

Wheel of Fortune

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Upcoming Programs

March 25

"Heads Above Water"
Robert Gulley
Director of the Economic
Growth and Endangered
Species Management
Division of the Texas
Comptroller of Public
Accounts

April 1 TBD

April 8 No weekly luncheon Join us for the golf social More details to come

April 15

Nicholas "Nico" Lahood Bexar County Criminal District Attorney

Upcoming Events

Save the Date! Club social week of April 6

April 9

Rotary's "Read & Roll"
Golf Classic
AT&T Canyon Oaks
Course at TPC
Read more and register...

April 29

Legacy Luncheon II

Join us for this special

Thomas E. Dobson CEO Whataburger

Chair of the Day: Amy Contreras



Thomas E. Dobson has held various positions with Whataburger since 1961 when he started working in the restaurants. In 1967 he started working in the home office in numerous positions to learn the business while going to school at Southwest Texas He returned in State University in San Marcos. 1972 to work full time in the business. In 1993 he was named President & CEO and now holds the title of Chairman of the Board. The family owned business was founded in 1950. Tom Dobson is one of three children of company founders the late Harmon and Grace Dobson. Whataburger operates 776 restaurants in 10 states, employing over 31,300 team members with annual sales over \$1.6 In addition he is Managing Partner of billion.

Dobson Properties, a real estate investment partnership, and President and CEO of Quality Broadcasting, Inc., which owns and operates KFTX, "Real Country" radio in Corpus Christi, Texas.

A leader in the community, Mr. Dobson is active in many non-profit organizations that focus on developing youth as the leaders of tomorrow. He is past Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Driscoll Foundation in Corpus Christi and is currently a trustee. Mr. Dobson is a current member and Director of the Kenedy Memorial Foundation of Corpus Christi. He is also on the Board of Directors of Respite Care, St. Phillip's College Presidents Advisory Board and Cancer Therapy and Research Center. Mr. Dobson is past president on the Board of Trustees of the Texas State Aquarium in Corpus Christi and is currently a trustee. He is past chairman of the Federal Reserve Board, San Antonio Branch. Mr. Dobson was a recipient of the Corpus Christi Business Hall of Fame Award by Junior Achievement of the Coastal Bend, he was inducted into the Texas Business Hall of Fame in November 2013 and in March 2015 he was a recipient of the San Antonio Business Hall of Fame Award by Junior Achievement.

Volunteer Opportunities

lunch and learn from a panel of longtime members

May 4

Recruitment Event Watch for more details

Useful Links

Pay your Invoices online

Links to Rotary Websites

Rotary Club of SA

News, photos, upcoming events, programs, committees, leadership, volunteer opportunities and more

Rotary International

The news, programs, projects and information about Rotary worldwide

Learn more...

District 5840

District news, events and opportunities

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Meeting Information

Rotary meets every Wednesday at 12:00 at the Bright Shawl, 819 Augusta (at McCullough) You know Rotary motto is "Service Above Self." We've had some great service opportunities this year and we're close to our club goal of 2,000 hours of service. Are you ready to help us achieve our goal and reach out to the community?

Here are some upcoming service projects. Sign up for one or more!

The First Tee at Valero Texas Open

For the fourth straight year, our club will escort students in The First Tee program to VTO to watch professional golf, attend a golf clinic, watch a trip shot artist and more.

Details:

- Saturday, March 28
- 8 am 4 pm
- Meet at VTO
- 4-5 Rotarians to escort groups of 20-25 students
- Organized by the Young Members Board

Interested? Email assistant@rotarysa.org or call 222-8242, 11

Rotary Read and Roll Golf Classic

This year's golf tournament will be held at the AT&T Canyon Course at TPC San Antonio. Volunteers will be needed to help with registration, contests and more.

Details:

- Thursday, April 9
- AT&T Canyon Course at TPC
- Various service opportunities, various shifts

Want to learn more? Email <u>assistant@rotarysa.org</u> or call 222-8242, 11

Rotary Kingdom Keepers

As you know over the past few years we have expanded our Kingdom for Kids playground projects to include substantial landscape improvements. We are asking for volunteers to to assist fellow Rotarian Dr. Bill Bauta on landscape supervision and occasional maintenance and improvement that is needed on our existing projects at Smith Elementary, the Winston School, St. PJs and Stewart Elementary.

Details:

- Maintain landscaping projects at various Kingdom for Kids playground builds
- Various schedules and locations
- No experience necessary! Duties for all skill levels

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Family of Rotary News

As you probably know, Joan Kearl's husband Mike passed away suddenly last week. The Express-News has a wonderful article about Mike in today's edition: *Mike Kearl*.

The details on the service left off the date. Services will be **Tuesday**, **March 24** at 5:00 pm at the Stieren Theater in the Ruth Taylor Theater Building on Trinity's campus. Please plan on arriving by 4:30 if you attend.

For membership information call 210-222-8242, x11

Do you Support Literacy and Scholarships?

Deadline to show your support is March 31. Signup today!

Be a part of this year's golf tournament – Rotary's Read and Roll at the Canyons Course at TPC. The tournament will be held **Thursday**, **April 9** and benefits our scholarships. A portion of the event will also promote literacy throught SAReads.



Highlights include:

- Breakfast before the 8 am shotgun start
- Watch the Master's at the High Velocity Sports Bar after lunch
- Hole-in-one and other contests
- Winners receive a "green jacket" with the "Read and Roll" logo
- Special pricing at the Lantana Spa at JW Marriott
- Sponsorship opportunities
- Prizes!

Click here to Register: Read and Roll

Date: Thursday, April 9

When: 8:00 AM Shotgun Start

Where: AT&T Canyons Course at TPC

Why: Benefits our youth charities and promotes literacy through SAReads

Sponsorship levels:

Individual player: \$200

4 Golfers: \$1,000 (includes breakfast, lunch, hole signage)

Hole Sponsor: \$250

Rotarian Connect: \$350 (includes individual entry and hole signage)

Platinum Sponsor: \$7,500 (title sponsor)

Two teams

- Your logo on tournament golf balls
- Two onsite banners
- Two hole signs
- Seating for 8 at meals
- Your logo on tournament website
- Option to add your promotional materials in tournament bag

Silver Sponsor: \$3,000

- One team
- One onsite banner
- One hole sign
- Sponsor of tournament breakfast
- Seating for 4 at meals

Option to add your promotional materials in tournament bag

Find more details and register on website: www.rotarysa.org

Questions? Contact the Rotary office at 222-8242, x11.

Welcome Our Newest Members



Chris Kelm
Finance: Planner
Kelm Financial Services
Partner/Financial Planner
Phone: 210-679-1530

Email: chris.kelm@kelmgroup.com

Proposer: Jay Stanley Endorser: Bill Harrison



Tom Livesay
Museums: Director

Briscoe Western Art Museum

Executive Director

Phone: 210-299-4499 X 501

Email: <u>tlivesay@briscoemuseum.org</u> Transferred from the Dallas Rotary Club

Potential Member

On recommendation of the Admissions Committee, the Board of Directors has authorized the following for publishing for membership in accordance with the club bylaws. He will automatically become a member in 7 days unless ten (10) written and signed objections are submitted.

BAYERN, Bill

Langley & Banack, Inc, Shareholder

LAW – Estate Planning Proposer: Dan Peavy Endorser: Art Bayern

Do Business with a Rotarian!



Linda Mariani lindam@thect.net



David Ballard dballard@reatares.com



Pat Frost, Linda Gaida, Glenn Thomas, Suzanne Peterson, Ryland Howard, Matt Badders, Lee Patterson lgaida@frostbank.com

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