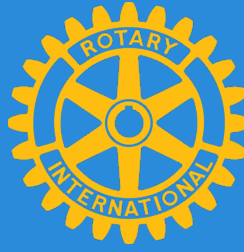


ROTARY REMINDER

Club 63, District 5870

Rotary
Club of Austin



Rotary Meeting Speaker - Changing of the guard

By Matthew Dargis on Sunday, June 15, 2025



Club Meetings/Speakers

June 17, 2025
Changing of the Guard

June 24, 2025
Katy Zamesnik, Taylor
Collective Solutions
"Unconventional" Center
(speaking about
Downtown Austin's
Convention Center
demolition and
reconstruction)

Other Meetings/Events

June 17th
RCA Board of
Directors Meeting

June 26th
North Breakfast
Cluster

Club Officers

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Cynthia Brummer
President-Elect
Harold F. Ingersoll Jr.
Club Foundation (ARCF)
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President-Nominee
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President-Designee
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iPast President
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Club Director
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Club Director
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VP

Rotary Serving & Media Weekly Update



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PDG Scott Rainey
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Avenue VP

Andrew Swanson
Club Foundation (ARCF)
Trustee
Vocational Service
Avenue VP

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Club Foundation (ARCF)
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Club Foundation (ARCF)
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Trustee

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Trustee

Jaime Phillips
Club Foundation (ARCF)
Trustee

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Barclay IV
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Michael Abelson
Club Programs Chair

W. Gaines Bagby
Rotary Foundation
(TRF) Liaison

Jennifer Olsen
Club Executive
Secretary
Club Secretary
Executive Director

Birthdays

Josue Limon
June 22nd

Cynthia Brummer
June 23rd

Charles W. Doty
June 24th

Teresa R. Taylor
June 28th

Robert Brown
June 30th

Robert H. Bowman
July 1st

Jacob Vasquez
July 3rd

Sharon Francia
July 5th

Laraine Kentridge
Lasdon

July 6th

Myron Burse
July 8th

Barry C. Curlee Sr.
July 12th

Kathleen Ford Bay
July 14th



The Rotary Club of Austin hosted a Splash Bash for the children at the Helping Hand Home on Saturday. We had two large water slides, a Photo Booth where the kids could dress up in costumes and have their pictures taken. The arts & craft booth had frames for them to decorate so they could put their pictures up in their rooms. And at the end of the fun day we had snow-cones and hamburgers cooked on a grill. It was a great way to help get the summer starters for these special kids. Thank you Team Rotary! Great job.

Next Week's Speaker/Program Preview - Katy Zamesnik

By Matthew Dargis on Sunday, June 15, 2025



Club Meeting Details: Join us in-person or on Zoom!

This week's meeting will be held in-person at Ben Hur Shrine Temple (7811 Rockwood Lane, Austin, Texas) and also live-streamed on Zoom!! **Note: A link to last week's Zoom meeting recording is included below.**

For those of you who can't join us in-person, you're invited to LIVE-STREAM our 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.*****

QuickLink:

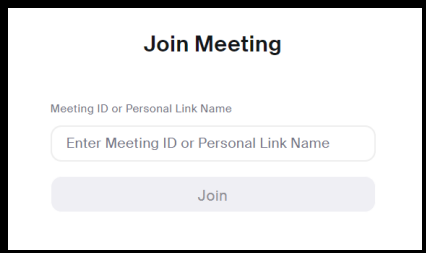
<https://rotary-austin-org.zoom.us/j/85690378301?pwd=bXMxcDBqK1drNmNqZW1ZV3JIZ2FFdz09>

IMPORTANT STEPS TO CONNECT TO OUR WEEKLY MEETING, USING THE FOLLOWING MEETING ID & PASSWORD TO LOGIN:

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**)

IMPORTANT: We'll have complimentary cookies, coffee, tea or water available at the meeting. If you'd like a full meal, however, please bring your own lunch with you, or you can order from Jack Allen's Kitchen on Anderson Lane and have it delivered. Click [HERE](#) for instructions on ordering.



Did you miss last week's meeting or want to view the presentation? Here is the Zoom recording of [Dr. William Cunningham, Former UT President and Chancellor](#)

Proposed RCA By-Laws Change/Update

The Rotary Club of Austin's Board of Directors is recommending the following change to our club's By-Laws, with a vote by members conducted IN-PERSON on Tuesday, June 17, 2025:

*To strengthen RCA's leadership structure and develop a more effective continuity of leaders, the current Board of Directors proposes a By-Laws change to **ARTICLE V – Election of President and Directors, Sections 1 – Nominations and 2 – Elections:***

Section 1—Minimum qualifications for President-Designee (“P-D”) shall be a member in good standing in the Rotary Club of Austin for at least five years by the time the P-D begins his/her term as President-Elect and served as an officer or director prior to their nomination.

The P-D elected in December of year one becomes the President-Nominee on July 1 of year two. After serving a year as President-Nominee, this person becomes the President-Elect on July 1 of year 3 and then becomes the President on July 1 of year four. The P-D automatically follows this cycle (Designee to Nominee to Elect to President) without additional elections required. The P-D will serve as a non-voting member of the Board.

Section 2—The date for the election of the P-D shall be determined by the Board of Directors...and shall not be later than the third meeting of the Club in December of the year before the year in which the President-Nominee will take office.

Please contact President Darrick if you have questions about this proposed change to RCA's By-Laws.

DON'T FORGET -- We have a NEW Member Incentive Plan for 2025-2026!!!

DON'T FORGET ABOUT OUR EXCITING NEW Membership Incentive Plan that provides you with an easy way to earn back a refund of almost 100% of your 2025-2026 RCA Member Dues!

NEW MEMBER RECRUITMENT INCENTIVE PROGRAM



- Beginning NOW – until June 30, 2026
- Bring in 2 new members - Get a rebate of ½ of your **2025-2026 local dues** –
- Local dues are \$698.50
 - Rebate is \$349.25 for 2 members
 - \$698.50 for 4 new members

If you'd like to learn more, just click the "Read More" link below... [Read More](#)

RCA Sounding Board – Chat with President-Elect Cindy!



Have thoughts, ideas, or questions about our club? I'm here to listen! Whether you have suggestions for the future of RCA or just want to connect, I'd love to hear from you. [Read More](#)

Promote your business, support our Club!



- * Advertising space costs only \$250 for 6 months of promotion (\$500/yr)!
- * ALL PROCEEDS go toward helping CLUB OPERATIONS!
- * Contact the Rotary Office for details.

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ROTARY CARES HOW YOU'RE DOING!!!

HOW ARE THINGS IN YOUR LIFE?!?

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)



ROTARY CARES

Ordering Your Tuesday Lunch For Delivery From Jack Allen's Kitchen

YES, THE RUMORS ARE TRUE...LUNCHES HAVE RETURNED TO THE ROTARY CLUB OF AUSTIN!



If you're planning to attend one of our regularly scheduled Tuesday Rotary meetings and would like to enjoy a meal, you can pre-order one from Jack Allen's Kitchen on Anderson Lane and have it delivered directly to Ben Hur! Or, if you're not hungry, you can skip lunch and grab a complimentary cookie and/or coffee, tea or water instead.

It's easy, and you can order from your PC or even your smartphone! ***If you've ordered before and remember what to enter for delivery, just click the Jack Allen's Kitchen icon (or go to www.jackallenskitchen.com).***

IMPORTANT NOTE: Lunch orders are only accepted on Tuesday mornings for same-day delivery and must be placed no later than 10:30 am!

If you've never ordered before, or if you've forgotten how, here are the instructions (*including HOW and WHAT to specify that your order is for delivery*) --> **Steps to Order Rotary Lunch**

All meals will be "made-to-order" from Jack Allen's Kitchen on Anderson Lane (across the street from Ben Hur) and will be delivered by them, too. Each will be individually packaged and labeled with your name.

One Austin icon serving another Austin icon...Don't you just love this town?!?

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.