

Del Rotario

The voice of the Del Rio Rotary Club



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Of
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Programs

There wasn't a program this week, but a great time had by all who attended the Christmas Party at the Country Club.

Tasty food. Great music and dancing for everyone.

**Merry Christmas
and a very
Happy New Year.**

We are, as usual, in need of members to help at our New Years Eve fundraiser dance at the Civic Center. We need ticket sellers and concession personnel. As always you can work for a short time then go to the dance, music by Bo Hutto. We are not selling beer, only set ups and snacks. This

should be a fun time for everyone and all proceeds will go to our Scholarship Fund. Signup at the meeting and do your part.

If you want to buy a table for eight, the price is \$150.00 and you can be billed for the tickets.

The election of officers was held at the last meeting. President David Ortiz will have as his crew, President Elect-Deborah Draper, Secretary-Tony Hernandez, Treasurer-Cheryl Johnson, and Glenn Boyd has agreed to return as Sgt-at-arms.

Directors selected were Rita Daniels, Kurt Lemp, Bill Heilner and Belinda Reyes.

Congratulations to all. They are a fine group and will handle the important duties that will be required of them.

F.Y.I.

Our club is near getting into operation "The Del Rio Rotary Club Foundation". When we are fully operational, there may be several things we may consider of utmost importance of what we can accomplish on our own rather than send our monies to The Rotary Foundation. The money we send to Chicago could go a long way to building our own coffers and give us complete control of where our funds go and who we deem of importance to receive our aid.

Note: Be aware that this is the opinion of one member, me, but an opinion that could possibly be shared by others. The choices will be ours.

For those who do not know about our Del Rio Rotary Club Foundation, be advised that your board has taken the steps necessary to have us registered with the Secretary of State as a 401 c-3 Foundation. That is a tax free corporation.

Del Rio Rotary

www.delriorotary.com

President.....Najla Weathersbee

President-Elect.....David Ortiz

Secretary.....Deborah Draper

Treasurer.....Cheryl Johnson

Past PresKurt Lemp

Sgt-at-ArmsGlenn Boyd

Exec Sec/Treasurer .

Fred Bowers

Directors:

Pat Bowers

Mike Coplan

Danielle Hill

Jennifer Ramage

Rey Sanchez

Of Special Interest

We passed out Thanksgiving baskets were passed out to the tenants of Rotary Village on the Saturday before Thanksgiving Day. The tenants were very grateful for the gifts, and were also appreciative when we passed out gift cards before Christmas. The club membership was very generous in the spirit of Christmas and paid for the gift card through donations. A Ho! Ho! Happy Christmas to all.

Member News

Sergeant-at-Arms Report for :
12/1/2009 ..12/31/2009

Member Birthdays:

Tohco Arranaga	12/2
Otila Gonzalez	12/13
Haygood Gullely	12/29
David Ortiz	12/03
Jonathon Pina	12/12
Joe SanMiguel	12/21
Rey Sanchez	12/05

Partner Birthdays

Becky	Jeff Ayers	12/12
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Wedding Anniversaries:

Jeff & Becky Ayers	05	12
Blake and Jacqueline Lewis	14	13
Jim & lee Schwertfeger	23	

Club Anniversaries

Member	Date	Years
Jeff Ayers	02	1
Deborah Draper	14	10
Brenda Hunter	14	10
Jeff Mahl	17	18
Joe San Miguel	18	26

PERKS of growing older

1. In a hostage situation you are likely to be released first.
2. People call at 9 P.M. and ask, "Did I wake you?"

A Rotary Moment



Positive Steps in our battle to Eradicate Polio

Polio is more geographically focused than ever before, and political commitment in the polio-endemic countries is stronger than ever, yet some challenges remain.

We must keep our promise to eradicate polio.

Rotary is not alone in its effort to eradicate polio. We are one of four spearheading partners of the Global

We have made the commitment to donate a minimum of \$1000.00 for the next three years. Thirty three of our members donate \$10.00 each month. Why not help bring that total to 100% of our club and really do all we can to help in this endeavor.

Rotary International

www.rotary.org

International President.....John Kerry

District 5840

www.rotary5840.org

Governor..... Clarence "Reggie" Williams

Asst District Governor...Evelyn Barbutti

The 4-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 and Better Friendships?
4. Will it be Beneficial to All Concerned?

Attendance Statistics...as of 12/08/2009

Members	Attendance PERCENT		
Abbott, Emile	90	Hill, Danielle	90
Arranaga, Tocho	0	Hill, Randy	45
Ayers, Jeff	40	Hunt, Loral	55
Beavan, Rachel	20	Hunter, Brenda	65
Bishop, Bob	80	Johnson, Cheryl	100
Bonnee, Michael	55	Khoury, Nick	30
Bowers, Fred	100	Lemp, Kurt	100
Bowers, Pat	100	Lewis, Bill	95
Boyd, Glenn	100	Lewis, Blake	85
Cadena, Val	100	Mahl, Jeff	95
Cadena Jr., Val	100	Mariner, Larry	85
Campos, Aida	80	Martinez, Abner	60
Clayton, Jan	100	Martinez, Maria	40
Collins, Frances	15	Montemayor, Irma	70
Cooper, Emily	80	O'Leary, Harold	100
Cooper, Kelt	67	Ortiz, David	100
Coplan, Mike	85	Ortiz, Roxy	100
Cox, Alan	100	Palafax, Jose	25
Daniels, Rita	95	Perches, Crystal	81
Davenport, Polly	70	Perez, Melissa Ann	65
DeLaMota, Jacques	70	Pina, Jonathan	35
Del Rio, Polo	58	Plumb, John	5
Delagrange, Laurent	80	Prather, Angela	90
Delgado, Fred	60	Ramage, Jennifer	100
Draper, Deborah	100	Reyes, Belinda	45
Fernandez, Terry	60	Rodriguez, Frances	20
Garcia, Elena	35	Rutigliano, Chester	90
George, Philip	25	San Miguel, Joe	65
Igonzalez, Otila	55	Sanchez, Rey	100
Guerra, Claudia	85	Schwertfeger, Lee	50
Gullely, Haygood	70	Sontag, Bill	85
Heide, Adriana	100	Sontag, John	95
Heilner, Bill	80	Stehle, Garry	45
Hernandez, Tony	100	Taylor, Susan	0
		Taylor, Tommy	15
		Weathersbee, Najla	100
		Williams, Hugh	95
		Wilson, Gerald	95

Total Members: 73

Credit attendance 53

Attendance %: 71

Make-up Opportunities

- Monday: Uvalde
- Wednesday: Eagle Pass
- Thursday: Brackettville or Acuña
- 2nd Mondays: Board
- 3rd Thursdays: Rotary Housing Board
- On the web:

[Rotary E Club One](#)

Jan Clayton does makeups often at Rotary EClub One. If you need a make up, you may care to contact Jan and ask her about this method of making up.

SCHOLARSHIP LUNCH BUCKET

15/15/09 = \$821.00

Bucket = \$62.00

New total for

12/25/09

\$883.00

There was no Scholarship Bucket Donations or drawing at the Christmas Party.

Total remains at \$883.00

Al Padilla won for the third time and donated his winning to the Scholarship Fund.

