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At last week's meeting, Lisa Doris, one of club's recent new members, gave a presentation on home remodeling, including facts about the cost recovery of various projects.

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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, April 5, 2019 – 7:00 A.M. Meeting at Balcones Country Club Call to Order - Beatriz Zilveti, President April is Maternal and Child Health Month



SISTER CLUB: MONTERREY

TODAY'S PROGRAM

Danielle Trejo, "A Story of EAFK at Hart Elementary"

Today, Danielle Trejo, councilor to over 600 students at Hart Elementary School in AISD, will provide us with actual experiences from the Early Act, First Knight (EAFK) program we sponsor at Hart along with North By Northeast Rotary Club. EAFK is a daily social/emotional learning program themed around the world of gallant knights for elementary and middle school students that emphasizes the development of high moral character and social skills. Danielle will explain to us the dynamics of the program's implementation and also educate us on the goals established at Hart. For more information, go to:

https://rotarydistrict5870.org/stories/early-act-first-knight-2

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: Rick Navlor 50/50 Sales: Angie Caffey Setup: Mike Moser Prayer & Pledge: Lee Easter Sunshine Basket: Brigitte Benguet Humor: Chris Rink

Looking Forward (speakers are also listed on our website): Next Week: Ditas Hall & Steve Welch, "Senior Classification Talks"

Representative John Bucy, "Legislative Update" RRISD Teacher & Paraprofessional Awards

APRIL Birthdays

13: Paul Ott

18: Allan Adams 30: Bob Allen

Are there any other April birthdays?

APRIL Club Anniversaries

Marietta Silva (4)

05: Don Gonzenbach (17)

Chris Rink (1)

15: Bob Allen (14), Steve Welch (14)

28: Jesus Chavez (13)

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/

MAKE-UP MEETING LOCATIONS: 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.rotaryeclubone.org

AT OUR LAST MEETING

Lisa Doris, "Home Remodeling from the Inside"

Our speaker last wee was our own new "Red Badge" member Lisa Doris. Lisa spoke about Home Remodeling and the Return on Investment of different home improvement projects and what to look for in a contractor. In addition to home remodeling, Lisa now has a deck building and restoration business. For more information, go to her LinkedIn account: https://www.linkedin.com/in/lisa-doris-4335b626/

Greeter: Mark Dietz

Prayer & Pledge: Kent Miller Sunshine Basket: Jim Bieber 50/50 Ticket Sales: Tom Perkins

Setup: Kent Duran

Humorist Honorus: Kent Miller

Member Attendance: 54 (of 94 active) **50:50 Pot Winner:** Chuck Space (\$45)

Rotary Minutes

Rick Navlor announced that the PACT TV ad would air soon.

Visiting Rotarians

Donna Tiger - Attica/Williamsport, IN

Other Visitors & Guests

Jane Butz (of Tim Duffee)

Club Member Make-ups

Tim Buckley - Cedar Par (3/25)

Debbie Tam, Danny Davila, George Kissinger, Pat O'Farrell, Gary Sellergren & Virginia Hart – HEB Center volunteers (3/22)

Debbie Tam - HEB Center (3/23)

Polio Eradication Update (Status as of 3/29/2019) Two new Wild Polio cases reported this week.

2019 Polio Cases: Pakistan-8, Afghanistan-2, Nigeria-0 2018 Polio Cases: Pakistan-12, Afghanistan-21, 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

Rotary Foundation Update

Every Rotarian Every Year (Annual Fund) \$100 Participation - 75% (0 new members since last week) Paul Harris Fellows (PHF) Participation - 78% (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.rotarv.org/en/donate to donate. Tad Turpen

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY:

"If you're going through hell, keep going,"

Winston Churchill



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NEWS & EVENTS

UPCOMING NWAR EVENTS

Monthly Men's Night Out @ BB Rover's, 5:30-7:30 PM Club Rotary Chix Night Out @ Brio's, 5:30-7:30 PM Apr 9 Club Social / Committee Service Project & Dinner

NWAR Board Meeting Apr 12 Apr 27 Rotary at Work Day

Club Installation Picnic @ Nancy Lehmann-Carssow's

DG Jim Henry's Official Club Visit July 19

Upcoming District & International Events

District Assembly, Central TX College, Killeen Apr 13 D5870 Conference, Menger Hotel, San Antonio

RI Convention, Hamburg, Germany Jun 1-5

Club Social / Committee Service project & Dinner

We have a fun community service project planned this month and dinner afterwards! On April 9, we will be decorating cookies to be distributed to several non-profit organizations - House of Friends, Helping Hand Home and Mobile, Loaves & Fishes. A group dinner will follow. Community Service Project Location:

Michelle's Patisserie, 12233 RR 620N, 5:30-6:30pm -Decorating lessons/instruction will be given by owner/pastry chef Michelle. She is donating her space, decorating supplies and time for this project.

Jenna's Asian Kitchen located across the street from the bakery, 6:30ish - 7:30pm - Please feel free to join for us for dinner if you cannot make the community service fun.

Rotary at Work Day

Rotary at Work Day reminder - April 27, 2019. On this day, various Rotary Club members around the world, along with their friends and family members, will join forces to participate in activities that benefit their community and society as a whole. The work is a mechanism that is adopted in order to give back to society. We need several volunteers for ideas on projects and for participating in those projects. Bring your ideas to the next few meetings so or NW Austin Club can set the standard in participation.

Andy MacFarlane

EAFK Knighting Ceremony at Hart 4/17

NW Austin Rotarians are encouraged to attend the next Early Act First Knight Knighting Ceremony at Hart Elementary School, 8301 Furness, on Wednesday, April 17. The first ceremony begins at 8:30 AM, and the second begins at 9:30. All are welcome to attend either, or both. Any questions, contact PDG Tim Buckley.

Quarterly Paul Harris Fellow Awards

Today's meeting features our quarterly Paul Harris Fellowship (PHF) award ceremony, which will recognize our club members who have contributed to the Rotary Foundation and attained their first or subsequent PHF level.

The Rotary Foundation is a great force for good locally as well as internationally. Any Rotarian that donates or is recognized for donations in the amount of \$1,000 become a Paul Harris Fellow. After being recognized once it is possible to be recognized again as PHF+1, PHF+2 all the way up to PHF+8.

Traditionally there is a ceremony in which the history of the Paul Harris Fellows is retold and the new or recently awarded fellows are given pins. Each additional level beyond the first awards a new pin with small gemstones corresponding to each level. The awardees to be honored today for this past quarter are:

- Allan Adams PHF+1
- Bob Allen PHF+6
- Brigitte Benguet PHF+2
- Angela Caffey PHF+5
- Jim Henry PHF+6
- Mike Jaggers PHF+1 Patrick McGuinness PHF
- Josh Reelev PHF
- Michelle Sanders PHF
- Debbie Tam PHF+5

Downtown Austin RC Blood Drive

The Austin Downtown club is doing a Blood drive on Tuesday, May 14 between 2-3:30 @ St. David's Episcopal Church, 7th and San Jacinto. It takes about 15 min, to fill out paperwork and donate and the bus will be sitting at the church. If any club members are interested. Mary Reynolds will add them to her list and assign them a time, but let her know your preference and she will her my best to put them in or near that slot. Please see Tim Buckley for further details if you are interested.

Last Call for District Assembly

You are wanted at District Assembly! Come and learn what DGE Jim Henry has planned for the coming year, strengthen your leadership with training and get ready to be inspired for the upcoming Rotary year. This event is open to all Rotarians!

Our District Assembly is on Saturday, April 13th at Central Texas College, 6200 West Central Texas Expwy (Science Building), Killeen, TX. Registration tables open at 8:00AM. General session begins at 9:00AM. Anticipated completion is 3:00PM. Lunch will be provided. Tickets are \$25, which will be paid by our club. Please see this link to register: http://bit.ly/2T9WPJy