



# The Sun Light

THE ROTARY CLUB OF GEORGETOWN - SUN CITY  
District 5870 TUESDAYS 12 NOON  
Cowan Creek Amenity Center, Cool Spring Way  
June 18, 2013

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## JUNE IS ROTARY FELLOWSHIP MONTH

**Rotary Prayer:** Heavenly Father, thank you for the blessings of this day and for the fellowship we come here to share. Dedicate us to your service; the service of Rotary and the service of Rotary's pro- grams around the world. Here our prayers, and grant us peace. We ask these things in Your name. Amen.

### LAST WEEK

**Presiding:** Bob Weimer  
**Invocation:** Bill Miller  
**Pledge:** George Olive  
**4-Way Test:** Bob Crandall

**Rotarian Guests:** Keith & Sharon Goudy/Pflugerville

**Today's Programme:** Dianna Howard, Culinary Heritage Institute

**NEXT WEEK:**    **JUNE 25 - PRESIDENT'S NIGHT**

### Future Programmes:

July 2	Club Assembly
July 9	Mr. Dan Bonner, Wesleyan Estrella
July 16	Dr. Paul Gaffney, Dean of the Sarofim School of Fine Arts at SWU
July 23	Mr. Robert Deffeyes, Bird photography
July 30	Mr. Brian Harrison, Scott and White Healthcare Foundation

Upcoming Events:	June 23 – 26	Rotary Int'l Conference in Lisbon, Portugal
	July 2	RYLA in Bastrop
	July 7	<b>Summer Fest</b>
	July 12	Marble Falls Rotary Fish fry

### Remember . . .

There will be **NO regular meeting at noon on the 25<sup>th</sup>**. Instead, we will meet in our regular meeting room at Cowan Creek from 6PM - 9PM

COST: \$15.00 for Rule of 85 + guests  
\$ 5.00 for regular members.

THEME: Route 66; 1950's diner

DRESS: Casual (dig out those 1950's outfits)

BYOW: There will be a margarita machine, but you'll have to bring your own wine.

## **Peace Through Service:**

When we serve through Rotary, we share the best part of ourselves.

We build connections to other people, who may seem so different from us. And by doing this, we create a world of greater peace.

There are so many ways to build Peace Through Service. Rotary service brings us all closer together. It allows us to reach out to those in need and to work together for common goals.

It allows us to help meet the great needs of people we may never meet.

And it gives each of us the happiness that comes from helping someone when they need it most.

**Lord, where we are wrong, make us willing to change;  
where we are right, make us easy to live with.**

## **BUILDING OWNERSHIP AND PRIDE IN THE ROTARY FOUNDATION**

So much of what we achieve in Rotary we achieve with the support of our Rotary Foundation. But awareness of our Foundation's role is not what it should be, even among Rotarians. This is why a goal for 2013-14 is building ownership and pride in our Foundation. The success of PolioPlus is a direct result of the generosity of Rotarians all over the world who believe that the best way to invest their money is in a polio-free future. They know that when they give to their Foundation, their charitable contribution does just what we aim for as Rotarians — it does the most good it can.

But many Rotarians don't have the same understanding when it comes to the Foundation's Permanent Fund and Annual Fund. We are still falling far short of our goal of **Every Rotarian, Every Year**. Let's ensure that our club is part of EREY.

If you haven't made a contribution (no matter how small or how large) please help our club by donating now.

*Life is ten percent what happens to you and ninety percent how you respond to it.*

. . . coach Lou Holtz

## **We Are Victims:**

**CONGRATULATIONS!** We are now the victims of progress. We now have a new area code lurking in the dark alleys of our area. We now have a 737, just like the Boeing airplane. Although I think no one's number will be changed from 512, the new kids will be given a 737 number. YAWN, HO HUM? Well, not really. What it means for you is that for local calls you now have to dial the whole mess. We are now 512-591-1234, BUT you DO NOT dial a 1 before the area code because 512 and 737 are now both local numbers.

Iff'n you screw up and dial the 1, I bet you get a scruffy girl lady woman female voice machine that tells you, "You have dialed the number insufficiently correct and so you will receive 15 demerits from the phone company. If you need assistance in dialing, boy, you must really be stupid. However, stay on the line and one of our courteous and efficient operators will be on the line to sass you farther."

**Bob Deffeyes,  
Fellow Victim**

## *News from the Boardroom:*

*Sharon and Keith Goudy have made application to become members of our Club.*

*John Chenoweth made the motion seconded by Rich Petro that Sharon and Keith be accepted into our Club. The vote of the Board in favor of this motion was unanimous.*

*The Goudys are transferring their current membership from the Pflugerville Rotary Club and their transfer to our Club will be effective July 1, 2013.*

### **Misc. etc.**

One of **Harold Bergh's** grandsons graduated *summa cum laude* with National Merit Scholarship, a fact he attributes to his wife's genes of intelligence! **Ron Ferreri** has returned from a trip to Mongolia; **Herman Knodel's** grandson has graduated from high school; **John Chenoweth** donated blood yesterday and noted that the supply of A+ blood is urgently needed right now; **Barb Pekar** was pleased to have had her mother with her for 93 years; **Malcolm Hensley's** grandson has graduated from kindergarten! Members were delighted at all the awards our club achieved at the District Conference.

Donations are still needed for the silent auction that will be held at the **Summerfest** next month. **John Chenoweth** had tickets to sell and while we had just over 300 attendees at our Spring Fling last year, he is hoping we can have many more attend the Summerfest.

John urged members to buy 2 tickets for themselves and sell just 4 tickets to neighbours – friends - relatives; this will mean we can exceed last year's attendance. Cost = \$15 per ticket.

**Bob Smith** has made (again!) a beautiful dulcimer he will donate to help raise funds; in the past Bob's dulcimer has fetched a lot of money.

### **New Member Induction:**

PDG **Bill Bryce** came forward to formally induct **Greg Barber**, nominated by **Lou Gibson**. In his initial way Bill spoke about Rotary's motto – *Service Above Self* – as illustrated by Medal of Honor recipient, William Sawelson. His citation read as follows below:

Rank and organization: Sergeant, U.S. Army, Company M, 312th Infantry, 78th Division. Place and date: At Grand-Pré, France, 26 October, 1918. Entered service at: Harrison, N.J. Born: August 1895, Newark, N.J., G.O. No.: 16, W.D., 1919.

**Citation:** *Hearing a wounded man in a shell hole some distance away calling for water, Sgt. Sawelson, upon his own initiative, left shelter and crawled through heavy machinegun fire to where the man lay, giving him what water he had in his canteen. He then went back to his own shell hole, obtained more water, and was returning to the wounded man when he was killed by a machine gun bullet.*

Seldom in our lives now do we find ourselves in a position to perform such heroics, but as Bill said, smaller acts of selflessness are available to us all. **Welcome, Greg !**

### **Artificial Limbs:**

The world's first bionic foot was manufactured by iWalk in 2011. It costs about US\$70,000 and uses robotics to emulate the action of the foot, ankle, and calf, The U.S. Military helped fund its development and dozens have gone to wounded veterans.

The number of amputees in the United States is predicted to rise from the more than 1.6 million today to 3.6 million by 2050. Many amputees are the result of diabetes.

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## Sanofi Pasteur commits 1.7 billion vaccine doses for fight to finish polio

Manufacturer Sanofi Pasteur has [committed to providing](#) 1.7 billion doses of oral polio vaccine to support the [polio end game strategic plan](#). "Sanofi Pasteur's commitment of 1.7 billion vaccine doses comes at a crucial moment as we make the final push needed to end polio once and for all," says RI General Secretary John Hewko.

### **DAFFY DEFINITIONS:**

**Pharmacist**, A helper on the farm.

**Phonesia**, The affliction of dialing a phone number and forgetting whom you were calling just as they answer.

**Wrinkles**, Something other people have. You have character lines.

**Sarchasm**, The gulf between between the writer of sarcasm and the reader who doesn't get it.

**Secret**, Something you tell to one person at a time.

**Skier**, One who pays an arm and a leg for the opportunity to break them.

**Toothache**, The pain that drives you to extraction.

**Psychiatry**, The care of the id by the odd.

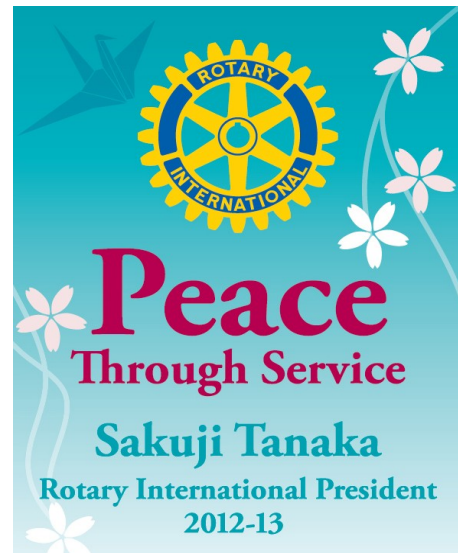
**Yawn**, An honest opinion openly expressed.

### **RYLA News:**

Our club has accepted an opportunity to sponsor a 3rd RYLA Camper; *Sara McDaniel* who had been interviewed & previously awarded alternate RYLA status was happy for opportunity and has accepted the offer to attend camp with our other 2 Jarrell students -

*Cierra Rodriguez and Tristan Harden.*

Camp RYLA will be Sunday, June 30th - Friday, July 5th at LCRA's McKinney Roughs near Bastrop.



### **Rotoplast – 20 years of service:**

15,403	patients treated by Rotoplast during 180 missions.
250	clubs that have participated in Rotoplast sponsorships.
23	countries where Rotoplast teams have worked.
20 <sup>th</sup>	anniversary of Rotoplast's first mission in January 2013.