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North West Austin Rotary members Kristi Holmes and Tom Perkins being silly during last weeks morning club breakfast.

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 14, 2011 – 7:00 A.M. Meeting at Balcones Country Club Call to Order – Tony Thompson, President October is Vocational Service Month

TODAY'S PROGRAM

Ryan Zintgraff - "Cub Scout Pack 149"

Northwest Austin Rotary is the Charter Organization for Cub Scout Pack 149 that meets at Spicewood Elementary. Ryan is the Cubmaster for over 120 boys in the 1st thru 5th grades. Scouting makes a difference to youth and NW Austin Rotary makes a difference to scouting. Ryan will provide an overview of activities performed by the Pack, and the core values they instill in the scouts. Pack 149 is the Council's largest Pack and continues to prove one of the most successful, just like NW Austin Rotary is to central Texas. Pack 149 promotes 20 boys per year to the Boy Scouts, with many completing the rank of Eagle Scout! Cub Scouting is a program that supports family life for boys to learn to respect his family, country, God and individuals. Pack 149 focuses on leading the boys in living the Cub Scout Motto: DO YOUR BEST!

PLEASE TURN CELL PHONES OFF OR TO VIBRATE DURING THE MEETING (unless you crave a visit by Kristi). THANK YOU!

Greeter: David Trapp

Prayer & Pledge: Fred Morgan Sunshine Basket: Rick Hoffman 50/50 Ticket Sales: Lee Easter

New Member Inductions

Pat Byrum (of Bill Estes)

Looking Forward (speakers are also listed on our website)

Next Week: - Fireside Meetings - NO REGULAR MEETING

Jane Koble - Central Texas ADA

Professor Howard Prince – Ethical Leadership LBJ School

OCTOBER Birthdays

01: John Voss

Don Gonzenbach

11: Bob Stroh

18: Linden Welsch

24: Kent Duran, Homer Goering

28: Ray Roark

31: Michelle Berger

OCTOBER Club Anniversaries

Dave Trapp (1) George Lewis (30), Roger von Rosenberg (28)

19 Ronald Smith (4)

24: Ed Dusek (7)

31: Will Gregorcyk (3)

Next Regular Board Meeting



AT OUR LAST MEETING

Richard Pyle - "United States Peace Corps"

Former Northwest Austin Rotarian and Past President Dick Pyle, Ph.D. returns to visit our club today. Dick is currently working as a full time consultant to the Office of Special Services in Peace Corps Washington. Dr. Pyle presently resides in Austin and is active in the "Heart of Texas Peace Corps Association" serving as the representative to the National Peace Corps Association. A former Peace Corps volunteer himself and long-time supporter of Rotary International and Peace Corps efforts to bring the people of the world closer, Dick will bring us a timely presentation on the 50th Anniversary of the Peace Corps – "JFK's Grand Experiment."

Greeter: Rick Hoffman Prayer & Pledge: Mike Moser Sunshine Basket: Dee Haddock 50/50 Ticket Sales: George Kissinger

NOTE: Sunshine Basket proceeds are being donated to PolioPlus unless otherwise announced.

50:50 Pot Winner: **Rotary Minutes:**

Member Attendance: 61

Other Visitors & Guests

Ryan Zintgraff (of John Voss) Mike Peter (of Dick Pyle) Kristen Stephens (of Damon Holditch) Klaus Brack (of RC Cochem-Zell) Katherina Brack (of Rotaract Ahrtal) Lu Zane (of RC Cochem-Zell) Bob Zane (of RC Cochem-Zell)



Visiting Rotarians

Al Rolfsen (Cedar Park) Pat Byrum (Georgetown)

Club Member Make-ups

Ken Dickensheets – Fred Morgan Farwell (9/26) Bob Roe – Dripping Springs (10/3) Gene Holiman - Pflugerville (10/4) Scott Duchett - Speaker-Peace Corps Oliver Smith - Bi District Reunion (9/30)

MAKE-UP MEETING LOCATIONS: occasionally changing their meeting times and places, it is best to go to the Rotary District 5870 website and click on the When/Where Clubs Meet link for a list of area club meetings.

Online Rotary Club makeup: www.rotaryeclubone.org

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY:

"The bad news is time flies. The good news is you're the pilot."

Michael Altshuler



NEWS & EVENTS

UPCOMING NWAR EVENTS

Oct 17-21	Fireside Meetings – NEXT WEEK!!!!
Oct 27	NWAR Golf Outing (details below)
Dec 3	NWAR Holiday Party (Saturday Night)
Dec 9	Bluebonnet MHMR Christmas Party

Upcoming District Events

Oct 22 Harker Heights Monster Dash

Nov 12 RYLA Roundup

Nov 13 Komen Race for the Cure, Oak Hill Rotary

Fireside Meetings Next Week

We have been notified by Balcones Country Club that we will not be able to use the facility next Friday. Thus, the fireside meetings are listed below (for specific addresses go to the sign-up sheets):

<u>Name</u>	<u>Location</u>	Date & Time
Tome Perkins Gene Holiman	Home Home	10/17 @ 5:30 pm 10/19 @ 8:00 am
Dee Haddock	Cedar Park Med Ctr.	10/18 @ 7:00 am
Pat Byrum David Davis	Renaissance Ret. Ctr. Office	10/21 @ 7:15 am 10/20 @ 7:15 am
Steve Welch	Office	10/21 @ 7:00 am
Tim Buckley & Bill von Rosenberg	Office	10/21 @ Noon
Rebecca Whitehouse Harold Coleman	Office Home	10/21 @ 7:00 am 10/21 @ 7:30 am
Henry Mayes	Office	10/20 @ 7:00 am

NWAR Golf Outing Nears

Date is Thursday October 27, 2011 at 9 am at Avery Ranch Golf Course; cost will be \$59 for greens fees, cart, and range balls. Format is a 4-person scramble with members being assigned to foursomes by Bill van Rosenberg and Bob Roe. Sign-up sheets are on each table. See Bill or Bob for more information.

Rotary youth Exchange - Jackie Tey, Sezanne, France

Hope all is going well for NWAR back in Texas! RYE-France just had its first Rotary weekend with all the other inbound students here in France. It was amazing and so much fun! There were a total of twelve students, including myself: nine girls and three boys. All three boys and six of the girls were from the United States. The remaining girls were from Canada, Taiwan and Ecuador. I am actually uploading photographs to my Facebook along with a blog if you all want to follow my life here in France. I still can't believe that a few months ago I was attending Lanier High School in Austin, but now studying in France in a totally different part of the world. I can't thank NWAR enough for this opportunity.

2011 FUND RAISER (OUR 16TH YEAR) VITAL STATISTICS

- 1. Prices: Large Box (40#) \$35.00. Small Box (20#) \$25.00.
- 2. Small Box Mixed \$25.00 Large Mixed \$35.00
- 3. \$112,000 Sales Objective this year.
- 4. \$111.711 in sales in 2010!!!!
- 5. TEN sales Teams. Check the Bulletin Board for yours.
- 6. Individual par this year is \$850 in sales.
- 7. Cash contribution for par is \$750
- 8. Par can be either sales or cash contribution or combination.
- 9. Add new members during the fund drive and they go on your Team. Improve your chances to hit Team Par. \$12,000.00
- 10. In 2010 avg. sales per rep was \$1,140!
- 11. Bird Cage is Alive and Well. Top Team gets Steak and Eggs. Bird Cage team gets to serve the winner.
- 12. Begin unloading and distributing on Thursday thru Saturday
- 13. Duration Fruit Sale 9/23 thru 12/2. Order placed on 12/5.
- 14. Navel Oranges Small contains 28-40 depending on size.
- 15. Navel Oranges Large contains 56-80 depending on size.
- 16. Ruby Red G/Fruit Small contains 16-24 depending on size.
- 17. Ruby Red G/Fruit Large contains 32-48 depending on size.
- 18. Distribution is the same as last year, 13096 N. Highway 183 on AFTO! South bound side.

Celebrate World Polio Day - 24 October

To encourage widespread support for the effort to eradicate polio online, the website www.thisclose.net makes it possible for you to join the ranks of celebrities and others around the world in pledging to make a difference in this effort. Right now, you can create your own 'This Close' message, and share it with members of your social networks, and encourage them to do the same.

Here is how you can participate:

- Visit (http://www.thisclose.net/),
- Click on "Add your face and name",
- · Select a silhouette,
- · Upload your picture or take a new one using your webcam,
- Use the 5 different adjustment tools to customize your ad
- Personalize your ad by selecting a color for the background and End
- Publish your ad in the online gallery as part of the global campaign,
- Don't stop there: Share your pledge and invite friends to do the same through Facebook, Twitter and other social networks.

You can also take part in a special celebration to honor the widelyrecognized World Polio Day and Rotary's tremendous progress around the world. The plan is to have Rotarians change their social networking profile pictures to their "This Close" ads and ask their friends to do the same, generating awareness about the issue and also collaboration.