



The Flywheel

Thursday, February 5, 2009

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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

Protecting Texas children



Melissa Moffitt of Child Protective Services will join us as our speaker for the February 5 Rotary meeting. Melissa graduated from the University of North Texas with a bachelor's degree in Social Work and earned her Master's of Science in Social Work from the University of Texas at Arlington.

A licensed social worker who has worked in the child welfare field for 12 years, Melissa is

currently the Program Administrator of Investigations for Tarrant, Denton, Cooke, Wise, Grayson, Parker, Palo Pinto, Hood, Somerville, Erath, and Johnson counties for the Texas Department of Family and Protective Services.

This Thursday's discussion will deal with several issues, including child abuse in general, the new direction CPS is taking, as well as the surprising dangers of co-sleeping with infants (and the many child deaths recently caused by co-sleeping).

Ms. Moffitt has been married for 19 years and has a 16 year-old-son of her own, as well as a much-loved pack of animals (3 dogs, 1 cat, 1 cockatiel, 1 fish). Please attend this important talk on the state of the children of our community and what we can do to make a difference.

February is Rotary World Understanding Month

From Rotary International News

The mission of The Rotary Foundation asks Rotarians to advance world understanding, goodwill, and peace. That's a tall order in a world where ethnic conflict, terrorist attacks, and civil strife fuel hatred and threaten stability in so many regions.

But the second part of the mission tells us how we can reach this ambitious goal: through improving health, supporting education, and alleviating poverty.

February – World Understanding Month – focuses our attention on international understanding, goodwill, and peace. By supporting our Foundation and participating in its programs, we find many ways to achieve those goals.

Jonathan Majiyagbe
Foundation Trustee Chair



Rotary Notes

Dancing with the Stars: backstage pass!

Don Barnes sent us these photos of the rigorous rehearsals underway for our Dancing with the Stars event at this year's Mardi Gras celebration. One more reason for people to come have a star-studded time while benefiting a great cause!



February is World Understanding Month. Learn more about your world!

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?

Attendance Report:

January 29, 2009
Members Present
46 of 85
Percentage for this meeting
54.12%

Guest Speaker:

Chaplain Lt. Cmdr. Rene' Lawson
Supporting deployed and returning military persons

Guests of Rotarians:

Ann Patchett
Guest of Eva Poole

Joe Busick
Guest of Horace Brock
Robin Ramsay
Guest of Jack Thomson

Rotarian Guests:

Bob Leith
Rotary Club of Denton South
Elaine Stewart
Rotary Club of Gainesville, TX
Frank Stewart
Rotary Club of Gainesville, TX

Meetings

February

5th:

Melissa Moffitt,
Child Protective
Services

February

12th:

Tim Mangum
& Four Way
Texas Speeches:
Four students
giving a 5 min-
ute speech on
the Four Way
test.

February

19h:

TBA

February

26th:

Rotaract
Presentation,
Cheryl Ellis &
Rotaract
President

2008-09 Officers

President – Eva Poole
President Elect – Larry Aaron
Past President – Sonja Rogers
Treasurer – Robert Seay
Secretary – John Iverson
Sergeant-at-Arms/Song Leader – Dick
Stewart
Assistant Sergeants-at-Arms – Tom Syler
Co-Historians – John Shrader
and Ralph Flesher
Cheryl Hedric – Executive Secretary
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Club Service (A)

Larry Aaron – Director

Attendance – Doreen Rue
Classifications – Tim Mangrum
Club Bulletin – Demi Prentiss
and Don Barnes
Membership – Mark Ragsdale
Membership Development – John Shrader
and Jack Cross
Membership Retention – Harv Kitchens
Rotary Information – Jack Cross
Bylaws – Mike Gregory
Audit – Danny Mitchell

Club Service (B)

Steven Coburn – Director

Fellowship Activities – Don Barnes
Fundraising Projects – Harv Kitchens
Magazine – Dick Stewart
Program – Lilia Bynum
Public Relations – John Cabrales

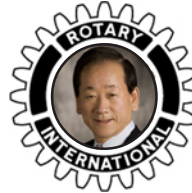
Community Service

Charles McCarty – Director

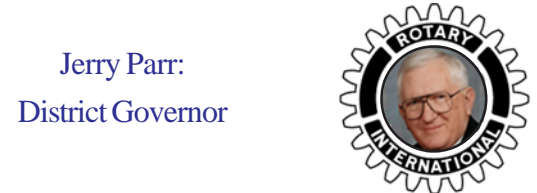
Community Development – Ricky Grunden
Environmental Protection – Ray Croff
Human Development – Condell Garden
Partners in Service - Bill McKee
Scholarships – Olive Morton
Blood Drive - Virginia Langston-McDaniel

2008-09 Directors-At-Large

Condell Garden – Club Family
Mike Gregory – Bylaws
Ricky Grunden – Community Service Projects
Harv Kitchens – Fundraising Projects
Olive Morton – Scholarships



Dong Kurn Lee:
International President



Jerry Parr:
District Governor



Eva Poole:
Club President

Vocational Service

Gary Conwell – Director

Career Development – Dan Leal
RYLA – Vicki Smith and Mary Ann McDuff
Vocation at Work – Karen Dickson
Vocational Awards – Bruce Burleson
Vocational Awareness – Penny Gee
Four-Way Speech Contest – Tim Mangrum

International Service

Margaret Griffin – Director

World Community Service - John Cooper
Mexico Project – Horace Brock
Nicaragua Project – Herman Oosterwijk
Rotary Foundation – Ken Ingram
PolioPlus – Rob Seay



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Highlighted Name...Past Club President-Other ☺...Perfect Attendance: October ☺+...Perfect Attendance YTD ☺☺...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