

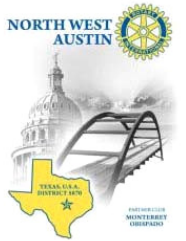
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Danny Davila
Mark Puzdrak



Marian Diaz (r) was one of 3 NWAR members – Mark Puzdrak and Codie Baxa being the others - that got their permanent badge last week. All were sponsored by Nancy Lehmann-Carsow. Marian is leaving us for a work stint in Spain. photo by Hanspeter Tobler

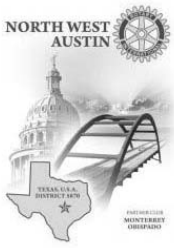


**District 5870
Central Texas**

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, August 31, 2018 – 7:00 A.M.

Meeting at Balcones Country Club

Call to Order – Beatriz Zilveti, President

August is Membership and New Club Development Month



**SISTER CLUB:
MONTERREY
OBISPADO**

TODAY'S PROGRAM

Rick Naylor, "Partners Against Child Trafficking"

Today, NWAR member Rick Naylor will give us a quick update of his progress with Rotarians Against Child Trafficking, including a global grant that will be submitted by the end of September. PACT's mission is uniting communities to bring an end to child trafficking by raising awareness, preventing victimization, and reducing demand.

For more information, go to: <https://pact.city/>

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: Tim Buckley
Prayer & Pledge: Mark Dietz
Sunshine Basket: Audrey & Jack Cochran
50/50 Ticket Sales: Danny Davila
Setup: Mike Moser
Humor: Andy MacFarlane

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

Next Week: Pat Carter, "Sleeping Your Way to Health & Happiness"

Sep 21 Kent Miller, "Rotary's Peacemaking Effort"

Sep 28 John Hryhorchuk, "Upcoming Legislative Session Update"

SEPTEMBER Birthdays

06: Lee Easter
09: Nancy Lehmann-Carsow
11: David Davis
13: Fred Morgan
22: Kent Miller
27: John Knifton, Jim Clements
28: Pat O'Farrell
30: Charles Harrison



SEPTEMBER Club Anniversaries

01: Ray Roark (38), Damon Holditch (37)
02: George Kissinger (7)
03: Gail Buckley (8)
04: Mark Dietz (20)
05: Carla Young (10)
09: Wayne Thompson (13)
17: Mike Moser (8)
24: Patrick McGuinness (8)

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

Dr. Michelle Sanders, "Yazidis"

Our Program last week was a presentation on the Yazidis from the northern Iraq province of Kurdistan by Dr. Michelle Sanders. Due to a number of genocides against these peace loving people, there are many Yazidi refugees all over the world, including the USA. ISI perpetrated the latest genocide, resulting in 360,000 Internal Displaced People (IDPs). Dr. Sanders enlightened us about what this means and the horrific experiences as reported to her by a member of Parliament. For more information, go to: <https://www.gofundme.com/kmmx4p-the-milk-project>

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

Greeter: Codie Baxa
Prayer & Pledge: Fred Morgan
Sunshine Basket: Midge Norris
50/50 Ticket Sales: John Pearce
Setup: Kent Duran
Humorist Emeritus: Josh Reeley

Member Attendance: 51 (of 89 active)

50:50 Pot Winner: Damon Holditch (\$36, donated to sunshine)

Rotary Minutes

- Taylor & Naylor updated us about Foundation giving.
- Nancy Lehmann-Carsow presented permanent badges to Mark Puzdrak, Marian Diaz, & Codie Baxa; Joni & Lonnie Perkins were not present to receive theirs.

Visiting Rotarians

none

Other Visitors & Guests

Laura Parton (of John Pearce)

Club Member Make-ups

Tim Buckley – EAFK (8/29)
Duane & Emma Sue Johnson – Austin Centennial (8/28)
Gene Holiman– Austin Centennial (8/28), D5870 meetings (8/29)



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:

"What happens is not as important as how you react to what happens."

Ellen Glasgow

#1DistrictStrong

NEWS & EVENTS

UPCOMING NWAR EVENTS

Sep 10 Monthly Men's Night Out @ BB Rover's, 5:30-7:30
Sep 14 NWAR Board Meeting
Sep 23 Club Social – Sunday Supper at Estes' - Franklin's
Oct 5 Fruit Sale Kickoff!
Oct 20 NXNE Rotary Rise Against Humanity Service Project
Oct 24 Club Social - Pints for Polio (details to follow)

Upcoming District & International Events

Sep 4-9 Zone Institute – Boise, ID
Oct 24 Rotary World Polio Day & Livestream Event
10/29-11/2 World Interact Week
Feb 7 D5870 Foundation Dinner

September Social - Sunday BBQ @ The Estes'

Date: Sunday, September 23rd

Time: 5:00pm - 8:00pm

Location: Bill & Judy Estes' home,
14003 Panorama Dr., Austin , TX 78732

We will be serving authentic, Franklin's Smoked Brisket and Sausage for the main entree with an \$8.00 per person requested contribution. Please plan to also bring an appetizer, side dish OR dessert of your choice but don't forget to RSVP to Kristin with the dish you intend to bring. Beer, wine and iced tea will be provided.

Please RSVP by Wednesday, September 19th.

Kristin Stephens, Judy & Bill Estes

Rotary Foundation Update

The Rotary Foundation raised more than \$414 million last Rotary year. Rotarians are hard at work providing opportunities for communities that need our help most. That means more clean water, less disease, and hope for a peaceful world. Club status...

Every Rotarian Every Year (EREY) \$100 Participation: 20.45%

(+3 members since last week)

Paul Harris Fellows (PHF) Participation: 80.68%

(+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

Polio Eradication Update

Status as of 8/24/2018

One new Wild Polio cases reported this week!

2018 Polio Cases: Pakistan-3, Afghanistan-12, 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

Looking for the Best Trip to Kenya?

Find out about it at the orientation meeting Sunday, September 16 from 2 to 4 PM at the home of Nancy Lehmann-Carsow, 8809 Bell Mountain Drive. Please RSVP to Nancy by September 13 at nlehmannc49@gmail.com.

TRF Limited Matching Funds Update

We have come to end of the Limited Time Offer's first month and, as of this morning, 74 Rotarians from 23 clubs have participated by contributing in excess of \$30,000. As you know from previous emails, we intend to run this 1-for-1 match through May 30, 2019 or until the funds are exhausted. As it looks now, the latter will be the case. At the rate we're going, we anticipate that the funds will be exhausted by the end of October.

So, if you are interested in taking advantage of this unique, one-time offer, I urge you to do so within the next 60 days. 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 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 (please be sure to log into My Rotary before donating) or mailing your contribution (using the contribution form at the D5870 website) to The Rotary Foundation, 14280 Collections Center Drive, Chicago, Illinois 60693. As soon as your contribution posts, I will release your match.

Finally, many thanks to those of you who have already participated in supporting the great work that our Foundation does around the world and in our local communities. You truly have the vision to see, the courage to believe, and the faith to act.

Respectfully, Rich Kaye, Past District Governor, 2013-14

What are you doing for World Polio Day?

Rotary and its partners in the Global Polio Eradication Initiative (GPEI) have had to take bold action in the historic fight against polio. At Rotary's 6th annual World Polio Day event on 24 October in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, USA, we'll highlight the monumental and innovative steps that are getting us closer to our goal. We'll also celebrate 30 years of achievements by the GPEI. Learn more about the event in Philadelphia and how you can promote your own event or find an event near you.

We're drinking a Pint for Polio as a Club Social Event.

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