

## Fort Worth Southwest

District 5790 - Club 1788

### 2020-2021 Officers

**President** Bern Havey  
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**Treasurer** Chris Castoro  
**Secretary** Jim Ervin  
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#### Programs

Jim Ervin/Nancy Kalka

#### Communications

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#### Foundation

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#### Membership/ Club Service

Gene Lamis

#### Vocational

Tom Kleuser

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### Upcoming Programs

**May 27**

**Susan Engelhart**

**June 3**

**Nancy Kalka**

JoAnn Reyes, MRE  
President/Co-Founder  
Fort Worth HOPE Center

**June 10**

**Club Assembly**

**June 17**

**Jim Ervin**

*Katia Perini*

*Tourist Guide of Florence  
(Portlaoise Club will join us.)*

## May is Youth Service Month

Thursday, May 20, 2021

### Jim Ervin

*Hummingbird Facts and Photos*



**Jim Ervin** is originally from Oklahoma City. After serving four years in the U.S. Air Force at a SAC base in Northern Maine, he went to work for the American Automobile Association (AAA) in Oklahoma City. He later transferred to Fort Worth in October of 1989.

Jim retired from AAA after 33-1/2 years as Area District Manager. He joined the Rotary Club shortly thereafter – In January of 1990. His hobbies include traveling, cooking, and photography.

## Happy Birthday!



Joe Gonzalez May 1  
Paul Sitton May 7  
Craig Verwers May 24

*The Fort Worth Southwest Club meets at noon every Thursday at Mira Vista Country Club, 6600 Mira Vista Blvd, Fort Worth. We are also meeting via Zoom.*

### Important Links

[Club Facebook Page](#)

[Club Website](#)

[District 5790 Website](#)

[Rotary International Website](#)

### **The Rotary Four-way Test:**

**Of the things we think, say or do..**

*Is it the **truth**?*

*Is it **fair** to all concerned?*

*Will it build **goodwill** and  
**better friendships**?*

*Will it be **beneficial** to all  
concerned*

Jim and his wife, Jane, will celebrate their 40<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary on June 13.



***Let's support the urgent need for blood  
in our community!***

### Message from Carter BloodCare:

It's been a difficult year for the blood supply and it is not looking any easier for the foreseeable future.

For the past 100 days, local hospitals have been forced to make daily decisions about patients' transfusion needs because of a limited and uncertain blood supply. Until now, blood collections have kept pace with a day-to-day supply. However, day-to-day blood donations are not enough for the sheer number of local patients requiring transfusions. This limited blood supply is further challenged by an increased hospital demand that is no longer supported by the current rate of blood donations. Simply put, we need new blood donors and existing blood donors with increased frequency of donations.

Being a blood donor is one of the incredible ways you choose to give back and help your community. Please make time to give this week and invite your friends and family to give as well. Schedule your appointment [online](#) at any of our 25 community donor centers or by calling/texting **800-366-2834**.

Our Community partner Chuy's is also hosting community blood drives at participating locations in D/FW, Tyler and Waco. Click here to [for more details or to make an appointment](#).

***PS: You can still give blood if you received your Covid-19 vaccine.***