



The Flywheel

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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 at El Chaparral
Cantina and Grille
324 W. McKinney St # B Denton



Kalyan Banerjee
International President



Sharron Miles
District Governor



Pete Bradbury
Club President



Peace fellows discuss what Rotary Peace Centers program has meant to them

Rotary International News — 20 September 2011

The Rotary Peace Centers program provided Alejandra Rueda Zarate, of Bogota, Colombia, with skills that she's now using to help poor villagers in her nation's countryside.

"Thanks to the program, I complemented my years of work experience with international knowledge and learning, allowing me to start my own initiative on rural development and poverty alleviation," says Zarate, a 2010 graduate of the Rotary Peace Center at the University of California, Berkeley, who had worked in the agricultural industry before her fellowship. "The strategic platform brings capacity building to peasants in the countryside, and has had significant results for conflict alleviation in Colombia."

Each year, the Rotary Peace Centers train future leaders who have a demonstrated commitment to peace, preparing them to promote national and international cooperation and the successful resolution of conflict. Fellows earn a master's degree in international relations, sustainable development, peace studies, conflict resolution, or related fields, or a professional development certificate in peace and conflict studies.

Working to promote peace

Your generous support of the Rotary Peace Centers Major Gifts Initiative ensures the program's future, providing opportunities for new classes of peace fellows, and empowering the more than 600 alumni



Shai Tamari, a 2006-08 Rotary Peace Fellow, in a Palestinian refugee camp outside Amman, Jordan. Photo courtesy of Shai Tamari

already working to promote greater tolerance and cooperation.

In honor of the International Day of Peace, 21 September, we asked former peace fellows how the program equipped them for their current work in the field:

"The Rotary Peace Centers program provided me with the confidence to walk through the halls of the U.S. Congress, seek a position as a foreign policy adviser, and know that I have something to offer which members of Congress desire in an aide -- knowledge, experience, and chutzpa," says Shai Tamari, a 2006-08 fellow at Duke University and University of North Carolina at Cha-

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pel Hill, USA.

"As a U.S. diplomat, the knowledge and experience I gained as a peace fellow have had a direct impact on my work with international organizations in Libya, Somalia, and Yemen," says Tim Haynes, a 2004-06 fellow at Sciences Po, France.

"I have been working for the German development cooperation on its climate protection program, where I am able to work with developing countries to help them address their development challenges in the face of climate change. I have been granted a bird's-eye



Rotary Peace Fellows from the University of California, Berkeley. Photo courtesy of Alejandra Rueda Zarate

view into the issue as a member of the German delegation to climate negotiations," says Sallie Lacy, a 2005-07 fellow at the University of Queensland, Australia.

E-club recruits former Rotary Peace Fellows for global project

by Maureen Vaught

Rotary International News — 19 September 2011

Daniel Sturgeon knew he'd be a Rotarian someday. He just imagined a day far off in the future, not one a few days shy of his 30th birthday. But since 2007, this former Rotary Peace Fellow has been a member of two Rotary clubs.

Today, Sturgeon and his current club, the Rotary E-Club of the Southwest, USA, are encouraging all alumni -- peace fellows, in particular -- to make today the day they join Rotary.

"We Rotarians are poor stewards of Foundation funds if we don't reach back and tap the intellectual capital that we've created through our investment in the Rotary Peace Fellowship," says Sturgeon, who was a 2004-06 peace fellow at International Christian University in Tokyo.

Peace experts

During a rare in-person meeting in April, the Southwest e-club decided to make world peace its international service project. Members set a goal of recruiting 50 former peace fellows from around the world to join their club over the next three years.

Sturgeon envisions his club becoming a resource for Rotarians seeking advice and help with their club's or district's peace projects.

"With their academic background and field experience, we can work smarter and be more effective. Many fellows are already with nongovernmental agencies in the area of peace; they're everywhere we want to be," says Sturgeon, who works as a political analyst and speechwriter for the Consulate General of Japan in Atlanta, Georgia, USA.

Fellow e-club member Larry Levinson agrees and adds that alumni will also benefit from the collaboration. "Many of them aren't leveraging Rotary's energy, money, and expertise to accomplish their goals," he says.

Recruiting tips

- Both Rotarians are optimistic that they'll be able to achieve their club's membership goal. To ensure success, they're employing a variety of techniques that any club looking for an alumni connection could use.
- Just ask. "Recruiting for an e-club

Denton Rotary Club 1779 Attendance Report

September 15, 2011

Total Member Count – 99
(8-Honorary, 5-Exempt)

Number used for Attendance – 86
Members Present – 48
Makeups – 0
Total Credits – 48
Attendance Percentage – 55.81%
Guests Present – 4
Total – 52

Guest Speaker:
Suzan Stambaugh – Indigent Health Care

Guests:
Carolyn Ishee and Adam Reese
Guests of Mary Ann McDuff

Sean Frizzell
Guest of Mike Pope

Leave of Absence:
Clinton Lynch (5/17/11 to 11/17/11)
Miogene Alexander (6/1/11 to 12/1/11)

is no different from a regular Rotary club. You just have to ask," Sturgeon says.

- Build a relationship It may not result in membership, Sturgeon says, but a relationship with alumni may lead to other opportunities for involvement.
- Remove the barriers Be flexible about meeting times, dues, and attendance.
- Promote involvement Rotary's strength is that it doesn't want "paper" members, Sturgeon says, and alumni want to make a difference.
- Provide networking opportunities Sturgeon says that for alumni and other young adults, networking is simply a different term for what Rotary calls vocational service and fellowship.

2012 Officers

President – Pete Bradbury
President Elect – Karen Dickson
Past President – Dale Kimble
Treasurer – Vicki Smith
Secretary – Jerry Holbert
Sgt-At-Arms – Dick Stewart
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rita@ritaburlison.com

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Jack Thomson
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Tyler Wood
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Committee Chairs

Service Projects – Colt Edwards
Public Relations – Ernie McGee
Membership – Jack Thomson
Rotary Foundation –
Doreen Rue
Club Administration –
Karen Dickson

Rotary Board meeting date, time & location reminder:

- 3rd Wednesday of the month:
October 19, 2011
- 12:00 Noon
- DATCU Administration
building conference room
- The meeting is open to all
Denton Rotary members
- RSVP to Rita Burlison at
rita@ritaburlison.com

Meeting Calendar

September 22 Jeff Dorman and Mark Gaither, Redemptive Life & Marriage

TWU's McDuff to retire

DENTON — Mary Ann McDuff, director of Academic Financial Services at Texas Woman's University, will retire Sept. 30 after more than 30 years with the university.

Ms. McDuff earned a bachelor's degree in history and a master's degree in sociology from TWU. She began working as an administrative assistant in the division of Academic Affairs in 1981, and was named to her current position in 2000. She is a life member of the TWU Former Students Association.

Ms. McDuff is an active member of the Denton County community, currently serving on the Denton Health Services Advisory Committee and as chair of the Rotary Youth Leadership Awards (RYLA) Committee for the Denton Rotary Club. She served as the Denton Rotary Club's first female president from 1998-99. She was campaign chair of the United Way of Denton County (UWDC) from 2007-2008, and chair of the UWDC Board of Directors in 2009-2010.



Mary Ann McDuff

"I am honored and blessed to have served my alma mater for more than 30 years," Ms. McDuff said. "With this retirement, I will focus on civic engagement and service to Denton. I will continue to give, to advocate and to volunteer to help individuals in need of assistance both inside and outside the boundaries of Denton County."

District 5790 Event

Institute for Leadership

Chair: Richard Sherman
Date: Oct 29, 2011 at 9:00 AM - Oct 30, 2011 at 5:00 PM
Event Fee: 299.00 USD
Location: Dallas Fort Worth Marriott Hotel & Resort
3300 Championship Parkway
Fort Worth, Texas 76177

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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

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⚙...Assistant Dist. Gov.