

THE ROTARY CLUB OF NORTHWEST AUSTIN SPONSORS

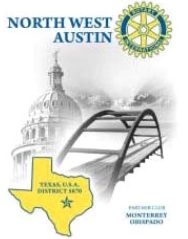
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ROTARY CLUB OF NORTHWEST AUSTIN

JUNE 14, 2019



2018-19 CLUB-LEADERS

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

Beatriz Zilveti
Brigitte Benquet
Greg Rabaey
Debbie Tam
Amity Mercado
Steven Wilson
Danny Davila
Andy MacFarlane
Audrey Cochran
Jesus Chavez
Rick Hoffman
Kristin Stephens
Midge Norris
Mark Dietz
Paul Ott

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Bulletin
Website
Communications/Social Media
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Foundation
Foundation Co-Chair
Fundraising
Membership
Membership Co-Chair
Photographer
Photographer
PolioPlus
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Program Committee
Program Co-Chair
Weekly Meeting Volunteers
Club Historian
Finance Committee
Danny Davila

Harold Coleman
Virginia Craig
Chris Rink
Tim Buckley
John Voss
Rick Naylor
Tad Turpen
Angie Caffey
Joe Ramirez
Nancy Lehmann-Carsow
Hanspeter Tobler
Josh Reeley
John Pearce
Jim Bieber
David Davis
Joni Perkins
Brigitte Benquet
Tim Duffee
John Voss
Tony Thompson
Mark Puzdrak



We had a fabulous turnout of volunteers at the Dell Diamond Wednesday night. The crew was split into two teams. Group 1 (top) – Rick Hoffman (newbie), George & June Kissinger, Danny Davila and Mark Puzdrak. Group 2 – Joni Perkins, Debbie Tam, Dick Hamiton and Larry Eichenbaum.

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, June 14, 2019 – 7:00 A.M.
Meeting at Balcones Country Club
Call to Order – Beatriz Zilveti, President

June is Rotary Fellowships Month



**SISTER CLUB:
MONTERREY
OBISPADO**

TODAY’S PROGRAM

Patrick Crocker, Emergency Room Physician

Today’s speaker is author and retired Emergency Medicine Physician, Dr. Pat Crocker. Pat recently retired after nearly 40 years in emergency medicine that included 21 years as Chief of Emergency Medicine at University Medical Center – Brackenridge, followed by six years as Chief, Department of Emergency Medicine at Dell Children’s Medical Center. He recently completed a book about his adventures in the ER: "Letters from the Pit: Stories of a Physician's Odyssey in Emergency Medicine," copies of which will be available for purchase. Pat will visit with us about his life in emergency medicine and his insight in to how emergency medicine helps us better understand the strengths and limitations of our health care system. For more info, go to: <https://www.texasmonthly.com/the-culture/letters-from-the-pit-patrick-crocker/>

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: Dick Hamilton 50/50 Sales: Mark Puzdrak
Prayer & Pledge: Fred Morgan Setup: Steve Wilson
Sunshine Basket: Tom Perkins Humor: Andy MacFarlane

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

Next Week: Billy Riggs, Life Balance

Jun 28 Carbon Dogma, “eSports: The Who, What, Why, Where and How”
July 5 TBD

JUNE Birthdays

22 Audrey Cochran
23 John Douglas
30 John Pearce

Are there any other June birthdays?

JUNE Club Anniversaries

01 Hanspeter Tobler (41)
01 Tim Buckley (31)
01 Tom Perkins (31)
03: David Lott (14)
04 Codie Baxa (1)
04 Mark Puzdrak (1)
04 Amity Mercado (1)
12 Emma Sue Smallwood (4)
17: Tom Applegate (39)

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.rotaryclubone.org

AT OUR LAST MEETING

Davis Ford, The Role of Science in TX Oil & Gas

Last week’s speaker was Davis L. Ford, Ph.D., P.E. His topic was “The Role of Enhanced Shale Oil & Gas Recovery (LNG) in the US Development and Pricing of Significant Shale Production in Other Countries Such as South America, Canada, Europe, and Asia.” The short title is Energy and the Environment. Dr. Ford is a practicing environmental engineer with over forty-five years of experience in the field. In addition, he serves on the faculty at The University of Texas at Austin as an adjunct professor. He has lectured extensively throughout the United States and in countries of Europe, South America, and Asia. Dr. Ford recently traveled to Prague with Secretary of Energy Rick Perry. For more info, go to: <http://www.caee.utexas.edu/alumni/academy/148-ford>

Greeter: Tom Perkins
Prayer & Pledge: Fred Morgan
Sunshine Basket: John Pearce
50/50 Ticket Sales: Bryce Bastien
Setup: Mike Moser
Humorist Honorus: Tim Buckley

Member Attendance: 50 (of 90 active)
50:50 Pot Winner: Midge Norris (\$23)

Rotary Minutes

- Beatriz reminded us to RSVP Kristin for the 6/23 club installation dinner and for Jim Henry’s district installation luncheon on 6/29.
- This month’s board meeting was changed to June 21.

Visiting Rotarians

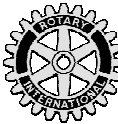
Jon Morrison (Socorro, NM)

Other Visitors & Guests

Loretta Voss (of John Voss)
Alex Huddleston (of Brigitte Benquet)
Gary Morrison (of Jon Morrison)

Club Member Make-ups

Tim Buckley – Cedar Park (6/5)
Debbie Tam – Cedar Park (6/5)
Joe Ramirez – International Committee (6/7)



Polio Eradication Update (Status as of 6/7/2019)

Three new Wild Polio cases reported this week.

2019 Polio Cases: Pakistan-21, Afghanistan-8, 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

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY:

"A psychiatrist asks a lot of expensive questions your wife asks for nothing."

Joey Adams

#1DistrictStrong

EVERY
ROTARIAN
EVERY
YEAR

NEWS & EVENTS

UPCOMING NWAR EVENTS

Jun 21 NWAR Board Meeting
Jun 23 Club Installation Picnic @ Nancy Lehmann-Carsow’s
July 8 Men’s Night Out @ BB Rover’s, 5:30-7:30 PM
Women’s Chix Night Out @ Brio’s, 5:30-7:30 PM
Jul 19 DG Jim Henry’s Official Club Visit

Upcoming District & International Events

Jun 29 DG Jim Henry’s Installation @ Austin Central Library
Jul 1-6 RYLA Camp
Jul 12 Marble Falls 70th Annual Fish Fry
Aug 17 D5870 Public Image Seminar, McKinney Roughs
Oct 24 Rotary World Polio Day
Nov 11 Rotary Day at the U.N.

NWAR Installation Picnic Reminder

We will still take RSVP’s thru the 18th. You will not want to miss this opportunity to show Brigette our support while enjoying the incredible view! Event Details:

Sunday, June 23rd @ 6:00-8:30 pm

Nancy Lehmann-Carsow’s home, 8809 Bell Mountain Dr, 78730
BBQ by Lanier High School

Cost: \$35.00 per person (includes an open bar!)

Please RSVP by responding to this email or signing up at our weekly meetings, no later than Monday, June 18th. Thank you,
Kristin Stephens & Midge Norris, Club Service Chairs

District Governor Installation Luncheon

This is your last chance to register for the District Governor and Club Leader Installation event that will be held at the Austin Central Library located at 710 W Cesar Chavez St, Austin from 11:00AM-2:00PM. A buffet luncheon will be served. The cost per ticket is \$55 or buy a table (seats 9) for \$495. This event is open to all Rotarians and sitting is limited, so register now at: <http://bit.ly/2JaQmIX>

Let’s show Jim how much we appreciate and support him in an awesome year ahead!

Beatriz Zilveti, Proud President 2018-2019, NWAR

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/>

Note about Charlie Harrison’s Memorial Service

Hey everyone, just a friendly reminder that my Dad’s, Charles Harrison, Memorial Service is this Saturday, June 15th, at 11:00am with reception to follow at Hope Pres Church on Olson Drive in Austin. We would love to see everyone who can make it and request that you wear burnt orange. Thank you for all of the continued love and prayers. We are overwhelmed with all the support! Love y’all, Patrick

Word from our District Rotary Foundation Chair

Wow. It’s been a very hectic year. As your new District Rotary Foundation Chair (DFRC), I’ve busy learning the ropes, and its way more complex than it looks like from the outside! Nevertheless, it’s also been a fantastic year. We are on a pace to expend a bit over \$500,000 in District Designated Funds (DDF) in support of club projects and scholarships both locally and around the world.

Our clubs are in the process of finishing up thirty-nine (39) District Assistance Program (DAP) grants valued in excess of \$107,000 DDF. Additionally, we granted five (5) District Vocational Scholarships valued at \$25,000 DDF, and are participating in nine (9) Global Grant Humanitarian Projects and one (1) Global Grant Scholarship valued in excess of \$343,000 DDF. Along the way we contributed \$20,000 DDF to PolioPlus.

We also supporting Rotary’s other funds: We’ve raised in excess of \$160,100 for the Endowment Fund and over \$52,700 for PolioPlus. Altogether, we’ve raised in excess of \$864,900!

I’d proud to announce that Bequest Society and Benefactor pledges are at an all-time high this year (\$1.326 million) and that District 5870 has two (2) new Arch Klumph Society members – Ronney and Mary Reynolds and Rich and Diana Kaye.

Additionally, I must say congratulations go to the following 11 clubs that have set their all-time high in annual giving this year - what a remarkable achievement:

Austin	Cedar Park-Leander
Georgetown-Sun City	Pflugerville
Austin-North by Northeast	Corsicana
Lakeway/Lake Travis	Temple
Cameron	E-Club of 5870

Northwest Austin

Because of your support, District 5870 is quickly entering unexplored territory. As of May, we have raised \$627,151 for the Annual Fund, a level achieved only twice before.

If you have not contributed yet this year, I urge you to do so before June 29th. We still have much work to do, and we hope you’ll agree to help us.