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Division Street Diner

Today' Program

Dr. Alan Saxe

Dr. Alan Saxe is an Associate Professor of Political Science at UTA. He joined UTA in 1965. His teaching areas include State and local politics and government, American Civil Liberties, American Political Films, Arlington City Politics and Contemporary Critics of Society and Politics.

Alan is a frequent commentator on state and national political events on USA Radio, America Radio, and numerous radio stations in the area and throughout the United States. Published books include four editions of American National Government: A Core Approach and History of Arlington Politics: An Era of Continuity and Growth.

Alan has always been involved in public service and is an Honorary Board member of Arlington Life Shelter, An Honorary Board member of Human Society of North Texas, an Honorary Board member of Dental Health Arlington and an active participant in Partners Together for Health Foundation for John Peter Smith Public Hospital.

Dr. Saxe is well known for his philanthropy in the North Texas area. His mother left him \$500,000 upon her death which he promptly gave away to charitable organizations. Several landmarks throughout Arlington, Texas are named after Dr. Saxe in honor of his generous giving. These include: Allan Saxe Park, The Allan Saxe Dental Clinic, The Allan Saxe Field, and the Allan Saxe Parkway.

Alan is an Okie and earned his BA, MA and PhD in Political Science from the University of Oklahoma. While in school, he served as a tutor for the University of Oklahoma football team. He is a frequent favorite speaker at numerous Arlington civic organizations including Arlington Sunrise Rotary Club.

Please join me in a Warm Sunrise Rotary Welcome for Alan Saxe.

Programs

December 13 Dr. Alan Saxe

December 20 Lamar Christmas Music

December 27 No Meeting

Greeters

December 13 Craig Lidell(1), Anonymous(2),

Chip May, Tom McGrew

December 20 Chris McLucas(1), Rick McVay(2),

Bill Miller, Don Mims

December 27 No Meeting

(1) Prayer and Pledge (2) Introduce

Visitors

Fine Program

December 13 Donn Howard

December 20 Chip May

December 27 No Meeting

Foundation Moment

December 20 Jack Rogers

Fear of Friday the 13th — one of the most popular myths in science — is called paraskavedekatriaphobia as well as friggatriskaidekaphobia. Triskaidekaphobia is fear of the number 13.

The number 13 suffers from its position after 12, according to numerologists who consider the latter to be a complete number — 12 months in a year, 12 signs of the zodiac, 12 gods of Olympus, 12 labors of Hercules, 12 tribes of Israel, 12 apostles of Jesus, 12 days of Christmas and 12 eggs in a dozen.

Holiday Progressive Dinner

Our party will be a progressive dinner this year. Tonight at 6:00 PM. We will all start off Southern Flair Photography for appetizers.

After 45 minutes to an hour, we will then go progress to the dinner houses. After our meal we will meet up again at Samir's house for dessert.

We will be asking those who are attending to contribute \$5 per person to pay for the meat/veggies for the meals.