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Rotary Club of Lafayette



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Rotary Club of Lafayette Meeting

Petroleum Club Lafayette
Thursdays at NOON

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Guest Speaker District 6200 Governor Mark Lee



Mark Hudson Lee, 2021-2022 District 6200 Governor, joined the Rotary Club of Houma in August of 2004 at the invitation of his father-in-law and longtime Rotarian, Dale C. Thompson.

Mark was born in New Orleans and grew up in the Town of Lafitte, Louisiana. After graduating from West Jefferson High School, Mark earned his Bachelor of Science degree in Building Construction in 1979 from Northeast Louisiana University.

His career in construction has taken him to multiple cities during his more than forty years of commercial and mechanical projects. He is currently a Project Manager for Volute, Inc. and also their Safety Director. Mark was honored to lead the Rotary Club of Houma,

Louisiana as president during the 2010-2011 Rotary year.

Involved in District 6200, Mark has served as Assistant Governor, Membership Chair, Rotary Leadership Institute Chair, 2018 District Conference Co-Chair and as a past convener of the District Nominating Committee. He has also been a RYLA Counselor, a PETS Facilitator and helped to develop the first on-line E-Club in the district.

Mark has attended many District Conferences and several International Conventions during his time in Rotary and plans to continue that journey in the future.

Mark has been married to his wife Margaret for more than thirty years, and are the parents of two wonderful daughters. Anna is a graduate of LSU and Laura received her degree from Nicholls State University. Mark and his wife are members of the First Presbyterian Church of Houma where he has served as a Deacon, Session member and Clerk of Session. He has also served his community as a past board member of the Terrebonne Economic Development Authority, Best of the Bayou Music Festival, and The Foundation for Terrebonne General Medical Center.

Review of July 22, 2021 Meeting: Club Assembly

The Club Assembly was held on July 22, 2021. President Kevin Caswell



Loretta Tuzin
Club Executive Secretary



District

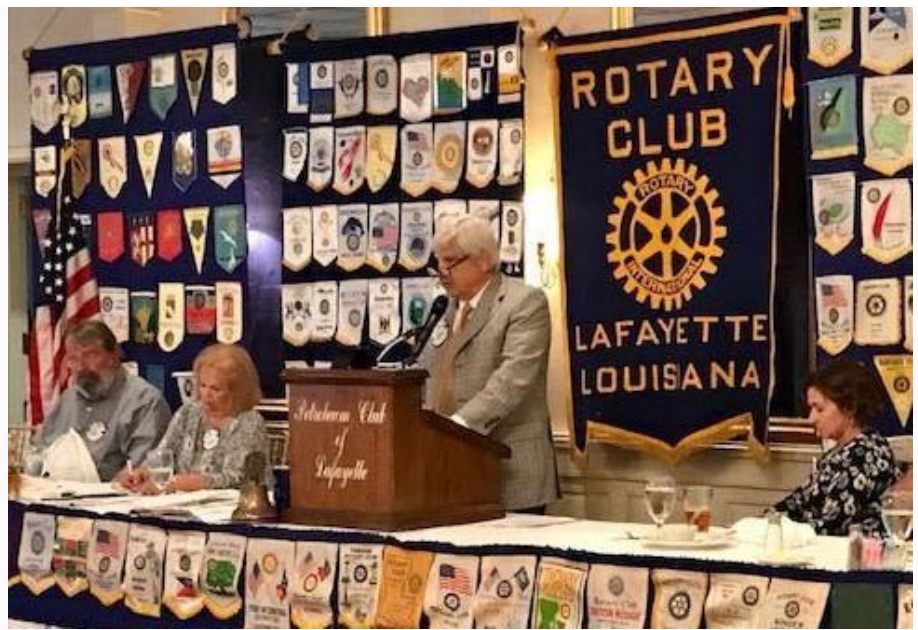
- Mark Hudson Lee
District Governor
- William R. Foster
Vice Governor
- Timothy James McNabb
DG-Elect
- Ken Firmin
DG-Nominee
- Catherine Yvonne Lognion Normand
iPDG
- Harold L. Domingue Jr.
Training Coordinator

Birthdays

- Michael P. Zaunbrecher
July 28th
- Loretta B. Tuzin
July 29th
- Joby John
August 2nd
- Richard P. Domingue
August 3rd
- Stephen Felix-Lemelle Barker
August 4th
- James E. Slatten
August 7th
- P. Brent Mouton
August 9th
- Sarah E. Djos-Raph
August 9th
- Joseph B. Tidwell
August 10th
- Stella C. Theriot
August 12th
- Robert Sean Trcalek
August 16th
- Nickolas C. Zaunbrecher
August 18th
- Dustin W. Duval
August 21st
- Kaliste J. Saloom III
August 22nd

Club Member Anniversaries

- Kaliste J. Saloom III
07-01-1991
30 Years
- Terry Huval
07-01-1994
27 Years
- Stan F. Messinger
07-27-2000
21 Years
- Albert F. Moliere III
07-19-2001
20 Years
- Brian Blanchard
07-21-2005
16 Years
- Blake A. Huggard
07-24-2008



presented plans and goals for the year to increase membership and diversity, operate within the budget and find ways to generate additional reserves to fund projects (Clay Shoot Fund Raiser and potential fund raiser being organized by the Satellite Club), revision of Club Bylaws to include Corporate and Family memberships, potential community-based Interact Club, and sustained engagement with the Satellite Club. President Caswell introduced officers for the 2021-22 Rotary year: Vice President Tommy Hays, Secretary Kay Theunissen, and Treasurer Jim Faulk. President Caswell then introduced the following directors for the 2021-22 year who presented information on their area of service and urged members to volunteer to serve on a committee: Club Service Director Mike Roebuck, International Service Director Gerald Breaux, Special Events Director Robin McMillan, Youth Service Director Joshua Savoie, Community Service Director Renee Menard, and Vocational Service Director Joel Fruge (presented in his absence by President Caswell).

Recap of June 16, 2021 RotaryU Meeting

On the evening of Wednesday, June 16th, RotaryU was held at Deano's on Bertrand. One prospective member and 17 members of the Rotary Club of Lafayette and the Satellite Club as well as prospective Rotarians enjoyed dinner and socializing while learning about the Club's social events and Rotary's Fellowships. Thank you to Robin McMillan, Social Chair, for speaking about the Club's events throughout the year, and to Nanette Heggie, Membership Chair, for informing the group about Fellowships.



All club members are invited to attend the next RotaryU at 6:00 p.m. on Wednesday, July 21, during which 2021 Club President Kevin Caswell and Officers will share plans for the Rotary year as well as officers and committee structures. Rotary's Transition Club will also be covered. RSVP: RotaryU2618@gmail.com.

Correction: New Member Ed Hannie

13 Years
Harold L. Domingue Jr.
07-12-2012
9 Years
Jacqui Leigh Johansson
07-12-2018
3 Years
Jacob E. Favaron
07-09-2020
1 Year
Robert Sean Trcalek
07-23-2020
1 Year
Dana L. LeBlanc
07-30-2020
1 Year
Edward J. Hannie II
07-15-2021
0 Years



Last week's bulletin misspelled new member Edward J. Hannie's last name. Sorry, and the good news is Ed gets another welcome!

Proposed New Members - July 27, 2021

The following have been proposed for membership in the main club. If no written objection is received within the next seven (7) days, the persons listed will be eligible for membership into the Rotary Club of Lafayette.

Name: Elizabeth Ann Breaux

Proposed by: Renee Menard

Classification: Banking ♦ Mortgage

Name: Dayle Lanier Guillory

Proposed by: Nanette Heggie

Classification: Education ♦ University

The following has been proposed for membership in the Satellite Club. If no written objection is received within the next seven (7) days, the person listed will be eligible for membership into the Rotary Club of Lafayette.

Name: Kyle Candella

Proposed by: Debbie Candella

Classification: Amusement Venue

Hybrid Meeting Announcement

This week's meeting will be a hybrid meeting with in-person lunch at the Petroleum Club at noon, and the meeting will also be broadcast via Zoom.

Log-in information for attending via Zoom is listed below:
Using a computer/laptop you can simply click the link below:

Join Zoom Meeting
<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/74976622814?pwd=WGc1dnFmZIRCvJlVUNzFIU0hGdS9zdz09>

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Meeting ID: 749 7662 2814
Passcode: 044754