



The Flywheel

Thursday, April 17, 2008

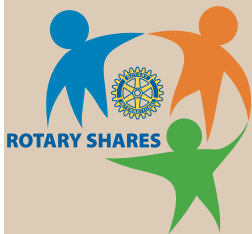
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Denton Rotary Club

Chartered
May 1, 1920
District 5790
Club No. 1779

P. O. Box 1622
Denton, Texas
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Meeting Time:
Thursday, Noon
Fremaux's



From Our President

The GSE team will be our speakers Thursday. They are an outstanding group. Carolyn Ishee and I took them to Dallas for sightseeing and dinner and had a wonderful time. Also, Thursday is Luis' birthday.

Fremaux's has been selected as our new meeting place. Remember we will be meeting there on April 23, a Wednesday, for the Mayoral forum moderated by Ricky Grunden. (Might not be quite as exciting as an Obama/Hillary debate.)

Congratulations to Olive Morton. So far she and her committee have 21 applicants for our scholarships! Way to go!

District Assembly is April 26 at the Radisson as planned. UNT will cater the event for us. Please don't forget to sign up to help as we are hosting this event with the Morning Club.

Meet the GSE Team from Chile



To learn all about the Group Study Exchange team from Chile, [click here.](#)



The More We're Different, the More We're Alike

Penny Gee gave us some thought on cultural diversity and urged us to get rid of stereotypes. There are cross generational issues in the workplace, which can lead to a breakdown in communications, but the mix of ideas can also be an advantage.

Penny has a varied background that includes contact with multiple cultures.

Rotarians Sellout Redbuds

Fifteen members of the Denton Rotary Club lead by John Cooper sold 300 redbud trees on Saturday morning at the Annual Denton Redbud Festival held at Quakertown Park. A big thank you to: John Cooper – Event Chairman, Larry Aaron, David Barrett, Horace Brock, Bruce Bureson, Mark Burroughs, Gary Conwell, Bill Crouch, John Iverson, Tom LaPoint, Dan Mauldin, Herb Prouty, Sonja Rogers, Dick Stewart, and Jack Thomson.

A special thank-you to Michael Dash and the Denton High School Jr ROTC cadets for helping unload the tree and setup.

Rotary Note:
Mark your
Calendars!

APRIL 26
DISTRICT
ASSEMBLY-
RADISSON
HOTEL,
DENTON
9:00 AM TO
2:00 PM

MAY 9-11
DISTRICT
CONFERENCE-
COMFORT
SUITES,
GRANBURY

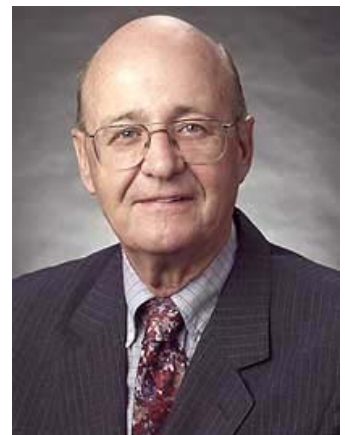


Do You Know Jack?

Welcome to new Rotary member Jack Thompson who came to Denton in 1994.

A retired Presbyterian minister, he is in his third and final term as a member of the city council.

His wife Sue attended the ceremony with Jack, and his sponsoring member was Ron Aldridge.



Lupus Walkers Seek Support

Mary Gotcher's sister Nancy is a member of the Flapjacks team, which is raising funds in the Walk for Lupus Now, scheduled for Saturday, April 26 at the Historical Park in Farmers Branch, beginning at 8:00 a.m. Nancy has asked that Mary's friends support her by making a donation to support the Lupus Foundation of America, North Texas Chapter.

Funds help the local chapter and fund research into the causes and cure for lupus. Mary is an honorary member of Denton Rotary, and is a person living with lupus.

Supporters can make a donation by accessing the walk's website <http://walkforlupusnowdallas.kintera.org>, then clicking on "sponsor walker" and entering Nancy Gotcher's name. More walkers are needed, and can register at the same website.



WineDiscovery 2008: You're Invited!

Here's your personal invite and information about the upcoming WineDiscovery 2008 event! This one night raises funds for local scholarships, international projects and community service projects led by the Metroport Rotary club.

Two ways to join in...

1) **Purchase** tickets and have a fabulous evening of great food, wine and live music.

2) **Donate** an item to the auction! Promote your business to hundreds and be featured on WineDiscovery 2008 newspaper ads and website!

Let me know if you have any questions. I have tickets ready for you. Some of are already involved - thank you! Feel free to use this info to share with your friends to join in! Info also available on the website... www.metroport.org.
Hope to see you there!

Attendance Report:

April 10, 2008
Members present
53 of 83
Percentage for this meeting
63.86%

Rotarian Guests

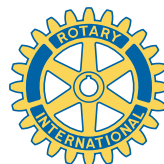
Bob Bishop
Rotary Club of Hurricane Creek
John Miller
District Governor Nominee
District 5790
Rotary Club of Arlington North

Guests of Members

Karina McPherson
Guest of Virginia McDaniel
Sue Thomson
Guest of Jack Thompson

Leave of Absence

Manuel Goel
10/25/2007 to 4/30/2008



The Rotary 4-Way Test

Is it the TRUTH?
Is it FAIR to All
Concerned?
Will it Build
GOODWILL and
BETTER
FRIENDSHIPS?
Will it be
BENEFICIAL to
All Concerned?

Meetings

**April
17th:**

Team from
Chile,
Group Study
Exchange

**April
23rd:
(Wednesday)**

Denton
Mayoral
Candidates,
Candidates
Forum

**May
1st:**

Sherri Gideon
&
Janie McLeod,
CASA

**May
8th:**

Herman
Oosterwijk &
Steve Coburn,
Nicaragua
International
Program

2007-08 Officers

Sonja Rogers: *President*
Eva Poole: *President-Elect*
Ron Aldridge: *Past President*
Margaret Griffin: *Secretary*
Rob Seay: *Treasurer*
Dick Stewart: *Sergeant-at-Arms*
Tom Syler: *Dave Barrett, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms*
John Shrader and Ralph Flesher: *Co-Historians*
Ricky Grunden: *Director, Club Awards*
Condell Garden: *Director, Club Family of Rotary*
John Iverson: *Director, Grants & Development*
Dick Stewart: *Music Director*
Cheryl Hedric: *Executive Secretary*
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Club Service (A)

Eva Poole: *Director*
Mark Ragsdale: *Membership*
Margaret Griffin: *Classification*
John Shrader, Jack Cross: *Membership Development*
Carolyn Ishee, Harv Kitchens: *Membership Retention*
Doreen Rue: *Attendance*
George Hopkins: *Audit*
Gary Conwell, Don Barnes: *Club Bulletin*

Club Service (B)

Steven Coburn: *Director*
Don Barnes, Sarah Muniz: *Fellowship*
Harv Kitchens: *Fundraising*
Tom Phillips, Ricky Grunden: *Programs*
John Cabrales, Jr.: *Public Relations*
Dick Stewart: *Magazines*

International Service

David Barrett: *Director*
Herman Oosterwijk: *International Youth*
Horace Brock: *World Fellowship*
Bob Peterson, Bruce Sandelin: *Rotary Foundation*

2007-08 Directors

Larry Aaron
David Barrett
Steve Coburn
Condell Garden
Mike Gregory
Ricky Grunden
John Iverson
Harv Kitchens
Charles McCarty



Wilfrid J. Wilkinson:
International President

Dave Mason:
District Governor



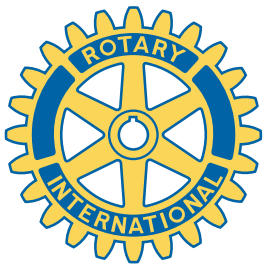
Sonja Rogers:
Club President

Vocational Service

Larry Aaron: *Director*
Quinn McColly: *Career Development*
Vicki Smith, Mary Ann McDuff: *RYLA*
Rick Woolfolk: *Vocational Awareness*
Lilia Bynum: *Vocational Awards*
Tim Mangrum: *4-Way Speech Contest*

Community Service

Charles McCarty: *Director*
Tom LaPoint, Mary Gotcher: *Environmental Services*
Rick Woolfolk: *Blood Drive*
Condell Garden: *Human Development*
Olive Morton: *Scholarship*
Bill McKee, Carolyn Ishee: *Partners-in-Service*
Ricky Grunden: *Community Development*



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 Highlighted Name...Past Club President-Other ☺...Perfect Attendance: March ☺☺...Perfect Attendance since July 2007 ☆...Past Dist. Gov. ⚙️...Assistant Dist. Gov.

"I would like to think that the pioneering days of Rotary have only just begun. There are just as many new things to be done as ever there were. Rotary must continue to pioneer or be left in the rear of progress."
Paul P. Harris, 1947