



THE SUN LIGHT

THE ROTARY CLUB OF GEORGETOWN-SUN CITY
MEETS TUESDAYS, 12:00 P.M. @ SUN CITY BALLROOM
FEBRUARY 19, 2008

Thought for the Week

Faith has to do with things that are not seen, and hope with things that are not in hand.

Thomas Aquinas

Today's Program

Bill Harries will present Bennie Davis, a four-star general who ran the Strategic Air Command and nuclear deterrent force in the 80's.

Last Program, Feb. 12, 2008

We learned about another fine Georgetown area volunteer organization dedicated to personal service called the Assistance League. It is part of a national group with 114 chapters.

Bill Harrah introduced this program. His wife Joanne is in charge of Public Relations for AL.

The first speaker was Cheryl Schmidt who explained the four programs that benefit the children and the elderly in Williamson County. Secondly, Linda Ledbetter spoke about fundraisers which help to fund their projects.

Presiding Order

PRESIDING	Bill Miller
PRAYER	Membership
PLEDGE	John Miller
4 WAY TEST	Bob Derse

Total Attendance

41 members and 9 guests

Visiting Rotarians

Bob Derse - Downtown
Dan Bonner - Downtown
Ned Snead - Sunrise
George McClellan-Sunrise

Guests of Rotary

Joanne Harrah-guest of Bill,
Cheryl Schmidt and Linda Ledbetter-guests of Rotary,
Sherrie Williams - guest of Bob Smith

Happy Bucks (\$118)

The generosity of club members at our meetings is helping the Polio Plus Fund to grow.

***All money collected weekly goes to the Foundation.**

**** In February, all money will be given specifically to the Polio Plus Fund.**

*****Bill Miller and David Leas will donate \$1 for each Rotarian who wears his Paul Harris pin each week.**

******Lou Gibson will match the donations of each member who gives \$10 in February.**

Significant Events

The following people celebrated birthdays: Linda Roberts' son John, Barbara Pekar's husband Paul and a granddaughter, and Bob Derse.

New Member

PDG Bill Bryce presided over the induction ceremony of Buddy Sims. We all welcome Buddy to our club.

www.RotaryDistrict5870.com

Important Dates, 2008

February 29 - Social gathering at the Rattlesnake Inn at 6:30 PM

April 26 - District Assembly in Killeen

May 2-4 - District Conference at Austin Hilton at the Airport

June 15-18 - Rotary International Convention in LA

Future Programs

February 26 - Harold Lawless

March 4 - Bios/New Members,

(This meeting is at the Pavilion)

March 11 - Don Mabray

March 18 - Chuck MacKay

March 25 - Jamie Mattison

National Website

www.Rotary.org

February is World Understanding Month

The Rotary Club of Georgetown-Sun City has completed a grant project in conjunction with the Rotary Club of Matamoros Sur to provide equipment for a Red Cross emergency room in Matamoros, Mexico.

The Sun City Club donated \$2,500 and the Matamoros Club donated \$5,000 to the project. With matching funds from both districts and the Rotary Foundation, the total project generated about \$18,000. This has been approved by RI and is fully funded.

Sun City Rotarians will have an opportunity to visit the project at a future date, perhaps for the dedication of the emergency room. The Mexican Red Cross serves primarily indigent persons, so this project should go a long way towards building international good will.

Many thanks go to **David Leas** for heading this project.

Future Speaker

On March 11, Don Mabray will present Grant Teaff, who is executive director of American Football Coaches Association and Athletic Director at Baylor University. Tell Don if you plan to bring guests, so more lunch food can be ordered.

Rotary Invocation

**Oh, Lord, and giver of
All things good,**

**We thank thee for our daily
food,**

**May Rotary friends and
Rotary ways,**

**Help us to serve you all our
days. Amen**