

ROTARY REMINDER

Club 63, District 5870

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Rotary Reminder (2/27/24) - Chuck Treadwell, Girls' Education in Malawi (GEM)

CHUCK TREADWELL

GIRLS' EDUCATION IN MALAWI (GEM)

(RCA GLOBAL PARTNER)

Club Meetings/Speakers

February 27, 2024

Rev. Chuck Treadwell--
Malawi Girls (RCA Global
Partner)

March 05, 2024

Adrian Moore & Shana
Fox, CARY (Council on
At-Risk Youth)

March 12, 2024

Spring Clusters (NO
MEETING AT BEN HUR
& NO ZOOM)

Other Meetings/Events

February 28th

**ARCF Board of
Trustees Meeting -
Virtual**

February 29th

**North Breakfast
Cluster**

March 1st

**EAFK - Hart
Elementary**

March 5th

Mar-VP Meeting

March 13th

**Downtown
Breakfast Cluster**

March 19th

**RCA Board of
Directors Meeting**

March 21st

**EAFK-Harris
Elementary**

March 21st

**DEI Virtual
Committee Meeting**

Club Officers

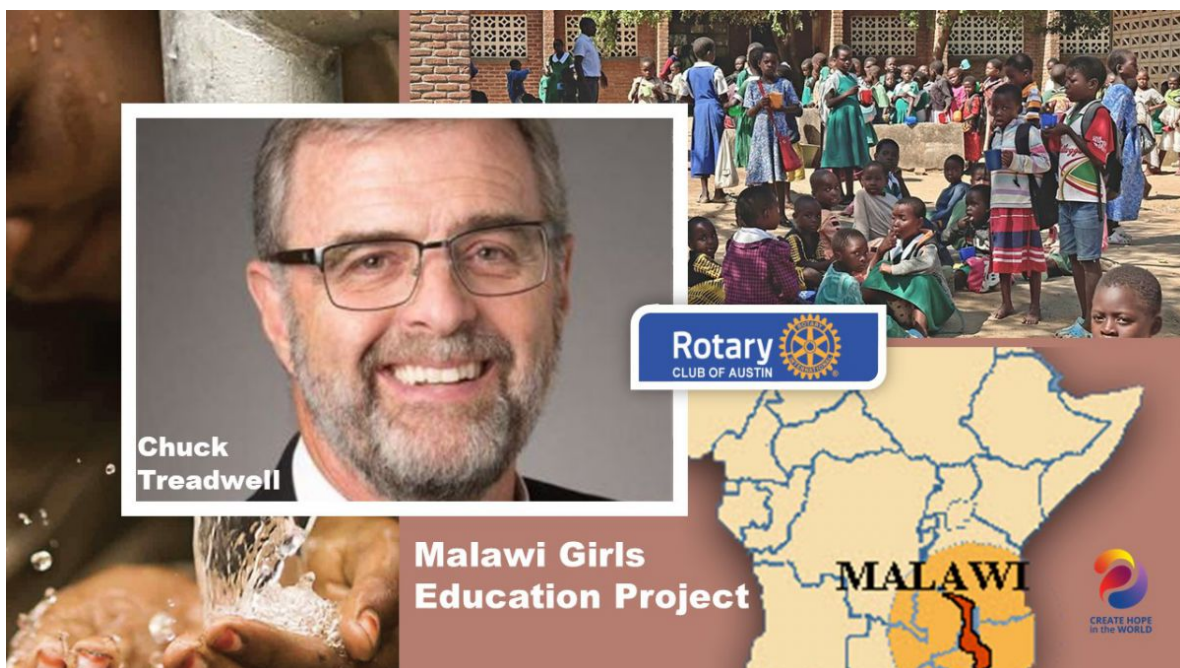
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(ARCF) Trustee
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Todd L. Coleman



Chuck grew up in South Carolina, Georgia and Kentucky in a loving family full of Baptist clergy. He attended Georgetown College, then moved to Texas where he met his wife Chris at a health club (a chic 80's couple!) who introduced him to the Episcopal Church.

Chuck went to seminary at the University of the South in Sewanee, TN. After graduating in 1989, Chuck was ordained a deacon in Dallas that same year. He has served at St. Michael and All Angels, Dallas from 1989-93, as a curate and priest to Young Single Adults, and School Chaplain; St. Peter's, McKinney, as rector 93-2004; St. Paul's, Waco, as rector 2004-2016; and as rector of St. David's in Austin 2016-present.

In the spring of 2014, Father Chuck completed a Doctor of Ministry from Sewanee. Along with his regular duties Father Chuck has served in various capacities in Diocesan ministry throughout his career, including 10 years as co-facilitator for "Curate Camp", a diocesan ministry for newly ordained clergy, and long-time trustee at the University of the South. He has served as a deputy to General Convention and on the Reunion Committee for the 2022 clergy conference, where the Diocese of Texas welcomed the Fort Worth Convocation back into the diocese.

Chris and Chuck have three adult children: Caleb, Colton and Caroline. Chuck is an avid hunter, hiker, fisherman, guitar player, puzzler and aspiring poet.

Warm Heart International (WHI) and Girls' Education in Malawi (GEM)

Warm Heart International is a 501(c)(3), working in partnership with the Anglican Diocese of Southern Malawi for over 15 years. We focus on raising funds for freshwater access, sanitation, medical care, orphan care and education for the people of Malawi. We are affiliated with St. David's Episcopal Church (Austin, Texas), and the Episcopal Diocese of Texas.

Girls' Education in Malawi is part of Warm Heart International and has partnered with the DSM Partnership Committee of the Anglican Diocese of Southern Malawi (ADSM). Together, we are working to help more girls

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Birthdays

Phillip (PJ) John
Guarino
February 27th

James T. Townsend
February 28th

Mike O'Krent
March 1st

Committee of the Anglican Diocese of Southern Indiana (ADSI). Together, we are working to help more girls complete their education through secondary school, offering scholarships to primary and secondary boarding schools.

We focus on the financial burden of attending school, as well as access to period products and sanitary rooms. We plan to build sanitary "wash and change" rooms at our six partner Anglican Primary Schools. The rooms give girls privacy, a place to clean themselves, wash and dry their reusable sanitary pads (included in our scholarships) and easily return to class.

Educating girls makes them healthier, more independent and gives them more opportunities. Women with education are more likely to invest in their communities and future generations. Education can increase lifetime income, and girls who attend school marry later and have fewer children.

You can find out more information about GEM [here](#).

Club Meeting Details: Join us in person or on Zoom

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=bXMxcDBqK1drNmNqZW1ZV3JIZ2FFdz09>

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 [Emily Ball Cicchini - BookSpring](#)

Join Meeting

Meeting ID or Personal Link Name

Join

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- * Contact the Rotary Office for details.

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Calling for Tuesday Meeting Volunteers!

Our Club is what **YOU** do and **WE** make it...

And we need **YOUR** help to make our **Tuesday** meetings run smoothly!

Reach out to [Kristoffer Lands](#), our Sergeant at Arms, to volunteer (or if you have any questions); and thank you, in advance, for your support and time!

We need **YOUR** help every week to:

- Lead the Pledge of Allegiance and 4-Way Test
- Give an Invocation or Words of Inspiration
- or Be a Greeter or Host



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?

<p>Strained relationships?</p> <p>Feeling under pressure?</p>	<p>Finding it hard to think positively?</p> <p>Less time for things you enjoy?</p>	<p>Wishing things could be different?</p> <p>Lacking motivation?</p>	<p>Feeling stressed?</p> <p>Not performing your best at work?</p> <p>Life feeling hard?</p> <p>Have a lot on your plate?</p>
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Click [here](#) to let us know (or you can send an e-mail to office@rotary-austin.org).

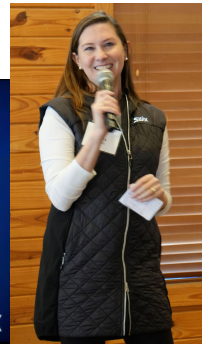
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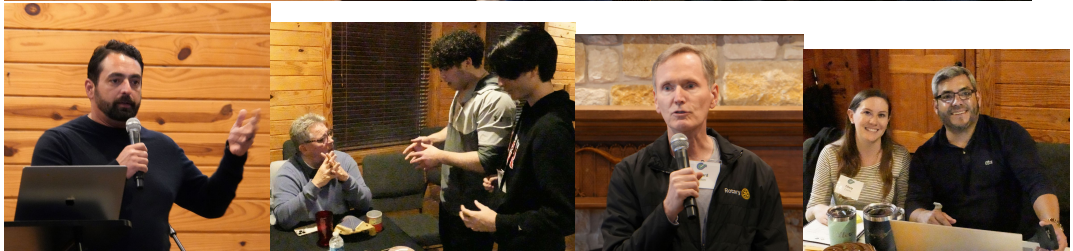
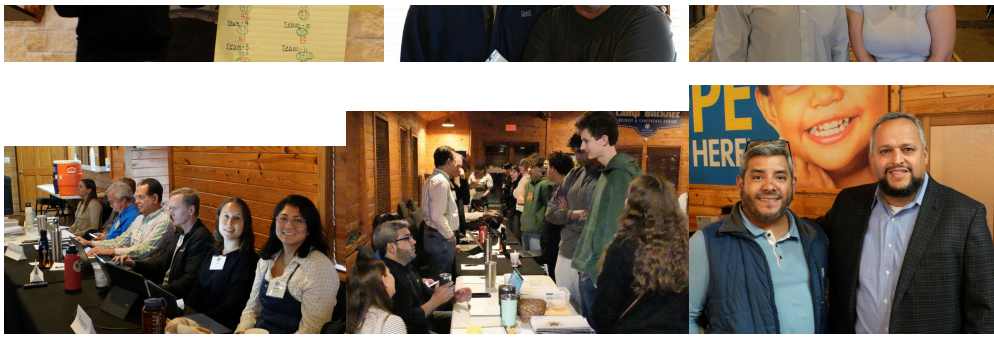


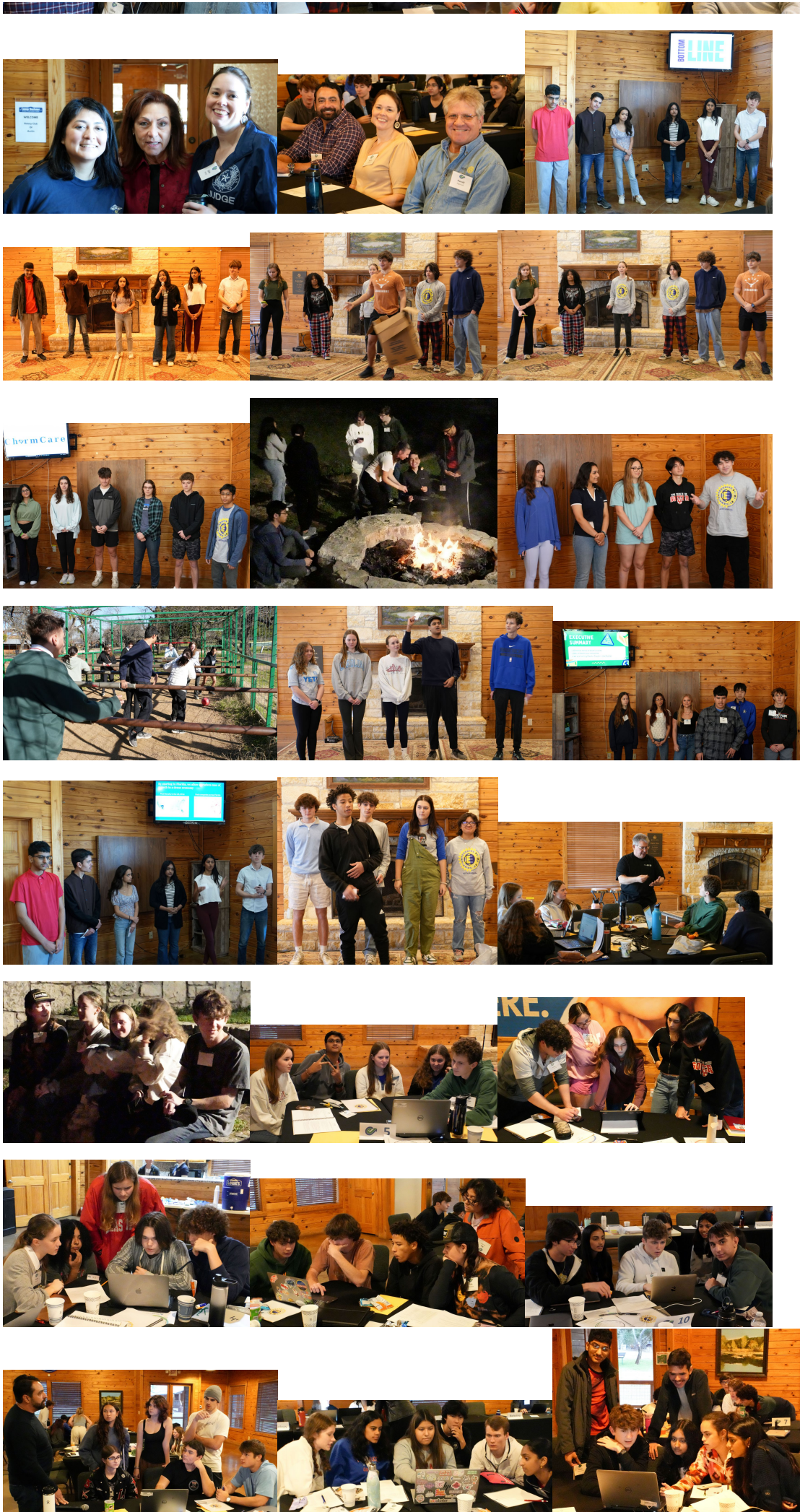
2024 Camp Enterprise weekend photos!

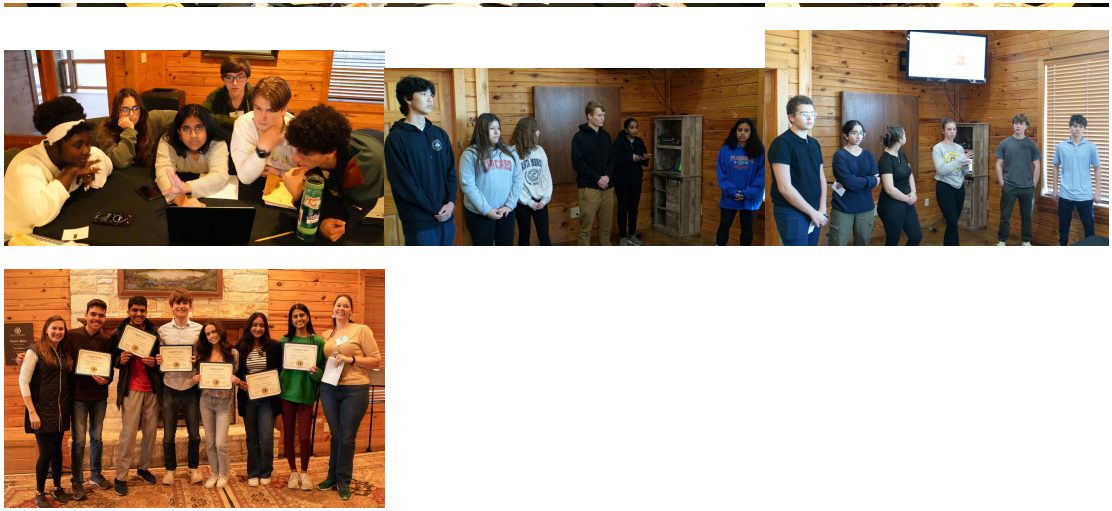
PHOTOS FROM OUR RECENT CAMP ENTERPRISE WEEKEND

*** Shout-out and HUGE THANKS to Gaines Bagby for taking and sharing these [pictures](#)! ***









A Rotary Minute: Tolerance of Differences



TOLERANCE OF DIFFERENCES

Occasionally, there is a temptation to criticize the laws, customs and traditions of another country which may seem strange or contrary to our own. In some instances, illegal practices or customs of one nation are completely lawful and acceptable in another. As members of an international organization dedicated to world understanding and peace, it behooves Rotarians to exercise restraint in judging our Rotary friends and citizens from other countries when their behavior seems unusual to us.

A Rotary policy has existed for more than half a century relating to this dilemma of international relationships. The statement, adopted in 1933, says that because it is recognized that some activities and local customs may be legal and customary in some countries and not in others, Rotarians should be guided by this admonition of tolerance: "Rotarians in all countries should recognize these facts and there should be a thoughtful avoidance of criticism of the laws and customs of one country by the Rotarians of another country."

The policy also cautions against "any effort on the part of Rotarians of one country to interfere with the laws or customs of another country." As we strive to strengthen the bonds of understanding, goodwill and friendship, these policies still provide good advice and guidance.

Recognize Anyone?!?

KILT'ING IT!!!

This picture is from last month's District's Foundation Dinner...Look at all those knees!!!





Click on "Read More" if you need the answer to which RCA members are seen here.
[Read More](#)

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.