

THE ROTARY CLUB OF NORTHWEST AUSTIN SPONSORS

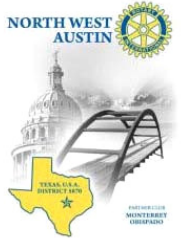
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ROTARY ROOTER



ROTARY CLUB OF NORTHWEST AUSTIN

JUNE 28, 2019



2018-19 CLUB-LEADERS

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President:
President-Elect:
Secretary:
Treasurer:
Co-Treasurer
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VP International Service
VP Vocational Service
VP Youth Service
VP Club Service
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Foundation
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Fundraising
Membership
Membership Co-Chair
Photographer
Photographer
PolioPlus
PolioPlus
Program Committee
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Weekly Meeting Volunteers
Club Historian
Finance Committee
Danny Davila

Harold Coleman
Virginia Craig
Chris Rink
Tim Buckley
John Voss
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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 an extraordinary time at last Sunday's Installation Dinner held at Nancy Lehmann-Carsow's home with great barbecue, sides, wine & beer. Incoming President Brigitte Benquet introduced her Board and Committee Chairs in this photo.

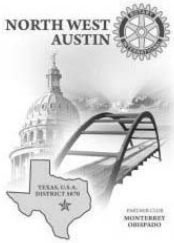


District 5870
Central Texas

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 28, 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**

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY:

"We aim above the mark to hit the mark."

Ralph Waldo Emerson

#1DistrictStrong

EVERY
ROTARIAN
EVERY
YEAR

TODAY'S PROGRAM

Carbon Dogma, "eSports"

Today's presenter is Carbon Dogma. This is his e-Sports name. He is going to speak on "e-Sports: The Who, What, Why, Where and How." Although a full time college student, CD blogs and through social media provides real time analysis of worldwide e-Sports "on-line" and "off-line" from e-Sports events. Compare him to ESPN Commentators doing "play by play", real time "game analysis", and interviews on the "field" and in the studio. For more information, go to: <https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Esports>

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: Tony Thompson 50/50 Sales: Joe Ramirez
Prayer & Pledge: Hanspeter Tobler Humor: Kent Miller
Sunshine Basket: Bryce Bastien Setup: Joni Perkins

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

Next Week: NO MEETING!

July 12 Peter Strople, "Instant Change"
July 19 DG Jim Henry Official Visit

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)

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/>

AT OUR LAST MEETING

Billy Riggs, Life Balance

Last week's speaker was Billy Riggs, "The Dr. Phil of Magic," also known as "a psychologist masquerading as a comedian and magician." As a master magician, illusionist and entertainer, he delivered a program focusing on the "magic" of balance in your lives and setting goals. His focus was to entertain us while helping us avoid burnout. For more info, go to: <https://www.billyriggs.com/>

Greeter: Michelle Sanders
Prayer & Pledge: Bryce Bastien
Sunshine Basket: Michelle Sanders
50/50 Ticket Sales: Bryce Bastien
Humorist Honorus: Chris Rink
Setup: Mike Moser

Member Attendance: (of 90 active)
50:50 Pot Winner: Joe Ramirez (\$27)

Rotary Minutes

- Beatriz Zilveti and Jim Henry mentioned the D5870 installation luncheon on June 29.
- Jim White presented a \$2,000 grant to Mobility Worldwide.

Visiting Rotarians

NA

Other Visitors & Guests

NA

Club Member Make-ups

NA



Polio Eradication Update (Status as of 6/21/2019)

Two new Wild Polio case reported this week.

2019 Polio Cases: Pakistan-24, 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

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 makeups: www.rotaryclubone.org

UPCOMING NWAR EVENTS

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
July 12 NWAR Board Meeting
Jul 19 DG Jim Henry's Official Club Visit
July Club Social: Purple Martin Part (date TBD)
Aug 10 Club Social – Pool Party @ The Puzdrak's
Oct 24 Club Social – Pints for Polio

Upcoming District & International Events

Jun 29 DG Jim Henry's Installation @ Austin Central Library
Jul 1-6 RYLA Camp
Jul 5 No Meeting!
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.

Quarterly Rotary Foundation Awards Today!

This Friday morning, shortly after the start of our meeting, will be our year end Rotary Foundation award ceremony, which will recognize our club members who have contributed to the Rotary Foundation and attained their first or subsequent PHF level. We will also be recognizing our club and fearless leadership from our outgoing president Beatriz Zilveti for achieving 100% Every Rotarian Every Year (EREY) status for the first time in the club's history.

The Rotary Foundation is a great force for good locally as well as internationally. Any Rotarians that donate or are recognized for donations in the amount of \$1,000 become Paul Harris Fellows. 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 from the past quarter 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 for the current quarter are:

- Brigitte Benquet, PHF+3
- John Knifton, PHF+5
- Michelle Sanders, PHF

Tad Turpen, Rotary Foundation Co-Chair

Note From President Zilveti

When I was installed as your President last year, with the year's theme "Be the inspiration," I feared it was a huge task. But throughout the past year I realized it's the other way around... thanks to each of YOU for being my inspiration! I loved being your President and thank each of you for your trust in me. Yours Truly, Beatriz i

NEWS & EVENTS

Rotary and ShelterBox Celebrate Partnership

Evanston Ill., Rotary International announced on 3 June a three-year partnership renewal with its disaster relief project partner, ShelterBox. For almost 20 years, this unique humanitarian alliance has supported families with a place to call home after disaster. ShelterBox provides emergency shelters and other essential items to support families who have lost their homes in disaster.

What began as a local connection with one Cornish Rotary Club has led to an international movement that's provided 140,000 ShelterBox family tents or 390,000 ShelterKits worldwide to date (a value of over £54 million).

First adopted as a millennium project by the Rotary Club of Helston-Lizard in 2000, the support of Rotary members and clubs around the world saw ShelterBox become Rotary's Project Partner in Disaster Relief in 2012. Since then, the partnership has helped transform ShelterBox into an internationally recognized disaster relief charity, supporting families with emergency shelter after disaster.

The partnership extends far beyond financial support. Around 1,000 Rotary members are involved in ShelterBox as volunteers, staff or response team members. And clubs worldwide offer valuable, practical assistance to help ShelterBox reach more families fleeing disaster or conflict. This has recently included support for families in Malawi flooded from their homes by Cyclone Idai and communities in Lombok devastated by the 2018 earthquake and tsunami.

"ShelterBox has been Rotary's Project Partner in Disaster Relief since 2012, and we are excited to renew the partnership for another three years," says Rotary International General Secretary John Hewko. "Through this project partnership, Rotary members around the globe can collaborate with ShelterBox to support communities in desperate need of emergency temporary shelter and vital supplies following natural disasters," adds Hewko. "Additionally, Rotary and ShelterBox will continue to expand cooperation efforts through preparedness training and stockpiles of prepositioned aid in disaster-prone regions."

This partnership has helped ShelterBox become who we are today. Our global network of 17 ShelterBox affiliates, who raise funds and awareness worldwide, evolved from Rotary relationships."

Facts and figures

- 90% of ShelterBox responses assisted by Rotary
- 1,000 Rotary members have roles in ShelterBox
- £54m+ raised for ShelterBox by Rotary supporters since 2000

ShelterBox provides emergency shelter and other essential items to families who have lost their homes to disasters. For more information, see www.shelterbox.org