## 2016 DISTRICT CONFERENCE – ROTARY DISTRICT 6860

## **Pre-conference Events**

Thursday, May 5

3:30-5:30 Welcome. Check-in and Registration, Lobby Fountain 5:30-6:00 RLI Reception (Invitation only), Big Spring CD

**6:00-6:30** All Conference Reception for President's Representative, Big

Spring CD,

6:30-9:00 Evening Choices:

Enjoy Huntsville's dining and nightlife

Brewery Crawl in downtown Huntsville...Bus, Hotel

Entrance

PDG Appreciation Dinner (Invitation Only) Regions Tower

**9:00-10:30** Hospitality Suite open – Executive Suite 202

Friday, May 6

**8:00-11-00** Welcome. Check-in and Registration, Lobby Fountain

**District Conference Opens** 

8:30-9:45 Plenary Session 1 – Big Spring CD

Welcome and Pledge of Allegiance

President's Rep Remarks, Elizabeth Cullen, Rotary Club of

Newburyport, MA

Rotary Mentors and Partnerships, Birmingham Rotaract and

Rotary Club Awards Door Prizes

9:45-10:15 Break and Visit Exhibits

**10:15-11:30** Plenary Session 1 Continues – Big Spring CD

Welcome

Rotary Peace Centers Peacebuilder District

Polio Status Update

"Pennies for Polio" presentation

International Projects – Shades Valley, Decatur Daybreak,

Trussville Noon

12:00-1:45 Be a Gift to the World - All Club Luncheon - Von Braun Civic

Center

Welcome and Pledge of Allegiance

Huntsville Mayor Tommy Battle Remarks

Invocation Lunch is served Entertainment

Jim Hudson, Co-Founder of HudsonAlpha, Institute of

Biotechnology

**Individual Award presentations** 

Recognitions

4-Way Test

2:00-3:15 Plenary Session 2 – Big Spring CD

Welcome

The Rotary Foundation

Local Service Projects – Alexander City, Centre, Guntersville,

North Jefferson, Tuscaloosa Morning

Awards Door Prizes

3:15-3:30 Break and Visit Exhibits – Big Spring Pre-Function Area

3:30-4:00 Youth Summit Closing – Big Spring CD

Welcome

Youth Summit Report New Interact Club

**RYLA** 

RYLA /Interact Ribbons Presentation

4:00-6:30 Engagement and Relaxation

Participate in Service Project, "Heels for HEALS" – Madison

Boardroom

Visit the displays – Big Spring Pre-Conference Area

Tour city, museums, shop, leisure (Information in Welcome

Bag)

Manager's Reception, Hotel coupon, 5:30-6:30

6:30-9:00 Space & Rocket Center Dinner and Tour - Davidson Center Board buses at hotel entrance and travel to Space & Rocket

Center

7:00-9:00 "Barbecue and Bluegrass", Mountain Top Band

Dinner and tour of the Davidson Center and Grounds

**8:30-9:00** Board buses and return to the Embassy Suites **9:00-10:30** Hospitality Suite open – Executive Suite 202

Saturday, May 7, 2016

8:30-9:50 Plenary Session 3 – Big Spring CD

Welcome and Pledge of Allegiance

Membership Update Satellite Club Initiative

2015-2016 RLI Graduation Recognitions

Council on Legislation Report Public Relations Recognition

Awards Door Prizes

**9:50-10:00 Break** – Big Spring Pre-Function Area

**10:00-11:30** Plenary Session 3 Continues – Big Spring CD

**10:00-10:30** Celebration of Life

**10:30-11:30** District Business Meeting

Annual Statement of Finances Presentation of 2016-2017 Budget

## On to Atlanta, 2017 International Convention H.E.A.L. S.-Presentation of Service Project

11:30-1:30 Governor's Luncheon – Big Spring AB

Welcome, Pledge of Allegiance and Invocation

Lunch is served Entertainment

Dr. Deborah Barnhart, CEO, U S Space & Rocket Center

District Citation Award

RI President's Representative Closing Remarks

Presentation of Gifts

Recognitions and Reflections

Door Prizes 4-Way Test

Thank you for attending the 2016 District Conference. Travel home safely.