



The Flywheel

Thursday, October 25, 2007

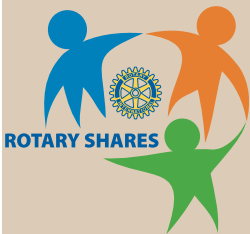
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Denton Rotary Club

Chartered
May 1, 1920
District 5790
Club No. 1779

P. O. Box 1622
Denton, Texas
76202

Meeting Time:
Thursday, Noon
Radisson Hotel



Spelling it Out



Ray Braswell

DISD Superintendent Ray Braswell and Bill Giese made the case for the \$282 million bond package at last week's Rotary meeting.

Ray began by explaining why DISD covers such a large geographic area. It now covers 12 communities and could become one of the largest districts in the state.

The bond package, which will go to the voters on November 6, emphasizes existing facilities. However, two elementary schools and one middle school are also included. Much of the money is needed to meet the math and science requirements mandated by the legislature.

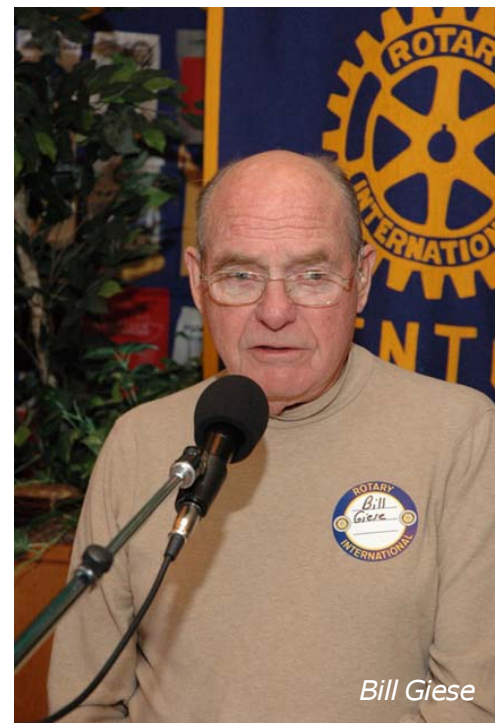
Although it seems like a lot of money, it is really quite reasonable compared to bond proposals advanced by some of the surrounding school districts.



Ray pointed out that even though the bond package would add around six cents per hundred assessed value to the tax rate, the legislative support provide in the last session for operations and maintenance will actually result in a net decrease in the tax rate.

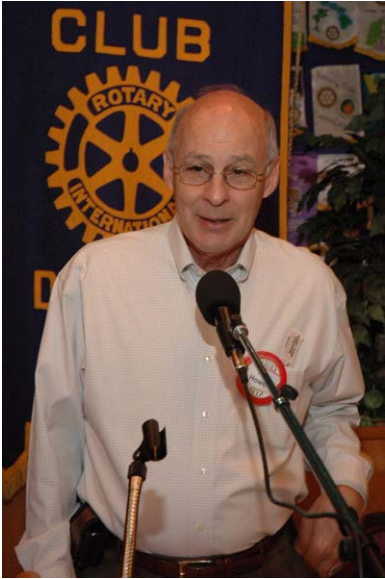
Bill said the selection of projects included the work of a large committee that represented a cross section of the district. He stressed the need for approval and said it would benefit the communities in the district as well as be viewed positively by businesses considering a move to Denton.

He also urged early voting and pointed out the bond package came after the state constitutional amendments.



Bill Giese

Third Time's a Charm



Pat Howell gave his classification talk last Tuesday. He pointed out this was the third Rotary Club he had joined. The first was in Wisconsin and the second in Farmington, New Mexico. He has also retired three times and has been on both the academic and engineering side of higher education.

Most recently he was Associate Vice President and Chancellor for Facilities at UNT. During the time he was with UNT, \$300 million in new construction was initiated and there will be another \$300 million in maintenance over the next 10 to 12 years.

The UNT Rotaract will have a *Hoedown* on November 17th. However, they are looking for an appropriate spot to have the event that would be available at a reasonable charge (or free).



To learn more about the Rotaract Club at UNT and for contact information, click on the following link: <http://untrotaract.com/>



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

October 18, 2007
Members present: 40 of 80
Percentage for this meeting: 50.00%

Guest Speakers:

Bill Giese,
Denton ISD Bond Issue
Ray Braswell,
Denton ISD Bond Issue

Leaves of Absence:

Tom LaPoint,
7-19-2007 to 11-1-2007
Dan Mauldin,
9-1-2007 to 12-31-2007

James Adams,
10-16-07 to 11-30-07

Rotarian Guest:

Bob Bishop,
Rotary Club of Hurricane Creek, TX

Guests of Members

Demi Prentiss
Guest of Rick Woolfolk
Jerry Mohelnitzky
Guest of Euline Brock
Mr. Dubner
Guest of Robert Ramirez

**October
25th:**

UNT Athletic
Dept Associate,
UNT Football

**November
1st:**

Chris Morrison,
Care Highway
International

2007-08 Officers

Sonja Rogers: *President*
Eva Poole: *President-Elect*
Ron Aldridge: *Past President*
Margaret Griffin: *Secretary*
Rob Seay: *Treasurer*
Dick Stewart: *Sergeant-at-Arms*
Tom Syler: *Dave Barrett, Assistant Ser-
geant-at-Arms*
John Shrader and Ralph Flesher: *Co-
Historians*
Becky Opperman: *Chaplain*
Bill Cissell: *Director, Grants & Develop-
ment*
Dick Stewart: *Music Director*

Club Service (A)

Eva Poole: *Director*
Mark Ragsdale: *Membership*
Margaret Griffin: *Classification*
John Shrader, Jack Cross: *Membership
Development*
Carolyn Ishee, Harv Kitchens: *Membership
Retention*
Doreen Rue: *Attendance*
George Hopkins: *Audit*
Gary Conwell: *Club Bulletin*

Club Service (B)

Steven Coburn: *Director*
Don Barnes, Sarah Muniz: *Fellowship*
Harv Kitchens: *Fundraising*
Tom Phillips, Ricky Grunden: *Programs*
John Cabrales, Jr.: *Public Relations*
Jo Ann Ballantine: *Web Site*
Dick Stewart: *Magazines*

International Service

David Barrett: *Director*
Herman Oosterwijk: *International Youth*
Bill Cissell: *HIV/AIDS*
Horace Brock: *World Fellowship*
Bob Peterson, Bruce Sandelin: *Rotary
Foundation World Community Service*

2007-08 Directors

Larry Aaron
David Barrett
Bill Cissell
Steve Coburn
Jack Cross
Ricky Grunden
Charles McCarty



Wilfrid J. Wilkinson:
International President

Dave Mason:
District Governor



Sonja Rogers:
Club President



Vocational Service

Larry Aaron: *Director*
Quinn McColly: *Career Development*
Vicki Smith, Mary Ann McDuff: *RYLA*
Rick Woolfolk: *Vocational Awareness*
Lilia Bynum: *Vocational Awards*
Derv Hudgens: *4-Way Speech*

Community Service

Charles McCarty: *Director*
Tom LaPoint, Mary Gotcher:
Environmental Services
Rick Woolfolk: *Blood Drive*
Michelle Cunningham: *Scholarship*
Bill McKee, Carolyn Ishee: *Partners-in-
Service*
Ricky Grunden: *Community Development*



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"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