



THE SUN LIGHT

THE ROTARY CLUB OF GEORGETOWN-SUN CITY
MEETS TUESDAYS, 12:00 P.M. @ SUN CITY BALLROOM
SEPTEMBER 23, 2008

Thought for the Week

Facts are stubborn things, but statistics are more pliable.

Mark Twain

Today's Program

Stephen Brown is in charge of the program for the day.

Last Program - Sept. 16, 2008

Our speaker, Laura Antoine, was introduced by Adaire Wolf. Laura is the executive director of Partners in Education (P.I.E.) in the GISD.

Five programs of P.I.E. were discussed and explained by Laura. They are: 1)helping hand tutors, 2)project mentor, 3)business link, 4)school to careers, and 5)the GISD foundation.

Laura stressed the need for volunteers to assist in helping hand tutors and project mentor.

Presiding Order

PRESIDING Chris Mealy
PRAYER Membership
PLEDGE Rich Petro
4 WAY TEST Stephen Brown

Total Attendance

30 members and 6 guest

Visiting Rotarians

Darrick McGill – Downtown

Guest of Rotary

Laura Antoine - guest speaker,
Donna Covey and Carol Johnson –
guests of Adaire Wolf,
Savannah Truelove-guest of Jamie
Mattison, Herman Knodel – guest
of Harold Steadman

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Significant Events

Stephen Brown praised his wife, Ernestine, for her work with the Assistance League of Georgetown, as profiled in the *Williamson County Sun*.

Chris Mealy celebrated his daughter's 30th birthday in L.A.

Happy Bucks (\$25)

John Chenoweth was happy to see cooler temperatures outside. Many were just happy to be at the meeting. Others were happy for the success of their football teams: Alex Munson, Texas Tech; Rich Petro, Kansas State; and Jamie Mattison, Jarrell Cougars.

Bill Harrah was happy to pay tribute to Eddie Crowder, an All-American quarterback at Oklahoma, and a coach, athletic director, and mentor at Colorado U., who passed away recently. The song "Okie from Muskogee" was written about him.

*All money collected weekly goes to the Rotary Foundation.

Important Dates, 2008

October 21 Anniversary Dinner at Georgetown Country Club

Nov. 1-2 – Arts and Craft Fair

November 21-22 - Bi-National Reunion in San Antonio

Dec. 13-Breakfast with Santa

Dec. 20 – Delivery of gifts to families in Georgetown and Jarrell

Future Programs

September 30 – Greg Bowden

October 7 – Don Bender

October 14- Tom Minor

October 21 –Anniversary Dinner

October 28-Doug Bryce

November 4-Dick Will

November 11-Julian Bucher

November 18 – Byron Calcote

November 25 – John Chenoweth

Board Minutes for Sept. 16, 2008

Jamie Mattison discussed the growing number of students in her schools because of Hurricane Ike. A motion passed to give Jarrell ISD \$300 to help with supplies for these children. Lou Gibson, Alex Munson, and Rich Petro each added a personal contribution.

Another motion passed to have Linda Roberts, Adaire Wolf, Barb Pekar, Bill Miller, and Bob Selman sign on the Sun City Rotary Club credit card to purchase items for Breakfast with Santa.

Attention, Members

Lou Gibson needs everyone to report to him on the results of their contacts from the perspective list of donors for the breakfast.

Anniversary Dinner

Plans for the anniversary dinner at the Georgetown Country Club on Tuesday, Oct. 21, have been set. There will be a Tuscan theme with cash bar from 6-7 pm and an Italian buffet dinner at 7 o'clock.

Plan to attend this gala event!

Volunteers Needed

The three Rotary Clubs of Georgetown are seeking volunteers to serve in a booth for **Up the Chisholm Trail**, an event at San Gabriel Park on Sat., Sept 27.

Our goals are to get more exposure for Rotary and to help boost our memberships.

A Rotary Prayer

Oh Lord, and giver of

All things good,

We thank thee for our daily food,

May Rotary friends and

Rotary ways,

Help to serve you all our days.

Amen