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# ROTARY ROOTER



## ROTARY CLUB OF NORTHWEST AUSTIN OCTOBER 5, 2018



### 2018-19 CLUB-LEADERS

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Co-Treasurer  
Sergeant At Arms:  
Immediate Past President  
VP Community Service  
VP International Service  
VP Vocational Service  
VP Youth Service  
VP Club Service  
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Member-At-Large

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Greg Rabaey  
Debbie Tam  
Amity Mercado  
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Jesus Chavez  
Rick Hoffman  
Kristin Stephens  
Midge Norris  
Mark Dietz  
Paul Ott

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Membership Co-Chair  
Photographer  
Photographer  
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Program Co-Chair  
Weekly Meeting Volunteers  
Club Historian  
Finance Committee

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Chris Rink  
Tim Buckley  
John Voss  
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Angie Caffey  
Joe Ramirez  
Nancy Lehmann-Carsow  
Hanspeter Tobler  
Josh Reeley  
David Benjamin  
David Davis  
Joni Perkins  
Brigitte Benquet  
Tim Duffee  
John Voss  
Tony Thompson  
Danny Davila  
Mark Puzdrak



Laura Parton became our newest member at last week's meeting. Sponsor John Pearce is applying her Rotary pin. Let's all give Laura a warm Rotary welcome!

photo by Hanspeter Tobler



**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 5, 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

### Samira Faharani, Rotary's Peace Scholar

Through academic training, practice, and global networking opportunities, the Rotary Peace Centers program develops leaders who become catalysts for peace and conflict prevention and resolution. These fellowships cover tuition and fees, room and board, round-trip transportation, and all internship and field-study expenses. Today, Kent Miller will introduce us to Samira Faharani, Rotary Foundation Peace Scholarship recipient for 2018 who just returned with her Professional Development Certificate from the Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok, Thailand. She will tell us about her experience and her plans for helping implement one of Rotary's goals as a Rotary Peacemaker. For more info, go to: <https://www.rotary.org/en/our-programs/peace-fellowships>

**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: Gene Holiman  
Prayer & Pledge: Gordon Loomer  
Sunshine Basket: Chuck Space  
50/50 Ticket Sales: Dick Hamilton  
Setup: Mike Moser  
Humor: Byron Walston

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

**Next Week:** Jesus Chavez, "School District Funding"

Oct 19 Dewaine Hill, "The Boot Campaign"

Oct 26 Oleg Youngheed, "Overcoming Odds – Russian Upbringing"

### OCTOBER Birthdays

01: John Voss, Debbie Tam  
02: Don Gonzenbach  
11: Steve Wilson  
18: Linden Welsch  
20: Virginia Hart  
24: Kent Duran, Homer Goering  
26: Chris Gilberto  
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](http://www.rotaryclubone.org)

## AT OUR LAST MEETING

### John Hryhorchuk, "Legislative Session Update"

John Hryhorchuk is the Deputy Policy Director, Office of Texas Governor Greg Abbott and a graduate of Tulane University. As a Senior in 2004, John worked the night shift of the Bush reelection campaign. John received his J.D. from the University of Texas. At last week's meeting, he provided some insight into the upcoming Legislative Session pertaining to school finance. For more info, visit his LinkedIn account at: <https://www.linkedin.com/in/john-hryhorchuk-71b5aa48/>

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

Greeter: George Kissinger  
Prayer & Pledge: Amity Mercado  
Sunshine Basket: Jim Henry  
50/50 Ticket Sales: Duane Johnson  
Setup: Joni Perkins  
Humorist Emeritus: Homer Goering

Member Attendance: 51 (of 89 active)  
**50:50 Pot Winner:** Damon Holditch (\$40)

### Rotary Minutes

- Beatriz acknowledged those who planned the September BarBQ dinner social at the Estes' home.
- Jim Henry inducted Laura Parton, sponsored by John Pearce, as the club's newest member.
- Joe Ramirez and Nancy Lehmann-Carssow presented permanent badges to Lonnie & Joni Perkins.
- Angie gave a pep talk on the Fruit Sale.

### Visiting Rotarians

none

### Other Visitors & Guests

Laura Parton (of John Pearce)  
Mike Murphy (of Midge Norris)

### Club Member Make-ups

none



### WEBSITES TO KNOW:

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

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

Club Fruit Sale Website: [rotaryfruit.org](http://rotaryfruit.org)

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

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

## THOUGHT FOR THE DAY:

*"We are all here on Earth to help others; what on Earth the others are here for I don't know."*

W. H. Auden

*#1DistrictStrong*

EVERY  
ROTARIAN  
EVERY  
YEAR

**AFTO!**

# NEWS & EVENTS

### UPCOMING NWAR EVENTS

Oct 8 Monthly Men's Night Out @ BB Rover's, 5:30-7:30  
Oct 12 NWAR Board Meeting  
Oct 17 EAFK Knighting Ceremony, Hart Elementary  
Oct 19 Annual Balcones CC Fall Market Days (details below)  
Oct 20 NXNE Rotary Rise Against Humanity Service Project  
Oct 23 Club Social - Pints for Polio, Whitestone Brewery

### 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 114<sup>th</sup> 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  
30% (+3 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

### Early Act First Knight

The next Early Act First Knight Knighting Ceremony will be held on October 17, 2018, 8:30 AM, at Hart Elementary School, 8301 Furness, Austin, TX 78753. Everyone is welcome! Tim Buckley

### Polio Eradication Update

Status as of 9/28/2018

**No new Wild Polio cases reported this week!**

2018 Polio Cases: Pakistan-4, Afghanistan-14, 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

### SAVE THE DATE!!

Balcones Country Club Women's Association is having their Annual Fall Market Days Craft Show on October 19th. Plan on meeting at Casa Chapala located on the southeast corner of Burnet and 183 and treat your taste buds to breakfast tacos!! The cost \$10 each and we will meet in the large room in the front of the restaurant.

### New Member Proposal

Midge Norris has proposed Michael Murphy for membership in our Club. Michael has visited our club several times, and is interested in joining our Club.

Michael is a financial advisor with Edward Jones and is a graduate of Southern Nazarene University in Bethany OK, where he earned a BS in Business Administration. Upon graduation, Michael was commissioned in the Army, served 12 years with the 1st Cavalry Division, and completed 5 deployments.

When Michael is not spending time with his family, he volunteers with Veterans Associations. Michael enjoys playing golf, running, fishing, and working on home improvement projects.

Michael's proposed classification is Financial Planning. Assuming no dissenting responses from club members, he will be scheduled for induction at one of our next regular club meetings.

Yours in Rotary, Greg Rabaey, NWAR Secretary

### Limited Time Foundation Offer Update

We have come to the end of the second month! As of this morning, 154 Rotarians from 38 clubs have participated by contributing in excess of \$58,800 - that's up about \$15,000 in the past two weeks. I want to send my most sincere thanks to these 154 Rotarians for their most generous support of our Foundation.

As I mentioned at mid-month, we anticipate that the match pool will be exhausted by mid-October at the latest. If you are interested in taking advantage of this unique, one-time offer, I urge you to act soon. The rules are simple: If you are a Paul Harris Fellow and have a Recognition Amount less than \$8,500 you are eligible to participate. Simply email me at [richkaye@hotmail.com](mailto:richkaye@hotmail.com) and let me know how much you are contributing to the Annual Fund-SHARE – the amount must be between \$250 and \$500.

Then, either donate directly to the Rotary Foundation by going online at [www.rotary.org](http://www.rotary.org) (please be sure to log into My Rotary before donating) or mailing your contribution to The Rotary Foundation, 14280 Collections Center Drive, Chicago, Illinois 60693. As soon as your contribution posts, I will release your match.

### Grant Awarded

Tiesa Hollaway, Executive Director of Hill Country Community Ministries, will accept a grant from our club today.