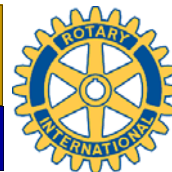


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Dear Rotarians,

After three weeks of visiting our clubs, the major concern for the clubs is growing our membership. August is membership month and it is our major goal for this year. Every meeting should start with a “Membership Moment” in which you share with the club why you joined Rotary. I call it the “Membership Moment” because it tells your story and it keeps us focused on membership growth in our clubs. Everyone has his or her own story to share with others.



2012-2013  
DG Hollis Lackey

We can strengthen our clubs by adding new members. This month, I’m asking each club to make a major effort to add at least two new members. When we grow in membership we can do more projects and be more representative of the community.

When we wonder why our clubs are not growing and the clubs stay the same size, we find that we are not asking people to join us for lunch or breakfast or better still to work on a community project with us to show them what Rotary is all about. We know the major reason someone does not join Rotary is because they were not asked. So get out there and ask someone to join the number one service group in the world, Rotary. We will not accept excuses, so ask someone this month to join you at Rotary.

Retention is another important area of membership. If a member has not shown up for meeting in a while, pick up the phone and call him to find out if there is a problem. Let them know they are missed. Fun meetings and a caring attitude make for good retention.

Our district has many activities in the coming months where you can plug in and improve your Rotary knowledge.

Foundation Seminar, August 11, 2012, Meadowbrook United Methodist Church, Fort Worth, Texas 76013, 9am to 1pm, \$18pp/Lunch included. At this meeting you will learn about grants.

End Polio Now Dinner at Morton’s Steak House, August 24, 2012 \$300 per plate

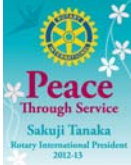
End Polio Now at The Ball Park in Arlington, August 25, 2012, \$10. Per ticket, 3pm first pitch, Tailgate party before game \$5 hot dog sack.

Membership Seminar, September 22, 2012, Mineral Wells High School, Mineral Wells, Texas 76067, 9am to 1pm, \$18pp/lunch included.

In Rotary,

*Hollis*

District Governor 2012-2013



## MEMBERSHIP MONTH

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There are several rumors out there in the Rotary world that membership is the responsibility of the Membership Chair and Membership Committee. However, I would submit to you that Membership is the responsibility of every Rotarian in the District.

Rotary was founded based on invitation only and privilege. Although it is still by invitation only it is possible that we have not continued to highlight, to prospective members, the privileges associated with being a Rotarian.

If you want to do your part to increase quality Membership in your Club and District 5790 then simply understand; Rotary has its privileges. Here are six privileges that Rotary provides:

**Friendship:** Rotary was founded on fellowship and District 5790 is a great example of that friendship. You will gain an extended family of people who care. Club members enjoy camaraderie with likeminded people and club projects offer additional opportunities to develop enduring friendship.

**Service:** District 5790 has many opportunities for humanitarian service both locally and internationally. Service programs address concerns such as health care, poverty, literacy and the environment. Rotary makes one realize that it is a lot more fulfilling to give than to take.

**Truth:** Rotary trains your mind to speak the truth. The four way test is a constant reminder how a person should make decision in their life.

**Entertainment:** Social activities within your Club and the District give you a chance to let loose and have fun. Conferences, conventions, assemblies and social events provide entertainment as well as Rotary information, education and service.

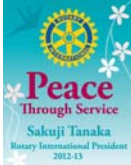
**International:** With 546 Districts, 33,000 Rotary Clubs in over 200 Countries Rotarians gain an understanding of humanitarian issues throughout the world. One of Rotary's highest objectives is to build good will and peace throughout the world.

**Networking:** Rotary is a great place to enlarge your business and professional circles. As the oldest service club in the world Rotary clubs represent executives, managers, professionals and just a whole bunch of good people.

Highlighting these six privileges to prospective Rotarians will provide them a simple understanding about the privileges that you have with Rotary. If you want to increase Club membership make sure that you make membership a privilege.

This year's District 5790 membership theme is:

**"Membership Has its Privileges"**



## "CLUB / MEMBERSHIP EXTENSION"



Mike Pope is Chair—Membership Extensions and is AG at large for District 5790.

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Did your club induct 25 or more new members last year? How many expect to induct 25 or more new members this year? Do you think this idea might be a little far fetched?

When a new Rotary club charters, that's exactly what happens to the District . . . 25 or more new Rotarians join our ranks. Now imagine 2 or 3 or 4 new Rotary clubs being chartered in one year. Now you're doing the math, right?

In the past 10 years, Rotary in North America has depended on new club formations as a significant component to meet membership goals. Our district has had some very positive experience in this realm as well.

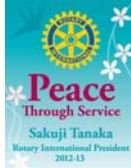
We can point to Highland Village, Kennedale, Burleson Area Midday and Eagle Mountain-Saginaw as new clubs that have chartered in our district in the past 5 years. Perhaps you know of others.

Imagine how those communities have benefitted from having a Rotary club in them. And imagine how those Rotarians have grown . . . as community business leaders united in Service Above Self. Now add to that the money those new clubs have raised for The Rotary Foundation, funds that are now benefitting those in need all around the world, and is it any wonder that District 5790 wants to start new clubs?

Now for the fun part . . . YOUR part. We need to know where YOU think we should consider starting a Rotary club. Is there an area that's experienced recent growth but doesn't have a Rotary club? How about a club that misses new member opportunities because of their meeting time? A noon club with a long history might want to consider sponsoring a morning club or an evening club.

Maybe we can appeal to more young business leaders with a "non-meal" club . . . in other words a club which holds down the cost of Rotary membership by meeting but not serving a meal. Highland Village is our district's poster child for just such a club. It was an experiment when they tried it but it's worked out quite well and the club is thriving.

Put on your thinking cap and let us know where you believe we should consider establishing a new Rotary club. Feel free to contact either DG Hollis or myself. I can be reached at [mpope@firstunitedbank.com](mailto:mpope@firstunitedbank.com) or by phone at 661-406-7773. Together we can start new clubs in our district, which will help us meet our 2012-2013 membership goals.



## GROUP STUDY EXCHANGE "A Great Opportunity"



Bill Harnagel has been involved with GSE for District 5790 for 2012-2013.

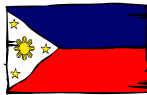
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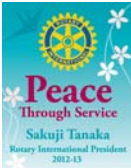
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When you think about all of the great opportunities that Rotary offers, probably among the first things that come to mind are polio eradication, matching grants that assist people in need, ambassadorial scholars, etc. But what about a Rotary program that can directly impact and benefit individual Rotarians as well as non Rotarians? You answer that Rotarians cannot directly benefit from Rotary projects...so true...but there is an exception. It is called Group Study Exchange (GSE).

The object of the GSE program is to assemble a team consisting of a Rotarian team leader and three to five non Rotarian team members. This team becomes part of a GSE exchange with a foreign Rotary district to promote good will, develop leadership skills, expand vocational skills, and observe Rotary in action in the exchange Rotary district. As stated above, the team leader is a knowledgeable Rotarian and the team members are young professionals, age 25 to 40, and are not Rotarians. Team members also may not be relatives of Rotarians. The team travels to the exchange district and spends three to four weeks living with Rotarians, touring the district, speaking at Rotary meetings and observing how their vocation is practiced in a foreign country. Virtually all expenses are paid for by The Rotary Foundation (TRF) through the Annual Fund (your Paul Harris contributions at work!).



Our GSE exchange this year is with District 3770 in the Philippines. Currently it is planned that our team will depart on or about 15 March 2013 and return on or about 8 April 2013. Their team will visit our district from 28 April 2013 until 21 May 2013. So where do we stand in the process? It would appear that we have plenty of time to select our team, but that is not necessarily the case. The Rotary Foundation requires us to essentially have our team selected by October 2012, so we are soliciting nominations for the team right now. We are asking for your assistance in this. Please canvass your club members for likely candidates. This is truly a unique opportunity for a young person to travel to a foreign country, experience another culture, and not the least – experience Rotary in action in the Philippines. We are also looking for Rotarians who may be interested in serving as the team leader. Any Rotarian in good standing is eligible. Additional information on GSE is available on the Rotary web site or you may contact me at [bharna-gel@gmail.com](mailto:bharna-gel@gmail.com) or 817-422-6335.



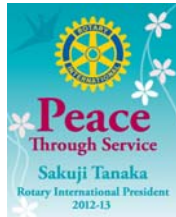
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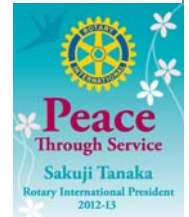
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workout-dan@aol.com



District 5790 is hosting 2 seminars on the Foundation



August 11th

Meadowbrook United Methodist Church
3900 Meadowbrook Drive
Fort Worth, TX 76103

Hosted by the Rotary Club of Fort Worth East

9:00 am to 1:00 pm

September 8th

Mineral Wells High School
3801 Ram Blvd
Mineral Wells, TX 76067

9:00 am to 1:00 pm

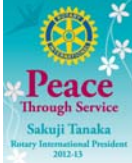
Cost \$18.00 per person

Register online www.Rotary5790.org

- Learn how to become part of an international Matching Grant
Learn how to be part of Group Study Exchange
Learn how to search for a Peace Fellow
Learn how to assist in eradicating Polio
Learn how to support the Rotary Foundation
Learn about The Rotary Foundation’s new Future Vision Program







**“END POLIO NOW” UPDATE**

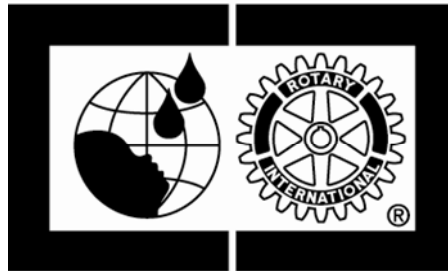


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**Rotary International**

**\$228,700,000**

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**Polio Plus: Rotary’s obligation to the children of the world**  
**Our Goal is Global Polio Eradication!**

7,000,000 Children Saved from Polio Paralysis since 1985!

**Polio Eradication Update**

For The Week Ending 07/28/12

Total paralysis cases	Year-to-date 2012	Y to D 2011	Total 2011	Total 2010
Globally	100	286	650	1,352
- in endemic countries:	95	96	341	232
- in non-endemic countries:	5	190	309	1,120

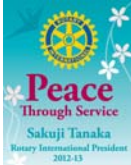
New Polio cases reported in the last week:  
 Pakistan 0, Afghanistan 2, Nigeria 2, Chad 0

2012 Polio Case Breakdown by Country (Green Numbers are 2011 Totals)

**Endemic Countries** – 23 Pakistan (2011-198), 15 Afghanistan (2011-80), 57 Nigeria (2011-62)

**Importation Countries** – Angola (2011-5), Cameroon (2011-1), CAR (2011-4), 5-Chad (2011-132), China (2011-21), Congo (2011-1), Cote d’Ivoire (2011-36), DRC (2011-93), Gabon (2011-1), Guinea (2011-3), India (2011-1), Kenya (2011-1), Mali (2011-7), Niger (2011-6)

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“END POLIO NOW EVENTS— MORTON’S STEAK HOUSE & TEXAS RANGERS”



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August 25, 2012  
Time: 3:05PM-7:00PM

Texas Ranger Stadium  
Arlington, Texas

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Schedule of Events

August 24, 2012

**EndPolioNow Dinner and Auction (6:30PM):** Limited seating dinner for 100 people at Morton’s The Steakhouse, Dallas, Texas.

**Cost:** \$300.00USD per person \$150.00 credit to PHF Account (mail check to End Polio Now, P.O. Box 181861, Arlington Texas 76096)

**Attire:** Business or Cocktail

**Program:** We will have several dignitaries and Rotary International representatives present.

August 25, 2012

**Tailgate Party (12:30PM):** Come enjoy fellowship and food before the game. In the parking lot outside the stadium. All food will be available for a set donation price to the **EndPolioNow Event** and **PolioPlus**. \$5.00 (hotdog, chips and drink) Party will continue until the start of the game.

**Texas Rangers Baseball Game (3:05PM):** This event is supporting the PolioPlus Campaign through Rotary International and the Rotary Foundation.

Lower Box (Reg. \$62).....	\$41
All You Can Eat Porch (Reg. \$39).....	\$35
Corner Box (Reg. \$43).....	\$30
Lower Reserved (Reg. \$32).....	\$23
Upper Reserved (Reg. \$15).....	\$10

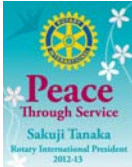
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[gilman5@tx.rr.com](mailto:gilman5@tx.rr.com) 5810

Ticket Purchases Can be made at  
[www.EndPolioNowNight.com](http://www.EndPolioNowNight.com)

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"END POLIO NIGHT" Matching PHF Points Program



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EndPolioNow Night

In order to generate donation for PolioPlus and the EndPolioNow Night we have a matching program for this year's event. Here is how it works a Rotarian sends a minimum of \$100.00 to EndPolioNow, P.O. Box 181861, Arlington Texas 76096. Their contribution will be sent to TRF in their name and points equal to their contribution will be sent to TRF as well. Contributions must be received by August 20, 2012.

EXAMPLE:

Joe Rotarian (ID 12456978)
123 Main Street
Arlington Texas 76010
\$100.00 payable to EndPolioNow
+100 points matching the \$100
200 total credit to Joe's PHF account.

If a Rotarian is lacking \$500 to reach their next PHF level they can send \$250.00 to EndPolioNow and that will be matched with 250 points which will bring them to the next PHF Level. I have had two Rotarians write a \$500.00 check to EndPolioNow and it was matched with 500 points making them a PHF. We will also match the dinner contribution as well. That means you pay \$300 and get 300 credited to your PHF Account

Please print and use this form to submit your contribution to EndPolioNow Night at the address above or below:

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Rotary Club \_\_\_\_\_
Address \_\_\_\_\_ Rotary Number \_\_\_\_\_
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_
Email \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_
Amount: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Check No: \_\_\_\_\_
Points: \_\_\_\_\_
Total \_\_\_\_\_

Please direct ALL questions to Chris McLucas at chris.mclucas@yahoo.com or call 817-874-4372





## IOWA PARK ROTARY "Serving the Community"



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*The content for the article was provided by Paula Petrash.*



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The Rotary Club of Iowa Park has 12 "quality" members. The club raises funds from a flag program. Since the club is small, this past year the club enlisted the assistance of the local FFA students to help with the program of 500+ flags. For service to the local community, the club and the city of Iowa Park entered into a three year agreement to refurbish our local Rotary Park.

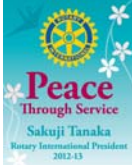
The Rotary Club encourages service to youth and honors two high school students each month during the school year, as "Rotary Students of the Month". As guests of the club, the students share their accomplishments and goals for their future with the membership each month. Their accomplishments are featured, along with their pictures, in the "Iowa Park Leader" newspaper.

In addition, two youths were sent to Rotary Youth Leadership Award (RYLA) program this summer. Two scholarships were given to graduating seniors. The club also honors a "Teacher of the Year" with a plaque and cash contribution. For the elementary students, the club provides "4 Way Test" coloring books and dictionaries.

## GRAPEVINE ROTARY CLUB "Off to a Great Start"

We're off to a great start in the new Rotary year in Grapevine. Plans are underway for our annual "Golfing For Grads" tournament which benefits our scholarship program. We are also continuing our "Computers for Kids" program which was established in 2001 by long-time Rotarian Edie Gillette. Since we began refurbishing computers 10 years ago, we have installed over 177 computers and printers in homes of needy Grapevine Middle School students. Each semester students write essays stressing why he/she should be awarded a computer. Currently 17 of our Rotarians are trained as installers. The work is extremely gratifying and the smiles of the excited students as they receive their very own computer is high payment to our club members! We plan to install 24 additional computers during the 2012-13 school year. This would be a great program for any club in our District as there is always a need to help students get ahead in their school work. If you have any questions on how to start a similar project in your club, contact Bill Walsh at [billwalshtx@verizon.net](mailto:billwalshtx@verizon.net) and he'll be glad to assist you.

Conrad Heede just announced our club is at the 100% level for Paul Harris Fellows -- a super accomplishment for our club and something we are very proud of! We're welcoming Ambassadorial Scholar Marcelo Ostria to our club next week to speak about his many experiences and accomplishments. He graduated Magna Cum Laude from the University of North Texas and has received numerous awards including two consecutive U.S. President's Volunteer Service Awards from former President George W. Bush and President Barack Obama. Not bad for a young man in his twenties! It makes us proud as Rotarians to know we have sponsored and supported outstanding young people like Marcelo. I always say if you're not totally proud to be a Rotarian -- you don't know enough about it! Together we are changing the world and making it a better place for future generations -- not a bad legacy to leave!



## CLEBURNE ROTARY CLUB "OFF TO A NEW YEAR IN SPEEDY FASHION"

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The Cleburne Rotary Club started the new year off in speedy fashion by inducting a new president, Jeff Pakeltis, who stepped up when the scheduled president resigned just weeks before taking over. Pakeltis hit the ground running and has taken control of the reins, opening his first meeting on July 12 in hilarious fashion. Pakeltis put together a funny video about his decision to take over the presidency at the last second with outgoing District Governor Sharron Miles (also a Cleburne club member) and Past District Governor Paul Lucas in attendance.

A week later, Pakeltis met with his newly installed board with District Governor Hollis Lackey at the July 19 meeting.

The club presented its annual Service Above Self Award to member Clint Ishmael at the July 26 meeting. Ishmael serves District 5790 as the RYLA chair as well as formulating the district's disaster recovery plan. He's a past president of the club and is a critical part of the club's fundraising committee.



*Jimmy Ranspot, right, of Cleburne and his wife, Christine, on motorcycle, were the lucky winners of the Cleburne Rotary Club's annual Harley-Davidson raffle held May 25 at the Cleburne Conference Center. Ranspot purchased two \$50 tickets from Rotarian Richard Sikes. Also pictured is Cleburne Rotary Club President Hidde van Assendelft. All funds raised from the raffle go to local, national and international projects supported by Rotary.*

Perhaps the most interesting facet of the Cleburne club has been its implementation of its fish fry and Harley-Davidson raffle. In two years, the club has far exceeded its expectations in funds raised. Overall, the club has raised around \$50,000. Club members help sell \$50 raffle tickets for the Harley-Davidson motorcycle, as well as a side raffle item (a TV two years ago and an iPad2 this year). In addition, the club puts on a fish fry event with live music, face painting, laser tag, bouncehouses and more for the community.

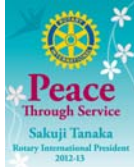
This fundraiser has allowed the club to participate in many more projects than in the past, as well as put funds back in savings for future projects. A PowerPoint loop is displayed at the event showing all of the club's and Rotary International's projects. This allows community members to see what the club is doing and how they too can join Rotary and/or help with local, national and international projects.



*The Cleburne Rotary Club crew of cooks, from left, Gretchen Cruse, Sid Davis, Clint Ishmael and Jeff Pakeltis at the club's annual fish fry fundraiser and Harley-Davidson raffle. The event has raised about \$50,000 in two years.*

Key projects the club participates in include purchasing multiple Shelter Boxes, a dictionary project that provided dictionaries to every third grader in Cleburne, Joshua, Alvarado, Keene, Venus, Godley, Grandview and Rio Vista ISDs, donating funds to the HOPE Medical and Dental Clinic, a free clinic in Cleburne started by club member Tony Torres several years ago, and sending eight students to RYLA camp in Denton. And, of course, there are many others such as the Four-Way Speech Contest, multiple scholarship programs, the flag program, numerous educational programs

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## CLEBURNE ROTARY CLUB, Con't

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(donating books to its adopt-a-school Coleman Elementary, conducting a career day at Cleburne High School, and awarding academic achievement awards to every fifth-grade student in Cleburne ISD with the highest grade point average, as well as to the top 10 percent of students in grades six through eight at Smith Middle School and Wheat Middle School), participating in the wheelchair project, water purification projects, both District Simplified Grants and Matching Grants, and contributing \$2,000 to the End Polio Now district campaign.

The club was also awarded the Changemaker Award at the District Conference in May.

## PHOTOS FROM AROUND THE DISTRICT



Arlington Sunrise sponsor Samir Ahuja is shown with the club's newest member Joel Webb.

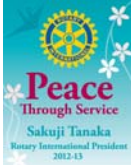
## PAUL HARRIS QUOTES

*On Peace:*

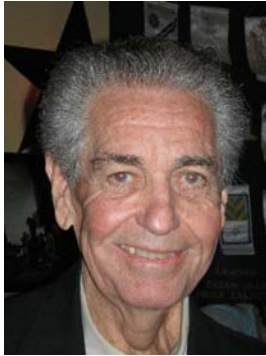
*“War cannot go on forever. Peace must and shall come. The years ahead reserve for Rotary a most difficult and arduous task. To heal the wounds of a war-ravished world; to substitute for hate, mutual understanding and tolerance, to create affection where rancor exists; to change enemies into friends and replace excited passion and armed struggle by goodwill and international peace.*

*This is the superhuman task we must undertake. This is a task in which Rotary will labor with all its strength, in spite of the fact that...we have no instruments other than our principles, nor more strength than our enthusiasm. We are sure of victory because of the great faith that all of us Rotarians in...humanity.*

The Rotarian, May 1942



## LONG TALL TEXAN *"How delegating a task develops club member"*



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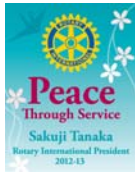
The first time I ever met Janet Holland, she walked into our Rotary Club meeting here in Arlington, Texas. She had just been named District Governor; the first woman in Texas to be so named. I asked her what she did in "real" life, and when she told me she ran a Hardware store in Mineral Wells; I was sold immediately. Me, shopping in a hardware store is like a six year old going to Disneyworld!

But this long road to the Governors title was fraught with a lot of potholes along the way. Janet came from a long history of Rotary meetings dating back to her Father dragging her across Oklahoma and Texas as a child. Janet's father, W. Lee Woodward, was Rotary Governor of District 124 (now Districts 5750 and 5790) in Oklahoma. Fast forwarding to 1995, Janet was in the first class of eight female Governors that year.

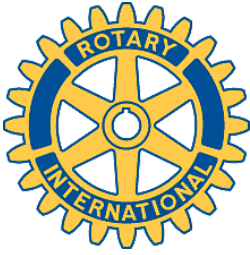
In 1995, my travel company hosted a trip for District 5790 to Nice, France, to the International Convention. Our plan was to attend the meeting in Nice and my wife was bringing all the wives over when the meeting was over; then we would proceed to Spain and Portugal for a two week trip by bus. It was my plan to film the meeting with my trusty VHS camera. After all Janet Holland would be at the Governors Dinner and what better place to film history being made with our very excited newly minted Governor! As the Governors were being seated, Janet was told she would have to dine in another room with the wives? Explaining to the men that she was actually a Governor didn't play well to them. Being the lady she was, she dined with the ladies. Suffice it to say, she was paving the way once again and doing it with great dignity!

She was always pushing the envelope for Rotary and continues on her Rotary path full steam ahead... even today. I spoke to Janet by telephone recently on a Sunday night. She returned my call within seconds after I left a message for her. Know what she was doing? On a Sunday night, working on a budget for another Rotary committee she was supervising. I asked her this simple question. What would the "State of Rotary" be today if woman were not included in a leadership role? Her answer I think would be; a lot fewer projects with maybe one-fourth fewer members. Go girl...well done!





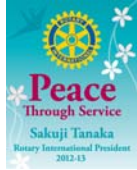
# TALES & TRAILS OF 5790



## June 2012 Attendance

RotaryClub	Members 6/1/2012	%	Mtgs	Members 6/30/2012	Add/Loss
Abilene - F	89	53.16%	5	84	(5)
Abilene Southw est - T	61	74.19%	4	62	1
Abilene Wednesday	20	68.00%	4	22	2
Arlington - TH	126	65.69%	4	122	(4)
Arlington GSW - W	33	53.85%	4	31	(2)
Arlington North - M	35	81.95%	4	35	-
Arlington South - F	15	45.00%	4	15	-
Arlington Sunrise - F	61	94.33%	5	60	(1)
Arlington Sunset - T	14	75.00%	4	16	2
Arlington West - T	37	57.00%	4	38	1
Azle - TH	31	52.00%	4	31	-
Bow ie - W					-
Breckenridge - T					-
Brow nw ood - W	23	56.52%	4	22	(1)
Burkburnett - T	43	60.82%	4	42	(1)
Burleson - F					-
Burleson Area Mid Day - M	27	84.00%	4	27	-
Cisco - TH					-
Cleburne - TH	68	56.76%	4	67	(1)
Coleman - M					-
Colleyville - T	13	71.20%	4	13	-
Crow ell - W					-
Decatur - TH	17	75.00%	4	17	-
Denton - TH	92	70.30%	4	92	-
Denton South - T					-
Dublin - T	23	67.00%	4	23	-
Eagle Mountain Saginaw	31	72.00%	4	32	1
Eastland - TH	18	50.67%	4	19	1
Flow er Mound - TH	72	87.85%	4	72	-
Fort Worth East - M	35	62.00%	4	35	-
Fort Worth International - W					-

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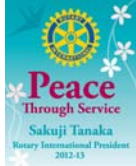
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RotaryClub	Members	%	Mtgs	Members	Add/Loss
	6/1/2012			6/30/2012	
Fort Worth North - W	22	67.00%	4	22	-
Fort Worth - F	451	59.00%	5	449	(2)
Fort Worth South - T					-
Fort Worth Southw est - TH					-
Gainesville - W					-
Graham - F					-
Granbury - TH	51	64.36%	4	50	(1)
Grapevine - W	88	91.67%	4	88	-
Hamlin - W					-
Haskell - TH					-
HEB - T	70	80.00%	4	68	(2)
Highland Village	29	80.00%	4	27	(2)
low a Park - W					-
Keller - T					-
Kennedale					-
Lake Ray Roberts - T	14	80.36%	4	13	(1)
Lew isville Morning - TH	28	99.11%	4	28	-
Lew isville Noon - W	64	89.95%	3	64	-
Mansfield - T	33	82.83%	3	33	-
Mansfield Sunrise - TH					-
Metroport - F	32	90.97%	5	31	(1)
Mid-Cities Pacesetters - F	48	67.00%	4	48	-
Mineral Wells - W	49	75.53%	4	47	(2)
Nocona - T					-
Southlake - T					-
Stamford - T					-
Stephenville - TH	32	71.80%	4	31	(1)
Vernon - T	38	58.00%	4	38	-
Weatherford - T	103	54.21%	3	102	(1)
Western Fort Worth - T	60	88.70%	4	60	-
Wichita Falls North - F	29	82.00%	4	29	-
Wichita Falls - TH	82	54.36%	4	81	(1)
Wichita Falls Southw est - M	30	79.31%	3	29	(1)

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*Comments and suggestions welcome.*

### FORT WORTH SOUTH—TEMPORARY CHANGE OF MEETING PLACE

The Rotary Club of Fort Worth South is meeting at Rivercrest Country Club in Fort Worth up until Tuesday, September 11, 2012, at which time we will be back at our usual site, Colonial Country Club.

### BURKBURNETT ROTARY—90TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

Rotary Club of Burkburnett— 1922 - 2012  
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 29th,  
Burkburnett Community Center (735 Davey Dr.)  
6:00 p.m. Fellowship Time  
6:30 p.m. Dinner  
\$15 per person

Guest Speaker: BOB HAMPTON, Wichita County Treasurer and member of the Downtown Rotary Club of Wichita Falls

Entertainment: RIVER'S EDGE QUARTET

Master of Ceremonies: Dr. Morgan Moore, President

Make checks payable to the Rotary Club of Burkburnett and mail to:  
Rotary Club of Burkburnett  
P. O. Box 374  
Burkburnett, TX 76354 - RSV'p by September 15th

### HAVE SOMETHING TO SHARE???

Does your club have an upcoming event that you want to share with other Rotarians? Did you just complete a project or fundraiser? Let others in the district know!

Please send us a write up and pictures to include in the newsletter. See the contact information to the left.

### COMING IN THE SEPTEMBER NEWSLETTER

September is New Generations Month. You'll find articles from Brian Lea—Interact/Rotaract Chair, Kathy Bauer—RYLA Chair, and PDG Jim Aneff—Youth Exchange.

Arlington Sunset, Brownwood, Fort Worth, Hamlin, Lewisville Noon and Wichita Falls will let us know what is going on with their clubs.