



THE SUN LIGHT

THE ROTARY CLUB OF GEORGETOWN-SUN CITY
MEETS TUESDAYS, 12:00 P.M. @ SUN CITY BALLROOM
OCTOBER 30, 2007

Thought for the Week

The everyday kindness of the back roads more than makes up for the acts of greed in the headlines.

Charles Kuralt

Today

Doug Bryce presents State Senator Steve Ogden as our speaker.

October 23, 2007

Our own Julian Bucher was the speaker. His career was spent in the investment department with State Farm Insurance in Bloomington, IL.

Some highlights of his talk included the role of the Federal Reserve Board, the actions taken by Board Chairmen, and many of the economic conditions which impacted our country during his tenure at State Farm.

Presiding Order

PRESIDING	Bill Miller
PRAYER	Membership
PLEDGE	Byron Calcote
4 WAY TEST	David Gardner

Total Attendance

37 members

Happy Bucks

Bill Miller was happy to celebrate the club's 10th anniversary. Many members were happy for the nice weather; others were just happy to be present. Chris Mealy was happy to be able to watch the Ohio State-Penn State game with Gaz. Dick Will was happy that **Sparky's** has opened.

Renee Mercier was happy for Georgetown being named the #1 retirement place. Alex Munson was happy to contribute to the Foundation. Jamie Mattison was happy to be back from New York City. These people were happy for their teams' victories: Stephen Brown-LSU and Tom Powell-Rutgers.

Significant Event

Correction: Bill and Joanne Harrah celebrated their 52nd anniversary this month, not Bill and Joan Miller, as reported last week.

Jay Baker

Jay has replaced Brad Reeves on the Board. Now he will be in charge of service projects.

David Medley Update

David has had his second chemo treatment, and it has taken away much of his energy. He continues to have a positive attitude and enjoys visitors at the Wesleyan.

Future Programs

November 6 – David Bryce
November 13 – Stephen Brown
November 20-Byron Calcote
November 27-James Cearnal
December 4-Art Tragesser
December 11 - Wrap gifts for "Breakfast with Santa"
December 18 – Club Assembly – Vote for officers for 2008-2009
December 25 –Christmas Day
January 1- Happy New Year
January 8 – Dean Cleveland
January 15 – E.C. Deaton
January 22 – David Gardner
January 29 – Lou Gibson

Arts and Crafts Fair

Bob Selman needs more members to volunteer to work at the fair. Some may have to work more than one shift. Make sure you see him and plan to help our club be successful.

Important Events

Nov. 1 – 4 –Bi-District Reunion at South Padre Island
Nov. 3 & 4 - Craft Fair
Nov. 15 – Jarrell High School Open House and Dedication
Dec. 8 – Breakfast with Santa

Meet Rich Petro

Rich was born and raised in Topeka, Kansas. He first became a Rotarian in Topeka in 1953.

For 38 years, Rich worked in home health and medical supplies. He had a company which made surgical supports, orthopedic braces and artificial limbs. He joined with another company and took the combined company, Physio-Technology, public and was listed on the NASDAC Exchange.

In 1989 Rich obtained a real estate and broker's license to begin a second career. He still manages properties in Kansas and Texas.

Jarrell Open House

A grand opening celebration and barbeque will be held at Jarrell High School at 6:00, on Thursday, Nov. 15. You need a free ticket to attend.

Staff, parents, and the community are invited for dinner, tours and the dedication of the new high school.

A Scholarship for Jamie

Jamie Mattison, Superintendent at Jarrell ISD, has been chosen as one of 24 superintendents to participate in the Lamar University Superintendent Academy, a highly acclaimed advanced leadership training program on Lamar's Beaumont campus. She recently visited New York to attend a Comparative Education Seminar at Columbia University.

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**