



The Flywheel

Thursday, July 31, 2008

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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



Owens explores diversity management

Tim Owens, the July 31 Denton Rotary speaker, will address the topic of diversity. He is managing partner and lead trainer for The Owens Group, an organizational training and development firm, which strives to “build your people so you can build your business.” He is also a certified trainer/consultant with the National Coalition Building Institute, the Center for American and International Law, and Life Issues Training and Development. His presentations touch on leadership development, emotional intelligence, conflict resolution, diversity management, team building, customer service, values clarification, ethics and change management.



Owens’ diversity work promotes awareness and appreciation of the many similarities and

differences among individuals and groups in society. In his workshops, participants are helped to identify and work through stereotypes and misinformation about other groups and reclaim pride in their own background while building bridges of understanding and cooperation with others.

He earned his MS from the University of North Texas in rehabilitation counseling and his BA in journalism/public relations from the University of Oklahoma. His community affiliations include the UNT Discovery Advisory Board, UNT Ally Program, Texas Association of Black Personnel in Higher

Education, Leadership Denton-Class of 2008, the Denton Black Chamber of Commerce, and the Greater Denton Chamber of Commerce.

Past President honored



District 5790 Assistant Governor (and Denton Rotary member) Ron Aldridge proudly delivers a 2007-08 presidential citation for club service on all levels to Past President Sonja Rogers, in recognition of the wide range of service projects undertaken by Denton Rotary that benefited communities locally and internationally.

Burroughs offers 'Update on Denton'



Newly elected Denton Mayor Mark Burroughs, club speaker on July 24, told Denton Rotary Club members about the many challenges facing the City of Denton. With population growth the principal driver – “likely to double in a couple of decades” – the city must address the issues of sprawl, an aging infrastructure, and the need for expanding transportation options. He called the Denton Airport “one of our most efficient economic generators,” highlighted the city’s participation in the Rail North Texas Initiative, and praised the cooperation of Denton County officials in addressing transportation issues.

“In a way,” said Burroughs, “we’re a victim of our own success,” as a county seat, home to two state universities, regional headquarters for FEMA, and host to numerous businesses and industries that draw commuters. He added that

Denton is becoming a major medical destination and an important wholesale distribution center.

The insights Burroughs offered touched on a wide variety of areas, and outlined upcoming improvements:

- Transportation – a downtown multi-modal station and connection with DART by late 2010; utilization of SH 121 revenues (\$1.56 billion) to widen and improve I-35E, Bonnie Brae, Mayhill, and Loop 288 north of US380.
- Denton Airport – runway extension; improved radar display system; security fencing; participation with UNT in an aviation management education program; seeking grant funding.
- City improvements – street construction; major capital projects including expansion of the south branch library, acquisition of a 200-acre south-side park site, construction of a regional public safety training facility, and improvements to the senior center; drainage projects.
- New business development – Port 35 North, housing an international distribution corporation; a regional distribution site for Aldi, Inc., a grocery firm; Josten’s factory expansion; Rayzor Ranch.
- Medical facilities – Cook’s Children’s Hospital new 26-bed facility; Stone Gate Senior Care facility and mini-mall; Select Medical Rehabilitation Hospital especially for head and spine injury patients.

Club votes on dues increase

After a brief presentation on the club budget for 2008-09 by treasurer Rob Seay, club members voted on a dues increase proposed by the board of directors. Members have been asked to choose among three choices: no increase, an increase of \$5 per quarter, or an increase of \$20 per quarter. (A ballot is included in this edition of *The Flywheel*. Voting is open until Aug. 7.)

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New Deadlines:

Please remember to submit your articles and announcements for each edition of *The Flywheel* on Thursday immediately following the club meeting. Send articles to demi.prentiss@verizon.net. Each week’s *Flywheel* will be posted on the club website www.dentonrotary.com on Tuesday, and a few printed copies will be available at the meeting for those who cannot access the internet.

According to Seay, revenue for the 2007-08 year was slightly more than expenditures, which totaled approximately \$100,000. For 2008-09, because of the closure of the Radisson Hotel and the resulting move to Fremaux's for club meetings, meal costs have increased, along with district dues. The increases total \$41 per member per quarter. Because quarterly dues are already \$205 (plus \$25 for the Rotary Foundation), the board did not propose covering the entire increase through dues payments, opting instead to draw on club funds to cover the shortfall.

Denton Rotary Club
Proposed Budget Increase

\$5.00 per quarter increase Yes _____ No _____

\$20.00 per quarter increase Yes _____ No _____

I prefer no dues increase _____

Club Birthdays

Here's your chance to celebrate our Rotarians with birthdays in July:



Joan Housewright	July 5
Vicki Smith	July 5
Bob Nelson	July 10
Becky Opperman	July 12
Doug Robison	July 14
Rick Woolfolk	July 14
Tom Philips	July 28

Attendance Report:

July 24, 2008
50 of 86
Percentage for this meeting
58.14%

Guests of Members:

Alicia Brosey
Guest of Jerry Mohelnitzky
Charlie Parker
Guest of Doug Robison
Craig Hunter
Sue Thomson
Guests of Jack Thomson

Herbert Holl
Guest of Ken Ingram

Rotarian Guests:

AG Jimmy Melver
Rotary Club of El Paso
Tyler Wood
Rotary Club of Denton South

Leave of Absence:

Dan Mauldin
6-16-2008 to 1-16-2009
David Barrett
6-14-2008 to 8-26-2008

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

July

31st:

Tim Owens,
Diversity

August

7th:

TBA

August

14th:

Paul Geisel &
Rob Seay,
Rotary
Foundation-
Polio Initiative

August

21st:

Myra
Crownover,
Texas State
Representative

2008-09 Officers

President – Eva Poole
President Elect – Larry Aaron
Past President – Sonja Rogers
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
chedric@datcu.org

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 – Carolyn Ishee
and Harv Kitchens
Rotary Information – Jack Cross
Bylaws – Mike Gregory
Audit – Danny Mitchell

Club Service (B)

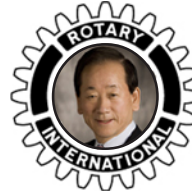
Steven Coburn – Director
Fellowship Activities – Don Barnes
Fundraising Projects – Harv Kitchens
Magazine – Dick Stewart
Program – Lilia Bynum
Public Relations – John Cabrales

Community Service

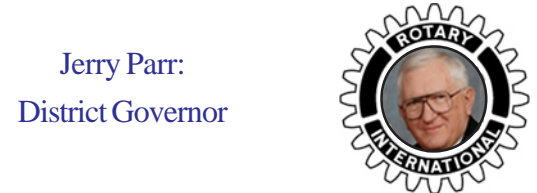
Charles McCarty – Director
Community Development – Ricky Grunden
Environmental Protection – Ray Croff
Human Development – Condell Garden
Partners in Service - Bill McKee
Scholarships – Olive Morton
Blood Drive - Virginia Langston-McDaniel

2008-09 Directors-At-Large

David Barrett – Grants and Development
Condell Garden – Club Family
Mike Gregory – Bylaws
Ricky Grunden – Community Service Projects
Harv Kitchens – Fundraising Projects



Dong Kurn Lee:
International President



Jerry Parr:
District Governor



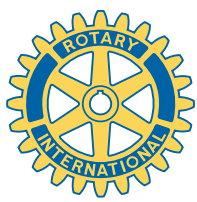
Eva Poole:
Club President

Vocational Service

Gary Conwell – Director
Career Development – Dan Leal
RYLA – Vicki Smith and Mary Ann McDuff
Vocation at Work – Karen Dickson
Vocational Awards – Bruce Burluson
Vocational Awareness – Jim Lisenby
Four-Way Speech Contest – Tim Mangrum

International Service

Margaret Griffin – Director
World Community Service – David Barrett
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: June ☺+...Perfect Attendance since June 2007 ☺☺...Perfect Attendance since July 2006
 ☆...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