Sullivan Sep 04 Satinder Baweja Sep 16 Hubert Aaron Sep 17





The fun started before the meeting began. Sitting at the front table with the speaker and two of his guests, I was able to watch as they read the newsletter and laughed. Robert Phillips pledged that he would give me no reason to roast him in the newsletter, and if I raised my hand, he would not call on me. Thank you everyone for taking up the slack and being irreverent like you always are. The guests had a great time.



To start the meeting, Earnest created a new tradition for our club. Being that it was 9-11 and the Joint Plano Rotary clubs had their memorial service the previous evening, it was fresh on everyone's mind. He announced that every year on this date or as close as we can come, we will toll the rotary bell for the number of years since 9-11. This year was 13 years. Kirk Bell, (and not because of his name), was asked to toll the bell and was handed the president's gavel. After the chimes had faded in the room, Jan Sullivan was called to the podium to lead us in the invocation. She was followed by Doyle Dean and with the Pledge and "Yes", Bob was present, at the front and booming like a bass drum, ending with the usual "Thank you, Bob", which brought new laughter from the guests at the front table. The President's notes say that Karen Sheldon was Greeter, but when I arrived, Nancy Humphrey and Satiner Baweja were at the door, shaking hands and giving everyone friendly greetings.



Nathan Barbera decided, in his Sergeant-at-arms' wisdom, that Kirk Bell and Earnest owed the club \$5.00 for Mr. Bell ringing "The Bell". That was a great catch Nathan.





Look below, in the dark box. Will someone please ask Roberts Phillips to join our club? He not only showed up to give the program; He also brought four guests. This man could be a one man recruiting team.

When Yoram Solomon was asked to introduce his guest who is now a new member, Nathan asked him what category he joined under. Yoram replied "Jewish Lawyer", which was a category Nathan said he had never heard of.

So someone said, "All Jewish lawyers please stand up", and there were more in the room. That got a great big chuckle. It looks to be a new category for our club.

GUEST GUEST OF Assaf Zedekah Yoram Solomon Allan Murovitz Yoram Solomon Rick Bover Jan Sullivan Louise Weston Ferrill Larry Bisno Kirk Bell Justin Roche Earnest Burke **Dennis Hogg** Dr Egelston Sarah Akers

Jeff McKissack Robert Phillips
Jeff Douthit Robert Phillips
Maddisen Reid Robert Phillips
Sarah Crilley Robert Phillips

Kristy Card Paul Card

VISITING ROTARIAN HOME CLUB
Paul Card Dallas



Nathan chose as his goldfish for the day, Mr. Randy Wright.

Where were you born: Chicago, Illinois

Work your father did: Exterminator

Were you well behaved: Extremely

Your Nickname: Randy

Where did you go to High School:

LaBelle, Missouri

Play Sports: Not really

Serve in the Military: Yes, 5 years in the Army

Did you go to College: University of Missouri

Then there were announcements:

Jan Sullivan gave the announcement about the District Raffle of a Luxury Sports Outing. The District has now

agreed to pay the income taxes on the prize won. So if you are interested, go to

http://www.crsadmin.com/EventPortal/Registrations/PublicFill/EventPublicFill.aspx?evtid=0bd6ed66-5d50-4b2c-ae55-db5637b977f0

and purchase your tickets.



Nancy Humphrey made the Announcement about the Annual Hendrick Scholarship Foundation Golf Tournament coming up the end of October.

Save the Date

Hendrick Scholarship Foundation
Scramble for Scholarships Golf
Tournament
Presented by Toyota of Plano
Hosted by Plano Rotary

Mark your calendar: **Dinner/Auction**Wednesday, October 29th

Haggard Party Barn

Plano, TX

Golf Tournament Thursday, October 30th Stonebriar Country Club

Frisco, TX

We need sponsors, golfers and volunteers. If you can help in any of these areas please see Nancy at one of the meetings, or email her at:

Nancy@nancyhumphrey.org

David McWhorter announced our speaker, Robert Phillips. Roberts Phillips is a proud member of the North Texas Crime Commission and licensed instructor TroubleSpotters.com. He presents educational programs to private sector audiences,

helping everyday people learn to identify, and therefore hopefully avoid, becoming victims of violent crime. Simply put, Robert will help you learn how to better "spot trouble before trouble spots you!"

Roberts is also a consultant with Texas Law Shield, a legal services company that offers a comprehensive legal defense program for people who have to use a firearm in selfdefense.



Robert started his talk with a situation that has happened in Carrollton and Garland areas, in order to seduce our trust. You are in the mall on a mission for a specific purchase. Two men in suits walk up and flash a badge, and tell you a story about your car being broken into by men they have had under surveillance for weeks. The men breaking into the car are claiming it is their car and they locked the keys in it. They ask you to prove it is your car by showing them your registration. Where is your registration, usually? In the glove box of the car, so they ask you to go with them to retrieve it. Would you have gone with them? Most people would. It does not take a gun or a knife to gain a person's trust, just a good story. Criminals can always act much faster than we can react, so the criminal will win every time. If you want spot trouble before it spots you, following:

Scan -- Watch everything around you and pay attention to what is going on around you.

Profile -- Profiling is only about behaviors, not about looks, religion, etc. Pay attention to the behavior of the people who approach you. Ask these two questions: 1. What is this person asking me to do? Does it call for a rush response? 2. Where are they asking you to go? Is it away from where I am and who I am with? Is it reasonable and where others can see?

Observe-- Is the same as Scanning, except that you are not moving. Sitting in a restaurant or bar. If there is trouble, get out of there. Do not stay.

Trust -- Trust your gut instinct or the little voice that says there is something wrong here.



Hendrick Scholarship Foundation

Dinner/Auction Wednesday, October 29th Haggard Party Barn Plano, TX

Presented by Toyota of Plano Scramble for Scholarships Golf Tournament Hosted by Plano Rotary

Golf Tournament Thursday, October 30th Stonebriar Country Club Frisco, TX

Guests & Visiting Rotarians

Guest **Guest Of** Yoram Solomon Assaf Zedekah Yoram Solomon Allan Murovitz Rick Boyer Jan Sullivan Louise Weston Ferrill Larry Bisno Justin Roche Kirk Bell Earnest Burke **Dennis Hogg** Dr. Egelston Sarah Akers Jeff McKissack **Robert Phillips Robert Phillips** Jeff Douthit **Robert Phillips** Maddisen Reid Sarah Crilley **Robert Phillips** Kristy Card Paul Card

Visiting Rotarian

Home Club Paul Card Dallas

New Member Proposal

Dennis Hogg Proposed by: Earnest Burke Classification: Real Estate

Richard Bover Proposed by: Ean Sullivan Classification: Merchant Services

New Member Proposal

Justin Roche Proposed by: Kirk Bell Classification: Management

Allan Murovitz Proposed by: Yoram Solomon Classification: Technology

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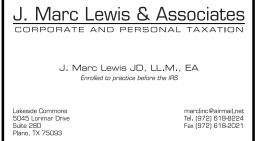
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