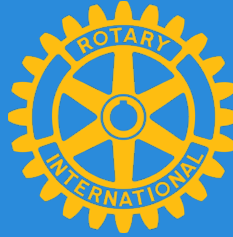


ROTARY REMINDER

Club 63, District 5870

Rotary
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Supporting Texas

Here are some ways to support our local Texans through these difficult times, and thank you, as always, for your generosity.

Club Meetings/Speakers

July 08, 2025

2025-26 President

Cindy Brummer

Looking Forward to the
Year Ahead/State of the
Club

July 15, 2025

Eamon Carrig, ICON's

Senior Director of Off-

Planet Systems

Developing technologies
for extending the built
environment on the
lunar surface and
beyond

July 22, 2025

Loren Steffy, Stony

Creek Publishing

July 29, 2025

Kristi Recker, RBI Austin

August 05, 2025

Fort Cavazos (formerly

Fort Hood) & RCA's

Operation Vacation

Other Meetings/Events

July 9th

Downtown Austin

Breakfast Cluster

July 15th

RCA Board of

Directors Meeting

July 29th

Austin Rotary Club

Foundation (ARCF)

Board of Trustees

Meeting

Club Officers

Cynthia Brummer

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Jr.

President-Elect

Ellen P Hunt

President-Nominee

Darrick Wayne

Eugene

iPast President

Mary Bird Bowman

Club Foundation (ARCF)

Treasurer

Club Secretary

Club Treasurer

Thomas Anderson

Club Director

Leslie Gwinn Bagby

Club Director

1) Fellow Rotarian from Houston, Wayne Beaumier, leads Distater Aid USA

https://disasteraidusa.networkforgood.com/projects/249980-texas-flooding?fbclid=IwY2xjawLXWCNleHRuA2FibQ1xMQBi_cmlkETfZNk1TS1pKakhWSmxmdUNZAR_6N-FRiTc4mmiAuGG2gefPkezA-OEGcQaNHbfTrShiyofKfOSHUBwRteL_JtiQ_aem_GeRxJ37mGpxix0ukVV24kw

2) Rotary International District 5840 501c3

Donation: District 5840

<https://rotary5840.org/donate/district-5840-disaster-relief/>

3) Rotary District 5870 Texas Flood Victims Support Campaign

<https://www.zeffy.com/en-US/donation-form/texas-flood-victim-support-campaign>

July 1st, 2025 Meeting Summary

Welcoming Cynthia ("Cindy") Brummer, 2025-26 President of the Rotary Club of Austin

With her usual flare for the original and in honor of July 4th, American Independence Day, President Brummer invited Tuesday's attendees to sing the National Anthem instead of the Pledge of Allegiance, and members took to the task with relish! Thank you, Cindy, for taking a moment to acknowledge the history of our great nation. Next Mark Johnson lead us in the Four Way Test, Matthew Peterson lead us in a moment of reflection, and the unflappable Carl Noble recognized our guests and visitors.

Next with the "Unite for Good" slogan as a backdrop, President Brummer shared a little about herself and her road to the Rotary Presidency. Cindy told of her dream to be a journalist and ultimately becoming a TV news producer. Along the way she founded a non-profit, produced a documentary, took kung fu and learned and taught boxing. One-day she looked at her husband, Andy, and said "I want to go back to Austin." He said, "oh, Thank God!"

When she returned to Austin, a parenting class taught her to embrace curiosity and experimentation. This learning mindset shaped who she is and led her to be a designer.

She stressed how the world has never been safer or more connected, even though it might not feel that way. This closeness and connectedness enables like minded people like Rotarians to have a greater impact across the globe. However, we can't stay still. She acknowledged how the world has changed and continues to change and how even in her industry change is happening at a frightening pace. Therefore, it is up to Rotarians to bring hope and relief in a changing world.

In Rotary we will face ambiguity and change, however the ability to adapt to change is why we are successful. President Brummer acknowledged that you will notice some changes this year and some may be uncomfortable and some might not work. But if they are given a chance those that work can make our club better.

Finally, Cindy rallied the audience, stating this Rotary year is full of possibilities, and we're going to try new things. President Brummer invited us to travel with her, offer continuous feedback and work to make the club, the community and the world a better place for all.

Next, President Brummer thanked and introduced the 2025-2026 leadership team:

RCA Board Members

- Corey Wilson
- Lesley Bagby
- Mark Johnson
- Naomi Bourgeois
- Tom Anderson
- Andy Barclay

Executive Leadership Team

- Teresa Taylor – Executive Director
- Harold Ingersoll – President Elect
- Mary Bird Bowman – Secretary/Treasurer
- Service Avenue Vice Presidents
- Ann Marie Ellis - Global
- Mary Reynolds – Community Service
- Jill Johnson and Teresa Finney – Club Service
- David Menchaca & Rick Rowell - Vocational
- Scott Rainey – Membership

By Matthew Dargis on Sunday, July 6, 2025



Meet Eamon Carrig, Senior Director of Off-planet Systems, who is developing technologies for extending the built environment on the lunar surface and beyond.

<https://www.linkedin.com/feed/update/urn:li:activity:7227758807475441664/>

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=bXMxcDBqK1drNmNqZW1ZV3JlZ2FFdz09>

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.

Join Meeting

Meeting ID or Personal Link Name

Join

Did you miss last week's meeting or want to view the presentation? Here is the Zoom recording of [TiWanna Kenney - Employee Engagement](#)

Prospective Member(s) 10-Day Notice(s)

Per the request of the Board of Directors, all prospective/transferring members will now be posted in the *Rotary Reminder* (newsletter) for an open review period by all members. We've received the following Proposed Member Application(s) for consideration:

Tim Parker (Sponsored by Carl Noble)

Please notify **Teresa Taylor**, RCA's Executive Director, if you have anything you'd like to share about **Tim**.

Here's a little about Tim (from his member application): I am a previous member of the Rotary Club of Alamo Heights. I am a civil engineer with multiple degrees from Texas Tech. I have 2 children - My son is 18, in college and a wrestler. My daughter is 16 and into musical theater. I am the Area Leader for RS&H.

My interests: Faith, family, fitness, friends, finance. I have designed and built several residential homes over the years and

enjoy the creative process in both home building and the arts.

Why Did I Join Rotary? Several key people in my life were Rotarians and, at a young age, I recognized it was a big deal. Apart from serving as DG 5520 2010-11, and 26 years of perfect attendance, I was invited into membership by the Rotary Club of Dubbo, Inc, Dubbo, NSW, Australia March 8, 1999 at 28 years of age. Additionally, I served: Preston Center Rotary (Dallas, Sgt. at Arms), Roswell Sunrise Rotary (Roswell, Charter President), Albuquerque del Sol (Albuquerque, NM), Pecos Valley Rotary (Roswell) until I moved to San Antonio, where I was invited into membership by my classmate and top reference Stephanie Macchia (PDG 5840 2010-11). Past service includes board positions with Hike It & Spike It, Conquistador Council BSA, Character Counts in Chaves County, among others.

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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.