



The Flywheel

Thursday, February 11, 2010

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Denton Rotary Club



Chartered
May 1, 1920
District 5790
Club No. 1779

P. O. Box 1622
Denton, Texas
76202

Meeting Time:
Thursday, Noon
Fremaux's

The spirit of caring

Our featured speaker this week will be **Charles Fletcher**. Mr. Fletcher is the Founder, President, CEO, and Executive Director **SpiritHorse Therapeutic**. Incorporated in 2002, SpiritHorse provides unique, highly effective private, equine-assisted therapeutic riding lessons. Each lesson includes horse management as part of the curriculum, incorporating responsibility and ownership. Each student, to the ability they have, leads, grooms, and saddles their pony before and after each lesson. While riding, each student's individual needs are being addressed through horse therapy such as speech, sensory, balance, behavior, cognitive processing, etc.



Over 300 clients are served on a weekly basis. SpiritHorse serves more children, free of charge, than any center in the world. SpiritHorse receives 5 new applications per week. SpiritHorse needs donations to move children off the waiting list.

Currently, 7 board of directors and 5 members of a medical advisory board work closely with Mr. Fletcher to assist each person with special needs in reaching their full potential through interaction with horses. SpiritHorse has 500+ parent volunteers, 50 community volunteers, 7 full-time and 10 part-time staff.

Charles Fletcher has spent fifty years successfully training and showing at "A" levels, hunters, jumpers, American Saddle Horses, Standardbreds, and carriage driving horses. Reserve Amateur Owner Jumper Champion of Texas 1980. Carriage Driving Trials, Overall Champion at Sunrise Ridge, 2005. For thirty-five years, he has instructed riders including twelve years as a therapeutic riding instructor and head instructor for over 85,000 therapeutic riding lessons. Mr. Fletcher is a registered Riding Instructor, Driving Level II Instructor, and Driving Clinician and with the North American Riding for the Handicapped Association. A clinician for 22 clinics, training over 175 therapeutic riding instructors in therapeutic driving instruction.



Mardi Gras is Here!



DENTON ROTARY MARDI GRAS 2010

OUR ANNUAL EVENT
AND FUND RAISER

**FEBRUARY 13,
2010**

Come join the fun--
INVITE YOUR FRIENDS ! !

**2010
MARDI GRAS
Festival**

Presented by Denton Rotary Club

February 13, 2010
6-10 p.m.
Denton Civic Center
Tickets are \$25 in advance and \$35 at the door

Cajun Food, Jugglers, Dancers, Silent Auction,
Games, Prizes and more...

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**February
is
World
Understanding
Month!**

Come one, come all ! Visit the official Denton Rotary Mardi Gras website by going to
www.mardigrasdentonrotary.com

Attendance Report:

February 4, 2010
Members Present
46 of 79
Percentage for this meeting
58.23%

Guest Speaker:

"Encore"
DHS Show Choir

Guests of Members:

John Draude
Guest of Ron Aldridge
Judge Jake Collier
Guest of Mike Gregory

Other Guests:

Jeff Muenstermann
Proposed new member

Jeff Volding
Guyer Interact Advisor
Justin Wood
Guyer Interact
Mark Jaskulske
Guyer Principal
Maxina Kroma
Guyer Interact

Rotarian Guests:

Jerry Holbert
Rotary Club of Sherman

Leave of Absence:

Penny Gee
1/1/2010 to 6/30/2010
Vince Baugher
1/1/2010 to 6/30/2010

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

February 11th:

Charles Fletcher,
Spirit Horse
Therapeutic

February 18th:

Sherri Gideon,
CASA of Denton
County

February 25th:

TBD

March 4th:

Rotary 4 Way
Speech Contest

2009-10 Officers

President – Larry Aaron
President Elect – Dale Kimble
Past President – Eva Poole
Treasurer – Rob Seay
Secretary – John Iverson
Sergeant-at-Arms – Dick Stewart
Assistant Sergeants-at-Arms – Bruce Burleson
Co-Historians – Ralph Flesher
Cheryl Hedric – Executive Secretary
CHedric@datcu.org

Club Service (A)

Dale Kimble – Director
Attendance: Tom Phillips
Classifications: Bruce Burleson
Fundraising Projects: Tom LaPoint
& Harv Kitchens
Membership: Jack Thomson
Membership Development: Margaret Griffin
Rotary Information: Eva Poole, Mary Ann McDuff
Bylaws: Ron Aldridge
Audit: Rob Seay

Club Service (B)

Doreen Rue – Director
Fellowship Activities: Charles McCarty
Club Bulletin: Tim Mangrum
Magazine: Dick Stewart
Programs: Todd Price
Public Relations: Dan Leal
Audio/Visual/Photography: Don Barnes

Community Service

Karen Dickson – Director
Community Development: Ricky Grunden
Environmental Protection: Ray Croff
Human Development: Tyler Wood
Partners in Service: Bill McKee
Scholarships: Olive Morton
Blood Drive: Virginia Langston-McDaniel

2009-10 Directors-At-Large

Steve Coburn
Charles McCarty
Olive Morton
Margaret Griffin
Jack Thomson



John Kenny
International President



John A. Miller
District Governor



Larry Aaron
Club President

Vocational Service

Gary Conwell – Director
Career Development: Rick Woolfolk
RYLA: Vicki Smith & Mary Ann McDuff
Vocational Awards: Leigh Hilton
Four-Way Speech Contest: Tim Mangrum

International Service

Margaret M. Griffin – Director
World Community Service: John Cooper
Rotary Foundation: Rob Seay
PolioPlus: Rob Seay
Nicaragua Project: Herman Oosterwijk

District Conference
2009-2010 Co-Chairs
John Cooper & Larry Aaron



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Highlighted Name...Past Club President NAME IN CAPS...Paul Harris Fellow *...Paul Harris Sustaining Fellow ♦...Bequest Society †...Foundation Benefactor
 Highlighted Name...Past Club President-Other ☺...Perfect Attendance: March ☺+...Perfect Attendance YTD ☺☺...Perfect Attendance since July 2007
 ☆...Past Dist. Gov. ⚙...Assistant Dist. Gov.