virtual participants are looking ahead to next year's gathering in Melbourne, the sparkling second city of Australia.

This vibrant hub of art, sports, and cuisine will host the 2023 convention, set for 27-31 May. Rotary members, participants, and supporters are invited to Imagine What's Next and explore the possibilities for Rotary's future.

Our commitment to diversity, equity, and inclusion will also be an important focus during the event, which will be packed with thought-provoking speakers and practical breakout sessions. Rotary members in the Host Organization Committee are planning activities to show visitors why their city is known for world-class sports, cultural diversity, exceptional dining, and inventive street art.

Anyone who <u>registers</u> by 15 December will pay a reduced price.

The 2022 convention in Houston, Texas, USA, offered plenty of inspiring moments as Rotary's global network gathered in person for the first time since 2019, following two conventions that were held virtually because of COVID-19. The convention offered participants new horizons to discover through inperson events and a robust schedule of virtual offerings (with recordings available through 31 August).

BY THE WAY:

Do you know someone that could benefit from the fellowship of Rotary? Why don't we all ask those people to join us in the privilege of membership?

THE EARLY RISER





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THE ROTARY 4 WAY TEST

First: Is it the TRUTH?

Second: Is it FAIR to all concerned?

Third: Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?

Fourth: Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?



ROTARY PRAYER

Oh Lord, and giver of all good, we thank Thee for our daily food.

May Rotary friends and Rotary ways, help to serve Thee all of our days

THE ROTARY CLUB OF WICHITA FALLS NORTH



2021-22 R.I. Officers ~ D5790

President of Rotary International: Shekhar Mehta District Governor: Kayla Christianson OFFICERS AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS – 2021-22 President: Clint Wood ~ President Elect: Ajay Kumar

Secretary: Tom Sheriff ~ Treasurer: Ann Lucas Executive Secretary: Jeani Secord ~ Sgt. at Arms: Joe Clement

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FUTURE PROGRAM ASSIGNMENTS

June 24 Joe Clement ~ Cl	harles Grady – Allred Chapel Project
June 26Dist. Governor 2022-23	Installation Banquet ~ Mineral Wells
June 28Rotary North Installation	Banquet – Fiesta Mariachi Restaurant
June 30 Hot Dog cook for the	ne club's adopted squadron at SAFB!
July 1	David Collins
July 8	Mike Crocker
July 15 3	^{3rd} Friday ~ Rotary Board Meeting
July 22	Bill Neale
July 29	Ann Lucas
August 5	Larry Gunnell
	Jeani Secord
August 19 3	^{3rd} Friday ~ Rotary Board Meeting
August 26District	Governor Dan Steele's official visit.
September 2	Troy Secord
September 9	Tom Sheriff

NEWS FROM OUR LAST CLUB MEETING AT JIMMY'S EGG

The invocation was led by President Clint and the pledges were expertly led by Jeani.

The brag bucket was very well fed by Jeani, Gary, Troy, Clint, Mike and Ajay (5).

It was announced that David Collins has a wedding anniversary coming up! Congratulations!

Gary's brag was about the two campers that he and Clint had recently taken to RYLA. They were from the Road to College program.

President Clint reminded the club about the upcoming hot dog cook for the club's adopted squadron on June 30. It will be at their barracks on SAFB. President Clint also reminded us about the upcoming club installation banquet. It is listed in the calendar above!

The officers and directors attending the meeting were: Joe Clement, Mike Crocker, Ajay Kumar, Ann Lucas, Jeani Secord, Troy Secord, Tom Sheriff and Clint Wood.

Ajay presented the club with the agenda for today's meeting.

Tom presented the minutes from the previous board meeting. Ann made a motion to approve the minutes as written. Troy seconded the motion and the motion passed.

Ann presented the financial report. There was discussion about comparing the current net worth with a year ago's net worth. Ann said she would have that at the next meeting. Jeani made a motion to approve the financial report as written. Troy seconded the motion and the motion passed.

Ajay introduced the committee chairs for the 2022-23 Rotary year. He ask the committee chairs to tell about their goals for next year:

Membership: Tom & Troy (Everyone is a committee member).

Vocational: Gary

Community Service: Joe

Youth: Clint

International Service: Troy Club Service: David and Jeani

Fundraising: Rob Media: Tom

Ajay presented the proposed budget for 2022-23. Troy made a motion to accept the proposed budget. Larry seconded the motion AND THE MOTION PASSED. passed.

The raffle raised \$20.00 and "Lucky Lisa" was the winner. Lucky for everyone else, Lisa drew the 10 of diamonds for a \$5.00 prize. If this week's winner draws the ace of spades, they will win \$167.00 + $\frac{1}{2}$ of what is raised today. GOOD LUCK!

NEWS FROM ROTARY INTERNATIONAL:

IMAGINE MELBOURNE: (THE NEXT R.I. CONVENTION)

After discovering new perspectives and being inspired by new ideas at the 2022 Rotary International Convention, attendees and