



The Flywheel

Thursday, September 25, 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



Rotary to hear county judge



Denton Rotary will host Denton County Judge Mary Horn on Thursday, Sept. 25. Judge Horn will address the state of the county.

Denton County Commissioners

Court appointed Horn to the position of county judge on June 11, 2002 to complete the unexpired term of Scott Arney, who had resigned to accept appointment by President George Bush as regional administrator for the General Services Administration. The previous January, Horn resigned her county tax assessor-collector post after more than nine years in order to run for county judge. Horn won election to her first four-year term as county judge in November of that year and was re-elected for a second term in November 2006.

Born in Owatonna, Minnesota, she graduated from the Minnesota School of Business in Minneapolis and moved to Dallas in 1965 to begin a 17-year career with Braniff International Airlines. Following Braniff's shutting down in 1982, she owned and operated her own small business from her home for 10 years, allowing her to combine a business career with being an involved mother.

Horn has been married for 40 years to former State Representative Jim Horn. The couple has two grown children and two grandchildren. Their daughter Jennifer, an event planner and fundraiser, lives in Austin and is married to Dr. Michael Lustina. Their son



Jim graduated from the United State Military Academy at West Point in 2001 and has served several tours of duty in Iraq.

Hurricanes pummel Haiti

By Arnold R. Grahl

Rotary International News — 12 September 2008

Four hurricanes within a span of a month have caused massive flooding in Haiti, sending local Rotarians scrambling to provide help for thousands displaced by the storms.



Past RI Director Barry Rassin, of Nassau, Bahamas, says the onslaught of hurricanes Fay, Gustav, Hanna, and Ike has left many parts of the island inaccessible, including the port city of Gonaives. The United Nations has estimated that as many as 600,000 people are in need of help because of the storms, which have killed more than 200 people.

“It’s just been so devastating,” Rassin says. “We have to wait for the flooding to go down to even be able to access some of the places. The last straw was Hanna,” Rassin continued. “Parts of Hanna sat over Haiti for days and the ground had already been saturated. Ike made it worse, but Hanna devastated the place.”

The district is working with Red Cross, local NGOs, and local Rotary clubs to identify the most urgent needs, says Jack Martin, another past district governor. Because of the difficulty in shipping items to Haiti, the first step has been to provide funds to purchase supplies for the most needy.

How to help

Rassin said the district’s relief efforts have raised US\$25,000, not nearly enough to meet all the need. Martin and McCombe are asking Rotarians to help out by sending donations. Information on how to do so is available at the [RI Zones 33 and 34 Web site](#).

“We are wire-transferring cash to Rotary contacts in the country, splitting it between regions,” he says. “We did get a few containers of food in—and they were gone in a flash. The need is so great.”

“You can see a sense of hopelessness and despair like nothing you’ve ever seen,” writes Caleb Lucien, District 7020’s health and hunger resource coordinator, on a [Zones 33 and 34 online forum](#). “After a week of flooding, the only two streets in [Gonaives] that people can freely go from one end to the next is over 3 1/2 feet deep and people are walking almost a mile to go find shelter and something [food] on which to survive.”



Rassin says district officials are hoping to charter a small plane to get a better look at the devastation. “This has impacted the entire country,” he says. “There is no place that isn’t affected.”

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Month.
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tomorrow’s
Rotarians today!**

United Way kickoff a great success

GIVE. ADVOCATE. VOLUNTEER.
LIVE UNITED™ United Way



United Way's Leaders on Loan celebrated the kickoff of the 2008 United Way campaign last week.



Janie McLeod and David Layton, Leader on Loan Co-chairs, at the kickoff



NorthStar Bank receives Platinum Pacesetter Award.

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

September 25th:

Mary Horn,
County Judge

October 2nd:

Robert
Carpenter,
CEO & President
Visiting Nurse
Association

October 9th:

Rudy Moreno,
Denton City
Council Member
District 2

October 16th:

Amiee Dennis,
KDB Program
Manager

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
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)

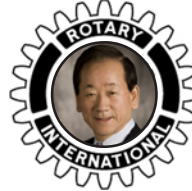
Steven Coburn – Director
Fellowship Activities – Don Barnes
Fundraising Projects – Harv Kitchens
Magazine – Dick Stewart
Program – Lilia Bynum
Public Relations – John Cabrales

Community Service

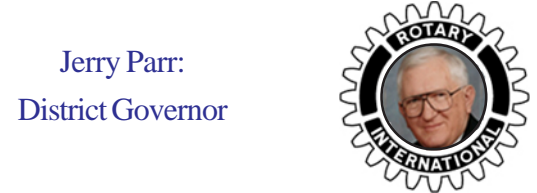
Charles McCarty – Director
Community Development – Ricky Grunden
Environmental Protection – Ray Croff
Human Development – Condell Garden
Partners in Service - Bill McKee
Scholarships – Olive Morton
Blood Drive - Virginia Langston-McDaniel

2008-09 Directors-At-Large

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 Burleson
Vocational Awareness – Jim Lisenby
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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 ☆...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