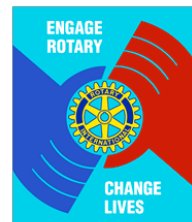


Rotary Club of Galveston - Texas



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Rotary Newsletter
April 9, 2014

Kevin Harrington presided over the meeting.

Gaynelle Hayes offered the invocation

Ruth Suhler led the pledge and music

Rebecca Saavedra introduced guests and visiting Rotarians

Visiting Rotarians and Guests

Visiting Rotarians: **Mike Woods**, West University Rotary Club

Guests:

Commander Brett Millican, Galveston Coast Guard Base Commander

Jeff Antonelli, Guest of Chuck Herrera

Announcements

Randy Klibert's father has passed away. **Mike Guarino** provided an update on other members who are ill: Bob Frantz is in the hospital because of a fluid build up in his lungs. He hopes to be home soon. **Elmo Henske** is suffering from a neck problem, the result of a fall. He is at home. **Jerry Vaughan** is under hospice care as a result of a severe stroke.

Kay Sandor reported that the bicycle helmet giveaway at the Grand Kids Fest was a success. She thanked volunteers: **Harold Fattig, Chuck Hererra, Paula and Bill Glenn, Keith Bassett, Sally Puchalski, Brian Barnes, Ruth Suhler, Gary Peters, Kate Marx, Kevin Harrington and Rebecca Saavedra**, Kevin thanked Kay for coordinating the effort.

Kevin announced that the club social is April 17 from 5 pm to 7 pm. **Jim Byrom** will supply the musical entertainment.

Lauren Suderman announced that members are encouraged to pick up Crawfish Boil tickets. Special members-only tickets are available for a raffle for a TV. Ruth said that volunteers are needed between 1 pm to 3:30 pm.

Chuck Herrera presented the club's Helping Other People Award. To Jeff Antonelli Jeff owns Shrimp N Stuff Restaurant and is a community leader. He was a Cub Scout leader and is a Scout Master and Venture Crew Advisor. He works with Gleanings from the Harvest and has been on the board for nine years. He is active in Holy Family Parish and serves on its council.

Program

Keith Bassett introduced the program: Robert Fuller and Keels and Wheels Concours d'Elegance. The event is May 2 at the Lakewood Yacht Club in Seabrook and is the largest in the United States. Proceeds from the event benefit Boys and Girls Harbor. It attracts exotic autos and wooden boats from around the country. More than 14,000 people attend from around the world. Special guests include Wayne Carini, car restorer for Jay Leno and Margaret Dunning, a 104-year-old owner of a 1930 Packard. The New York Times is joining her here for a story.

Tickets for the event are \$25 in advance, and \$35 at the door. Kids 10 and under are free. For more information, visit keels-wheels.com.

Neil Nathan won the door prize and donated the wine to the Crawfish Boil prize package.

Upcoming Programs

April 23: Inez Von Fiercks, Exchange Student

April 30: John Augelli, Rosenberg Library Update

May 7: Brett Millican, US Coast Guard

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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