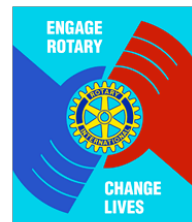


# Rotary Club of Galveston - Texas



# PILOT



**Rotary Newsletter**  
**January 22, 2014**

**Kevin Harrington presided over the meeting.**

Robyn Bushong offered the invocation

Marie Robb led the pledge and music

Brett Kirkpatrick introduced the guests and visiting Rotarians

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## **Guests and Visiting Rotarians**

Guests: Donnie Quintanilla and Jennifer Reynolds

Visiting Rotarians: Sally Pachulski

## **Announcements**

President Kevin Harrington presented the Paul Harris Fellow Pin to Randy Klibert.

- Debbie Smith, our friendly, weekly greeter at the parking ticket window is retiring. We had a card available for members to sign to wish her well and will be inviting her to lunch before her retirement.
- Maureen Patton shared information about The Grand upcoming classical music concert by inspiring musician, Leon Fleisher and his wife, Kathy Fleisher. They will also show the documentary, "Two Hands".

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## **Program**

Roland Bassett introduced our speaker, Shrub Kempner. He gave our club his Annual State of the Union and City Address concerning the 2014 economic outlook. In general, he feels things are improving! He expressed that our city is the "Upgraded Galveston". He feels that the improvements of education on the island along with the possibility of the Ike Dike are the main causes of the positive

improvements of Galveston. In summary, Shrub feels the US economy is growing, Texas continues to do well, and Galveston continues to move toward its potential!

### **Upcoming Programs**

February 5: Steve Smith – News Anchor History

**Kevin Harrington** led the group in reciting the Rotary Four-Way Test.

Of the Things we think, say or do:

- 1) Is it the TRUTH?
- 2) Is it FAIR to all concerned?
- 3) Will it build GOODWILL and better FRIENDSHIPS?
- 4) Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned

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