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ROTARY CLUB OF NORTHWEST AUSTIN OCTOBER 26, 2018



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Secretary:
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Immediate Past President
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Photographer
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PolioPlus
Program Committee
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David Davis
Joni Perkins
Brigitte Benquet
Tim Duffee
John Voss
Tony Thompson
Danny Davila
Mark Puzdrak



We had a wonderful breakfast taco buffet at last week's offsite meeting at Casa Chapala. Thank you, Nancy Lehmann-Carsow, for arranging it!
photo by Hanspeter Tobler

Rotary  District 5870
Central Texas

Rotary's "4-Way Test":

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?





ROTARY CLUB OF NORTHWEST AUSTIN

Friday, October 26, 2018 – 7:00 A.M.

Meeting at Balcones Country Club
Call to Order – Beatriz Zilveti, President
October is Vocational Service Month



SISTER CLUB:
MONTERREY
OBISPADO

TODAY'S PROGRAM

Harold Coleman & Sarah Carriker, "Club Websites"

Today, Harold will give a hands on demonstration about using our club website in a presentation, "ClubRunner for Dummies." Not that we are truly dummies; but, a take off on the popular series of books for "Dummies!" He will also introduce us to a phone app that will simplify your life in contacting other members. Sarah will also show us some of the features of our Rotary Fruit website. For more information, go to these websites:

ClubRunner Website: <http://www.nwaustinrotary.org>

Club Fruit Sale Website: rotaryfruit.org

Also, RRIISD Executive Director of Communications Jenny LaCoste-Caputo will be present a 15 minute program on the bond election.

PLEASE BE RESPECTFUL TO OUR SPEAKERS: TURN CELL PHONES OFF OR TO VIBRATE AND LISTEN! THANK YOU!

NOTE: Unless otherwise announced, Sunshine Basket proceeds are being donated to PolioPlus.

Greeter: Mark Puzdrak

Prayer & Pledge: Duane Johnson

Sunshine Basket: Tim Duffee

50/50 Ticket Sales: Ibrahim Fakhreddine

Setup: Joni Perkins

Humor: Tim Buckley

Looking Forward (speakers are also listed on our website):

Next Week: Jimmy Flanagan, "City of Austin Bond Election"

Nov 9 John Berkley and Kathy Johannis, "Veteran Land Board"

Nov 16 Linda McDavitt, "Around the World in a Sailboat"

OCTOBER Birthdays

01: John Voss, Debbie Tam

02: Don Gonzenbach

07: Beatriz Zilveti

11: Steve Wilson

18: Linden Welsch

20: Virginia Hart Craig

24: Kent Duran, Homer Goering

31: Michelle Berger



OCTOBER Club Anniversaries

01: Roger von Rosenberg (35)

09: Steve Wilson (3)

MAKE-UP MEETING LOCATIONS:

due to frequent changes in club meeting times and places, go to the District 5870 website and click on the When and Where Clubs Meet link under the Clubs tab for a list of area club meeting places and times.

Online Rotary Club makeup: www.rotaryclubone.org

AT OUR LAST MEETING

Dewaine Hill, "The Boot Campaign"

Last week's meeting, held at Casa Chapala, (Former) Army Corporal Dewaine Hill of Liberty Hil, a Veteran Ambassador for Boot Campaign. He told us about his personal experiences in the Middle East wars and how they led him to join this remarkable Tyler, Texas based 501(c)(3) organization that was started by five women friends. For more information, go to: <https://www.bootcampaign.org/our-story/>

Beatriz' plan is to have NWAR members share their Rotary stories and she invites all members to share their Rotary Moment. Last week featured Brigitte Benquet.

Greeter: Dick Hamilton

Prayer & Pledge: Rick Naylor

Sunshine Basket: Duane Johnson

50/50 Ticket Sales: Tim Duffee

Setup: Mike Moser

Humorist Emeritus: Homer Goering

Member Attendance: 46 (of 89 active)

50:50 Pot Winner: Duane Johnson (\$29)

Rotary Minutes

- Jim Henry gave an update on Gene Holiman's condition and plugged the "Rise Against Hunger" project on Oct. 20.
- Angie Caffey gave us an urgent plea to begin selling fruit.
- Beatrice reminded us about Pints for Polio on Oct. 23.

Visiting Rotarians

PDG Kit Turpen (father of Tad Turpen)

Other Visitors & Guests

Mike Murphy (of Midge Norris)

Dewaine Hill, John Myer & Dan Barrett (of Joni Hill)

Club Member Make-ups

Tim Buckley – EAFK & Cedar Park-Leander (10/17) & Austin (10/18)

Jim Henry – Round Rock Sunrise (10/5) & Giddings (10/18)

WEBSITES TO KNOW:

Club Website: <http://www.nwaustinrotary.org>

Club Facebook Page: <http://www.facebook.com/nwaustinrotary>

Club Fruit Sale Website: rotaryfruit.org

District 5870: <http://www.rotarydistrict5870.org/>

Rotary International: <http://www.rotary.org/>



THOUGHT FOR THE DAY:

"Quality is everyone's responsibility."

W. Edwards Deming

#1DistrictStrong

EVERY
ROTARIAN
EVERY
YEAR

AFTO!

NEWS & EVENTS

UPCOMING NWAR EVENTS

Oct 26 Membership Committee Meeting

Nov 9 NWAR Board Meeting

Nov 12 Monthly Men's Night Out @ BB Rover's, 5:30-7:30

Upcoming District & International Events

Oct 24 Rotary World Polio Day & Livestream Event

10/29-11/2 World Interact Week

Feb 2 D5870 Foundation Dinner, Austin Downtown Hilton

Feb 23 Rotary's 114th Birthday

Apr 13 District Assembly, Central TX College, Killeen

Jun 1-5 RI Convention, Hamburg, Germany

Rotary Foundation Update

Every Rotarian Every Year (EREY) \$100 Participation

32% (+2 members since last week)

Paul Harris Fellows (PHF) Participation

80% (+0 members since last week)

*100% EREY participation qualifies our club for leftover district foundation funds at the end of the Rotary year. Visit <https://www.rotary.org/en/donate> to donate. Tad Turpen

We are going to start a new tradition: we will have a special **PHF tribute on a quarterly basis** starting today. The idea is to have our PHF members recognized for their work and their selfless support through the PHF. We will recognize about 5 people today and we will have a separate pamphlet put together just for this occasion.

Rick Naylor

Polio Eradication Update

Status as of 10/11/2018

One new Wild Polio cases reported this week!

2018 Polio Cases: Pakistan-4, Afghanistan-16, Nigeria-0

2017 Polio Cases: Pakistan-8, Afghanistan-14, Nigeria-0

Our Goal is Global Polio Eradication!

PolioPlus: Zero Is The Magic Number!

Advocate, Donate & Educate to END POLIO NOW & FOREVER!

Compiled by Terry Ziegler, Rotary D5890 Polio Eradication Chair

Successful Pints for Polio Event

Everyone had a great time at Whitestone Brewery Tuesday evening. Though the scheduled comics were a bit lame and off color, NWAR member Mark Puzdrak came through with some comedic impressions of his own. ☺ From owner Ryan Anglin, "I ended up expanding the donation hours to all day since it was a bit slow. We sold 152 pints but I'll also round it up to \$175 since that was much lower than I thought (ends up being about 20% of our total sales)." Thanks to Ryan and Whitestone for a great event!

Field of Honor – RC of Georgetown

The Rotary Club of Georgetown is hosting the Second Annual Field of Honor®, a display of over 2,000 full-size US flags purchased in honor of veterans and first responders who will benefit from part of the proceeds of the week's events. There are events taking place from November 3rd through the 12th. We invite you and your club members to attend any or all of these meaningful events. The event website is www.georgetowntxfieldofhonor.org

On Monday, November 5, 2018, the Rotary Club of Georgetown will be hosting the Rotary Field of Honor® 2nd annual Multi-Club luncheon honoring Active and Reserve Military, Veterans, and First Responders. This luncheon will take place in the Field of Honor® Event Tent located in San Gabriel Park at Chamber Way from 11:30 AM – 1:30 PM.

You, your club members, and your guest(s) are cordially invited to join us for this luncheon. Seating is limited so reservations are required on a first come, first served basis. Please respond by completing the reservation form located on the event website and email it back to me with your credit card information or drop the form in the mail with the method of payment. If paying by check, please make your check payable to The Rotary Club of Georgetown Foundation with "FOH Multi Luncheon" on the memo line.

If you have several club members that would like to attend and bring guests, we encourage you to reserve a table of 8 (or tables), and send ONE CHECK from your club. Please send your reservation soon, seating is limited and the deadline for us to receive your reservation is the close of business on Wednesday, October 30th.

If you are not able to attend and would like to give a welcomed donation, please indicate on the reply form.

Please let me know how many of your members or guests that will attend are active/reserve duty, veterans or first responders. We will be presenting them with a certificate of appreciation at the luncheon.

This meaningful and inspirational event is very well attended. We want to make sure we have your seats reserved, so please respond soon. Thank you for your immediate attention and response.

Respectfully yours in service.

Karron Wilson, Rotary Club of Georgetown, President