

THE ROTARY CLUB OF NORTHWEST AUSTIN SPONSORS

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ROTARY ROOTER



ROTARY CLUB OF NORTHWEST AUSTIN NOVEMBER 30, 2012



2012-13 CLUB-LEADERS

President:	Steve Welch
President-Elect:	Pat O'Farrell
Secretary:	Don Shindler
Treasurer:	Josh Little
Sergeant At Arms:	Bill Zipoy
Weekly Volunteers	Clifton Clyborne
Membership	Clifton Clyborne
VP Club Service	Jerry McCulley
Bulletin	Harold Coleman
Club Historian	George Lewis
Photographers	Oliver Smith/HP Tobler
Set-up/Take-down	Ron Bolen/Tim Dufee/ Mike Moser/Dave Corna
VP Community Service	Jim Henry
Programs	David Davis/Paul Ott
Publicity	
Website	Sheila Allee
VP International Service	Rebecca Whitehouse
Ambassadorial Scholar	John Knifton
Group Study Exchange	Fred Morgan
Peace Inst/PolioPlus	Kent Miller
PET Austin	Jim White
VP New Generations	Kristi Holmes
Interact	Rich Barbee/Mike Moser
Rotaract	Gene Holiman
Rotary Youth Exchange	Brigitte Benquet
RYLA	Bob Roe/Mike Jagers
Boy Scouts	
VP Vocational Service	Rick Hoffman
Fireside Meetings	Dee Haddock
Junior Achievement	Mike Jagers
Special Project	Dave Roon
Past Presidents Council	Tony Thompson
Endowment	John Voss
Foundation	Ken Dickensheets
Fundraising	Tom Perkins
Director-At-Large	Kent Duran/Oliver Smith
Director-At-Large	Bob Allen/Diane Lyerly



President-elect Pat O'Farrell addresses the club at a recent meeting. Pat has done wonders for our New Generations Avenue of Service in the past few years promoting Interact, rejuvenating our RYE program and heading the district's RYLA Camp.
photo by Hanspeter Tobler

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, November 30, 2012 – 7:00 A.M.

Meeting at Balcones Country Club

Call to Order – Steve Welch, President

November is Rotary Foundation Month

TODAY'S PROGRAM

Richard Lewis, M.D. – “Kidney Donation”

Dr. Richard Lewis, the Surgical Director of the kidney transplant program at North Austin Medical Center will be our speaker today, with a program titled, "Access to Kidneys Donated for Transplantation. Austin We Have a Problem!" Dr. Lewis will provide us with his perspective on a national problem that is not being adequately discussed in the media. He brings us the perspective of a physician trained as a nephrologist and urologist at the University of Texas Health Science Center San Antonio and the Cleveland Clinic among other institutions and who served in academic transplantation for 15 years at UT Medical School Houston, Loyola University Chicago and State University of New York Stony Brook. The 30-minute program will discuss efforts to make kidney transplantation fairer based on his research and experiences the past several years at NAMC.

PLEASE RESPECTFULLY TO OUR SPEAKERS: TURN CELL PHONES OFF OR TO VIBRATE AND LISTEN! THANK YOU!

Greeter: Gene Holiman
Prayer & Pledge: Mary McCaffity
Sunshine Basket: Durriyah Chinwalla
50/50 Ticket Sales: Tom Perkins

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

Next Week: - Bluebonnet MHMR Christmas Party

Dec 14 Todd McLanahan – “Bastrop Wild Fires – One Year Later”
Dec 21 Ryan Zintgraff - "Update of NWAR's Own Scout Pack"

NOVEMBER Birthdays

02: Tom Applegate
04: Cornel Jones
05: Mike Jagers
07: Rick Hoffman
09: Jerry McCulley
11: Diane Lyerly
16: Bob Rein
20: Clifton Clyborne
23: Tim Buckley
25: Brigitte Benquet
28: Jim White



NOVEMBER Club Anniversaries

01: Bob Stroh (31), David Davis (29),
Michelle Berger (19)
02: Kevin Lancaster (5)
03: Ken Dickensheets (6), Dick Hamilton (6)
17: Pat O'Farrell (6)
18: Kristin Stephens (1)

One last time:

AFTO!!!

AT OUR LAST MEETING (11/16)

Trudy Marshall – “Libraries of Love”

Ann Doerfler – RYE Student

At our last meeting, Trudy Marshall updated us on recent activities of the Libraries of Love, another of the valuable international efforts we back with our fruit sales. For more information, go to: <http://www.librariesoflove.org/>

Additionally, Ann Doerfler, our inbound Rotary Youth Exchange Student, updated us on her experience thus far in the U. S.

Greeter: Kent Duran
Prayer & Pledge: Allan Adams
Sunshine Basket: Jim White
50/50 Ticket Sales: Danny Davila
Humorist Emeritus: Ray Roark

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

Member Attendance: 55
50:50 Pot Winner: Ryan Zintgraff (\$20)

Rotary Minutes

- President Steve Welch announced that we had funded special Cub Scout scholarships for needy scouts.
- Kent Miller reminded those who pledged \$100 every yer towards Polio Plus to honor their commitment.
- Tom Perkins gave us a fruit sale update.

Visiting Rotarians

Eileen Coleman – Austin Centennial
Don Tompkins – Austin Downtown
Earl Follis – Round Rock Sunrise

Other Visitors & Guests

George Tobler (of Hanspeter Tobler)
Melinda Lawrence (of Tim Buckley)

Club Member Make-ups

Ken Dickensheets – Foundation Gala (10/27) & District Membership Committee Mtg (11/7)
Harold Coleman – NWAR Board Meeting (11/16)
Tim Buckley – Georgetown (11/9)
Oliver Smith – NWAR Board Meeting (11/16)
Ray Roark – Wine Tour (11/10)
Henry Mayes – Cedar Park (11/3)
Bridgitte Benquet – Wine Tour (11/10)
Hanspeter Tobler – Lakeway/Lake Travis (11/9)

MAKE-UP MEETING LOCATIONS: due to clubs 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.rotaryclubone.org



THOUGHT FOR THE DAY:

“The best way to win the esteem of others is by observing the simple rules of decency. If they won’t accomplish the desired result, nothing will.”

Paul Harris

EVERY
ROTARIAN
EVERY
YEAR

NEWS & EVENTS

UPCOMING NWAR EVENTS

Nov 30 Fruit Sale ends
Dec 7 Bluebonnet MHMR Christmas Party
NWAR Holiday Party @ Balcones CC
Dec 14 NWAR Board Meeting (after the regular meeting)
Jan 18 NWAR Libraries of Love Work Day

Upcoming District Events & Important Dates

5/31-6/2/13 D5870 Conference of Rotary Clubs
6/23-26/13 RI Convention – Lisbon, Potrugal

Libraries of Love Work Day

Our club will be holding a “work day” to prepare books to send to Uganda for Trudy Marshall's Libraries of Love mission.
When: January 18, 2013 from 1 pm to 4 pm
Where: Trudy's house in Pflugerville
More details and sign-up sheets will follow in December. For more details, see Rebecca Whitehouse

HOLIDAY PARTY MENU

December 7, 2012, 6:30PM until???

*Passed Appetizers -Chef Specialty using Molecular Gastronomy Methods by Chef Tony
***Cucumber Round with Salmon Mousse and Blood Orange Caviar
***Seared Beef Medallions on Crostinis with Homemade blueberries
***Sauted Shrimp with Plum Chili Sauce and Red Wine Foam

*Salad:

***Orange Citrus Salad on Field Greens with Feta Cheese, Grape Tomatoes, Fresh Rotary Orange Segments and Vinaigrette Dressing

*Dinner Options:

***Grilled Flat Iron Steak with Red Wine Au Jus Roasted Tri-Color New Potatoes Blanched Asparagus
***Pan Seared Salmon with Basil Risotto Garnished with Shaved Parmesan, Fennel and Thyme and Fresh Citrus Caviar
***Eggplant Polenta (Vegetarian and Gluten Free) Sauted Eggplant with homemade marinara atop grilled polenta

*Key Lime Mousse for Dessert

All for only \$30.00 Per Person

SIGN UPS END SOON, SO CHECK WITH YOUR PARTNER, SELECT YOUR DINNER CHOICE AND PLAN ON JOINING US ON DECEMBER 7TH!!

WEBSITES TO KNOW:

Club Website: [http:// www.nwaustinrotary.org](http://www.nwaustinrotary.org)
Club Facebook: <http://www.facebook.com/nwaustinrotary>
District 5870: <http://www.rotarydistrict5870.org/>
D5870 Special Site: <http://rotary4you.org/>
Rotary International: <http://www.rotary.org/>

Fruit Sale Update

As of 11/28/2012

<u>CAPTAIN</u>	<u>SALES (\$)</u>
Holmes, Kristi	\$12,342
Thompson, Tony	12,048
Carriker, Sarah	11,247
Easter, Lee	9,138
Corna, David	7,182
Dietz, Mark	6,582
Fulmer, Bob	6,541
Dickensheets, Ken	5,781
Moser, Michael	2,545
Total	\$73,406

3rd Annual Reindeer Run

The Rotary Club of Round Rock Sunrise and the Round Rock Parks and Recreation present the third annual Reindeer Run. Be one of the first to experience Round Rock's amazing new Rock'N Lights Holiday Light Tour, while participating in a 5K or 1K family fun run to raise funds for the maintenance and potential expansion of the Play for All Abilities Park in Round Rock for children with cognitive or physical challenges. The Play for All Abilities Park opened earlier this year at Rabb Park, and use of the park has been beyond our expectations.

The 2012 Reindeer Run begins 4:30pm on Sunday, Dec. 2nd, at Old Settlers Park. Schedule:
4:30 p.m. Registration Opens and Pre-Race Activities
5:30 p.m. Kids 1K Fun Run
6:00 p.m. 5K Timed and Fun Run

Don't miss this unique opportunity to run/walk through the incredible Rock'N Lights; a 2 million light 1½-mile must see event of the season. Cost
Early Bird Discount Rates (valid through November 16th):
• Adult (13 and over) \$25 per participant includes t-shirt - Timing option: \$5
• Kids (12 and under) FREE with parent or guardian-no shirt and no registration required.

Additional T-Shirts can be purchased for \$15.

Packet Pickup

Friday, November 30th 2012:
10am-5pm: Round Rock City Parks & Recreation (301 W Bagdad)
2pm-6pm: Rouge Running (Cedar Park 2800 East Whitestone)
Saturday, December 1st 2012
10am-4pm: Rouge Running (Cedar Park 2800 East Whitestone)
Sunday, December 2nd 2012
4:30pm-6pm: 5R5k Event (3300 Palm Valley Blvd./Hwy 79)
For more information, go to: <http://www.5r5k.org/>