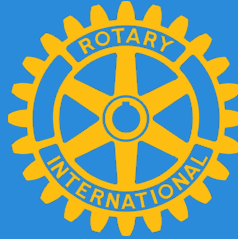


ROTARY REMINDER

Club 63, District 5870

Rotary
Club of Austin



CREATE HOPE
in the WORLD

Club Meetings/Speakers

January 16, 2024
RCA DEI Committee--
Austin's First
Responders 4-Way
Test Award
Presentation

January 23, 2024
Valerie DeBill, Exec.
Dir. -- Texas League of
Women Voters, Austin
Chapter

January 30, 2024
Vikki Goodwin, State
of Texas
Representative

February 06, 2024
Camp Enterprise
Winning Team (High
School students)

February 13, 2024
Vlad Bahrencu --
Behavioral Finance

February 20, 2024
Emily Ball Cicchini --
BookSpring (RCA
Community Partner)

Other Meetings/Events

January 16th
Jan-VP Meeting

January 17th
EAFK - Wayside
REAL Academy

January 20th
District 5870
Central Texas
Foundation Gala

January 23rd
RCA Board of
Directors Meeting

January 25th
North Breakfast
Cluster

January 26th
EAFK - Hart
Elementary

February 2nd
Camp Enterprise

February 8th
EAFK-Harris
Elementary

February 13th
Feb-VP Meeting

Rotary Reminder (1/16/24) - RCA's 4-Way Test Public Safety Awards

"We believe collaborative community relationships are the path to true public safety. This award will spotlight local efforts that embrace compassion, honesty, and empathy."
Rotary Club President-Elect Darrick Eugene

Public Safety Award
Rotary
Club of Austin
The Four Way Test
of the things we think, say and do
1. Is it the **TRUTH**?
2. Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
3. Will it **BUILD GOODWILL & BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?
4. Will it be **BENEFICIAL TO ALL CONCERNED**?

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Click the "Read More" link for information about Pam's Way Kitchen, who will be catering our lunch on Tuesday.

[Read More](#)

Club Meeting Details: Join us in person or on Zoom

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February 14th
**Downtown
Breakfast Cluster**

February 15th
**DEI Virtual
Committee Meeting**

February 17th
**Rise Against Hunger
(SAVE THE DATE)**

February 20th
**RCA Board of
Directors Meeting**

February 21st
**EAFK - Wayside
REAL Academy**

February 23rd
**EAFK-Pecan Springs
Elementary**

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Eugene**
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Jr.**
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Club Foundation
(ARCF) Trustee

Dale Lowe
Club Foundation
(ARCF) Trustee

Peter R. Meeker
ARCF Trustee

Jaime Phillips
Club Foundation
(ARCF) Trustee

This week's meeting will be held in-person at Ben Hur (and also live-streamed on Zoom)!!

For those of you who can't join us in-person, you're invited to our LIVESTREAM Weekly Lunch Program!

When: Every Tuesday (almost) Noon to 1 PM Central Time (US and Canada)

*****For our Zoom guests, please clear your caches and bookmarked Zoom meeting links and check your time zone settings. Use the following Meeting ID & Password (credentials) to login:**

QuickLink:

<https://rotary-austin-org.zoom.us/j/85690378301?pwd=bXMxcDBqK1drNmNqZW1ZV3JlZ2FFdz09>

IMPORTANT STEPS TO CONNECT TO OUR WEEKLY MEETING LINK VIA ZOOM:

When the Rotary year begins on July 1st, we have a new meeting link. You should always be able to connect by **typing in the Meeting ID and password** as shown here.

1) Go to zoom.us/join

2) Enter the meeting ID in this box and passcode if prompted
(Meeting ID: **856 9037 8301** Passcode: **361851**)

While we will have cookies, water or tea available at the meeting, we will not be offering a meal. Please bring your own lunch if you plan on eating.

Did you miss last week's meeting or want to view the presentation? Here is our recording of **[RCA's Global Service Avenue/Paul Harris Fellows](#)**.

Join Meeting

Meeting ID or Personal Link Name

Join

Promote your business, support our Club!

W. Gaines Bagby
The Rotary Foundation
(TRF) Liaison

Richard Rowell
Club Programs Chair

**Kristoffer Sterling
Lands**
Sergeant-at-Arms

Birthdays

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- * ALL PROCEEDS go toward helping CLUB OPERATIONS!
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ROTARY CARES HOW YOU'RE DOING!!!

We've missed seeing you!

Is there anything that your Rotary Club of Austin "family" can support you with (i.e. family changes, death of a loved one, illness or other health concerns, lost a job, other professional needs, etc.) or do you know of another Rotarian who may need help?

Click [here](#) to let us know (or you can send an e-mail to office@rotary-austin.org).

Can we help?

If you're going through a difficult time and want support, we'd like to help.

ROTARY CARES

Highlights from Members' New Year's MadLibs...



During last week's Fellowship activity (MadLibs), RCA members made some *unusual*, and sometimes conflicting, resolutions for 2024, including:

Optimism on making and achieving resolutions varied:

I have made 12 resolutions and they are all not doable

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Some people say that resolutions are B.S. but I have made 6 and plan to achieve them in only 375 days.

Some people say that resolutions are hopeful but I have made 4 and plan to achieve them in only 7 days!

I have made 6 and plan to achieve them in only 42 days.

Some people say that resolutions are nefarious but I have made zero and plan to achieve them in only 365 days.

I have made 5 resolutions and they are all beautiful.

Exercise plans included:

I plan to exercise by speaking every day.

I plan to exercise by sleeping every day.

I plan to exercise by adjusting every day.

I've also resolved to stop listening. I know it's bad for my ear. I'm going to start swimming instead.

I've also resolved to quit gardening. I know it's bad for my back.

Weight loss goals will be achieved by:

Eating only blintzes and martinis.

Eating broccoli and Diet Coke.

This year I want to get healthy and lose no sleep.

Organizational goals were oddly specific:

I'm going to organize my collection of clown masks.

I'm going to organize my collection of members.

I'm going to organize my collection of dogs.

I'm going to organize my collection of bird poop.

We will brighten another person's day by:

Giving them 5 clown masks when they are sad.

Giving them kittens when they are sad.

Giving them moonshine when they are sad.

Using deodorant every day.

Literary topics will vary:

I'm going to read 42 books on how to swim with sharks.

I'm going to read 10 books on how to serve.

I'm going to read 1 book on how to ski.

I'm going to read 15 books on how to collect bird poop.

Rewards are endless:

If I work hard, I will finally learn how to stitch up shark bites.

If I work hard, I will finally learn how to listen.

If I work hard, I will finally learn how to run.

If I work hard, I will finally learn how to be a bird poopologist.

I'm going to reward myself with an extra large wild turkey.

I'm going to reward myself with a gorgeous prayer.

Members of the Rotary Club of Austin set up a blood drive with **We Are Blood** during last Tuesday's Rotary meeting to help with Austin's ongoing shortage of blood. Thanks, Rotary, for your part helping to fill emergency needs in the Austin area!



Congratulations to our newest Club President Nominee & Board of Directors!!!

PLEASE JOIN US IN CONGRATULATING CINDY BRUMMER, NAOMI BOURGEOIS AND KRISTOFFER LANDS!!!

The Rotary Club of Austin is thrilled to announce that **Cindy Brummer** has been elected to serve as Club President in 2025-2026 (following Derrick Ferguson) and **Naomi Bourgeois** and **Kristoffer Lands** have

President in 2025-2026 (following Derrick Eugene); and **Naomi Bourgeois** and **Kristoffer Landis** have been elected to serve 2-year terms on our Board of Directors in 2024-2026 (from 7/1/2024-6/30/2026)!

Cindy (President Nominee)



Naomi (Board of Directors)



Kristoffer (Board of Directors)

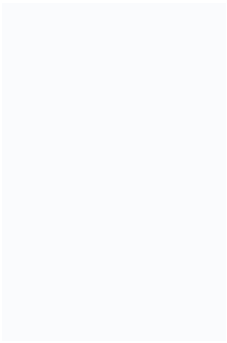


A Rotary Minute: Advancing High Ethical Standards in the Workplace



ADVANCING HIGH ETHICAL STANDARDS IN THE WORKPLACE

As leaders in their businesses and professions, Rotarians can advance high ethical standards by setting a positive example among colleagues and in their community.



Here are a few specific ways Rotarians integrate ethics into their daily work life:

- Discuss and emphasize honesty, accountability, fairness, integrity, and respect when hiring, training and supervising employees.
 - Praise and encourage the exemplary behavior of colleagues.
 - Demonstrate personal commitment to high ethical standards in relations with customers, vendors and business associates.
 - Treat each business interaction with care and consideration.
 - Promote socially and environmentally responsible practices in your businesses and organization.
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Club Meeting Place and Time

Austin
Meets at Ben Hur Shrine Temple
7811 Rockwood Lane
Austin, TX 78757
Time: Tuesday at 12:00 PM

RCA Vision Statement: To build a diverse fellowship of Austin-area business and community leaders transforming lives throughout the world.