



# McKinney Sunrise Rotary Club Sunrise Sentinel

April 19, 2017

## Officers and Directors 2016 – 2017

President	Juli Smith
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## Club Meeting Time and Location

07:30 Wednesday Morning  
Eldorado Country Club  
McKinney, TX

## Today's Program

Nathan White



## Past Presidents

2015-16.....	Larry Offerdahl
2014-15.....	Steve Mitas
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2005-06.....	K. Lyle Froese
2004-05.....	Timothy Kocsis
2003-04.....	Scott Dillashaw
2002-03.....	Linda Paluga
2001-02.....	Steven Mitas
2000-01.....	Jeff Caserotti

## Rotary Trip to Cuba

## Rotary District 5810

District Governor.....	Bill Dendy, E Club
District Governor Elect .....	Rick Amsberry, Park Cities Rotary
District Governor Nominee..	Beverly Grogan, Grand Prairie Mtr

## Rotary International

President.....John F. Germ, Chattanooga, Tenn. Rotary Club

The Four Way Test  
of the things we think say or 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



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## Judge Nathan White – Rotary Trip to Cuba



After a tour of Camaguey and before the service projects, Rotarians and friends delivered medical supplies from Baylor, along with many personal items brought by Rotarians for the people of Cespedes



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## McKinney Sunrise Rotary upcoming Activities

McKinney Sunrise Rotarians: Please sign up for the following events!

What: Pub Night Social

Where: Delaney's Pub (Market Street Shopping Center)

Date: Wednesday, April 26

Time: 6:00 – 8:00 PM

\*\*\*No breakfast meeting on April 26. Rotarians will receive a \$10 bill to purchase a drink; however, you will need to start a tab if you order additional food and drink. Appetizers will be available and spouses, potential members and guests are invited. No children, please.

What: Community Yard Sale to Benefit the All-Abilities Playground

Where: Stonebridge UMC Parking Lot, 1800 S. Stonebridge Drive

Date: Saturday, April 29

Time: Four Shifts from 5:30 AM until 1:30 PM (Sign up for a 2-hour shift.)

Food Trucks and the Holy Smokers will have food available for purchase.

\*\*\*Bill Smith has rented a storage shed at Cube Storage for your donations. Please contact him at 985-774-4048 (cell) for more information and assistance on getting your stuff to the shed before April 29.

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## First Reading for Jon Fontenot

Jon Fontenot has been proposed for Membership by Pamela Zeigler-Petty. He is a resident of McKinney and is the owner of Fontenot & Associates Recruiting. His classification would be Staffing – Executive Placement. If you have questions or concerns regarding this proposed member, please see proposer Pamela Zeigler-Petty or Membership Chair Bill Smith.

## Sustainable projects earn top Rotaract honors

The 2017 Rotaract Outstanding Project Award recognized the [Rotaract Club of the University of Moratuwa](#), Sri Lanka, for launching a three-year project to improve lives in the rural community of Ranugalla. The club, which represents Rotary District 3220 (Sri Lanka), hopes to empower residents through sustainable education and economic development initiatives.

During its first year, the club opened a library and science lab for the local school and helped students prepare for college entrance exams and careers. It also targeted infrastructure, bringing clean water into homes and building bridges to link neighborhoods flooded during the rainy season. To stimulate economic growth, the club opened a weaving cooperative for female entrepreneurs.

"Rather than initiating a project to donate materials, we thought a project to address all the issues in the village would be much more beneficial to all," says Chamal Kuruppu, president of the University of Moratuwa Rotaract club.

Best multidistrict project went to Rotaractors in Brazil for their campaign to combat hate crimes in online communities. More than 1,000 Rotaract members from 34 Brazilian districts planned activities during World Rotaract Week in 2016, adapting the campaign to their communities — such as partnering with a university to design a workshop series on Internet hate crimes — and using their social networks to spread messages of diversity, inclusion, and peace.

This year, over 300 projects were nominated in 52 countries. The awards recognize the best single-club project, best multidistrict project, and outstanding service projects in each of six geographical regions. The best single-club project and best multidistrict project receive \$500 each for future service activities and will be invited to inspire other Rotaractors at the [Rotaract Preconvention](#) in Atlanta.

These clubs received regional recognition:

### **Asia Pacific: Rotaract Club of ePerformax, District 3810, Philippines**

The [Rotaract Club of ePerformax](#), in collaboration with its sponsor Rotary club, the Rotarian Action Group Against Slavery, and local police, developed a curriculum to support young



The Rotaract Club of the University of Lethbridge renovated kindergarten facilities in Mazatlan, Mexico.

The Rotaract Club of the University of Lethbridge



The Rotaract Club of Izmir Ekonomi hosted workshops in two primary schools to help Syrian and Turkish children overcome their differences.

The Rotaract Club of Izmir Ekonomi

The ongoing conflict and refugee crisis in Syria has affected nearly everyone in neighboring Turkey, including its schoolchildren. To help Syrian and Turkish students overcome their differences and focus on their shared human rights, the [Rotaract Club of Izmir Ekonomi](#) hosted workshops in two primary schools. After the workshops, which were organized with help from the Council of Europe, the European Law Students' Association, the United Nations, and child psychologists, the young students were asked to express their feelings through painting. "We saw in the paintings that their thoughts changed in a positive way," said a member of the Rotaract club.

### **Sub-Saharan Africa: Rotaract Club of Cotonou Phare, District 9102, Benin**

The Rotaract Club of Cotonou Phare undertook a multiphase project to bring clean water and improved sanitation facilities to a local orphanage. The first phase involved drilling a well for the facility's kitchen and bathrooms. In the second, club members worked

people's emotional and physical well-being. Club members not only trained young people to recognize bullying and defuse situations that could become dangerous, but also created a school garden to keep them active, healthy, and self-sufficient.

### **South Asia: Rotaract Club of Lote, District 3170, India**

For years, the rural community of Gavathan, India, has had a river winding through it, but no clean water or electricity. The [Rotaract Club of Lote](#) sought to harness the river's natural resource to improve lives. Its project resulted in the construction of a small dam, pipes for irrigating crops, and a turbine-operated plant that is powering 61 streetlights.

### **Europe, Middle East, and Central Asia: Rotaract Club of Izmir Ekonomi, District 2440, Turkey**



The Rotaract Club of the University of Moratuwa, Sri Lanka, built a library, science lab, and bridges, and launched a weaving cooperative in a rural village. Rotary has honored the club with the 2017 Rotaract Outstanding Project Award.

The Rotaract Club of the University of Moratuwa, Sri Lanka

with their sponsor Rotary club and other service organizations to refurbish the toilets.

**Latin America: Rotaract Club of Pau dos Ferros, District 4500, Brazil**

More than 25 organizations and businesses supported the [Rotaract Club of Pau dos Ferros](#) in its efforts to boost the rural community of Varzea Nova. Over 13 months, the club helped establish Internet connectivity in the town, provided medical exams and services, led childhood education sessions for infants and parents, organized vocational training for adults, and hosted a cultural festival.

**USA, Canada, and Caribbean: Rotaract Club of the University of Lethbridge, District 5360, Canada**

Rotaractors from the [University of Lethbridge in Alberta](#) raised \$36,500 to update kindergarten facilities in the community of Mazatlan, Mexico. By collaborating with the local government and Rotary clubs, Rotaractors ensured that the funds were used for teachers' salaries and for buying new plumbing and classroom spaces for about 70 students.

**Area Meeting Makeup Locations**

<i>Monday</i>	<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Friday</i>
<p><b>11:45</b> Farmers Branch Rotary Club, Holiday Inn Select Galleria Area 2645 LBJ Freeway Dallas, Texas</p> <p><b>Noon</b> Richardson Rotary Club Canyon Creek Country Club 625 Lookout Drive</p> <p>Edited 9/9/15</p>	<p><b>7:30 AM</b> Frisco Sunrise Rotary Club Randy's Steakhouse, 7026 W. Main St.</p> <p><b>Noon</b> Farmersville Rotary O.E. Carlisle Civic Center 201 Orange St.</p> <p><b>Noon</b> Plano West Rotary Greek Isle Rest. @ 3309 N. Central Expressway</p> <p><b>7:00 PM</b> Dallas Evening Rotary La Calle Dolce 415 W. 12<sup>th</sup> Dallas, Tx</p>	<p><b>7:30 AM</b> Prosper Rotary Club Cotton Gin Cafe@ 204 W. Broadway</p> <p><b>Noon</b> Allen Rotary Club Courtyard by Marriott @ 210 E. Stacy Road</p> <p><b>Noon</b> Prestonwood Rotary Club Prestonwood CC 15909 Preston Rd., Dallas</p> <p><b>Noon</b> Richardson East Rotary Club Canyon Creek CC 625 Lookout Drive.</p>	<p><b>Noon</b> Frisco Rotary Dave &amp; Busters Stonebriar Centre</p> <p><b>Noon</b> Hurricane Creek Rotary 1800 Fairway Lane Anna</p> <p><b>Noon</b> Plano Rotary Club Southfork Hotel 1600 N. Central Expressway</p> <p><b>7:30 AM</b> Melissa Rotary First Baptist Church 2101 E Melissa Rd</p> <p><b>5:15 PM</b> McKinney Sunset Hampton Inn 2008 N. Central Expressway McKinney</p>	<p><b>7 AM</b> Plano Sunrise Tino's Two Restaurant 2205 Avenue K</p> <p><b>Noon</b> McKinney Rotary Club Ricks Chop House 107 N Kentucky st.</p> <p><b>Noon</b> Richardson Central Hyatt Regency-North Dallas Hotel 701 E. Campbell</p> <p><b>Noon</b> Park Cities Maggiano's Little Italy 205 North Park Center, Dallas</p> <p><b>Noon</b> Celina Rotary 320 S. Preston Rd TX Star Bank</p>
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## Heads Up! Programs and Events

April 19-----Nathan's White Rotary Service Trip to Cuba

April 20-----Susan Lavery – Kiddo Comforts

April 26-----Pub Night to Replace Meeting

April 27-----Club Assembly

May 3-----Michael Hasty (Grand Prairie) Smiles

May 4-----Amanda Hall – Camp Craig Allen

April Basket Charity – Habitat Project

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## Today's Thoughts in Honor of ....

### Volunteer Recognition Day – April 20

Wherever a man turns he can find someone who needs him.

- **Albert Schweitzer (1875 – 1965)**

### World Penguin Day – April 25

"Penguins mate for life. That doesn't surprise me much because they all look alike. It's not like they're going to meet a really new, great looking penguin someday."

- **Anonymous**

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Two boys were walking home from Sunday school after hearing a strong preaching on the devil.

One said to the other, "What do you think about all this Satan stuff?"

The other boy replied, "Well, you know how Santa Claus and the Tooth Fairy turned out. It's probably just your Dad."



<b>Member Name</b>	<b>Work</b>	<b>Home</b>	<b>Cell</b>	<b>Classification</b>
Fred Bahrenburg			469-506-3346	TV Cable Installation, ret.
Bill Bilyeu	972-548-4698	214-686-1329	214-686-1329	Collin Co. Admin
Jeff Caserotti	972-548-1199		214-850-4841	Auto Insurance
Trevor Castilla	972-569-9193	972-529-6534	469-371-5409	Civil Engineer
Weldon Copeland	972-548-3811	972-562-0838		Judge – Probate
Phyllis Davis			972-658-5800	Real Estate Broker
Ruben Delgado	972-548-3728	972-548-0326	214-686-6998	County Engineer
Lyle Froese		972-569-8843	972-523-8350	Ed Admin
Sandi Froese	903-815-4779	972-569-8843	903-815-4779	Ed Admin
Marc-Andre Gagnon		214-227-6744	469-247-1894	Leadership – Bus Consult
Joe Jaynes			469-853-8760	Educator
Stacey Kemp	972-548-4136	972-837-2534	214-356-4808	County Govt. Admin.
Tim Kocsis	972-547-6404	972-838-1808	972-670-3850	Comp. Programmer
Chuck Koehler	214-449-6868	972-529-1110	214-449-6868	Financial Mgmt
Brian Loughmiller	972-529-5554	972-529-9030	214-924-6900	Atty – Family Law
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Steve Mitas	972-547-6404	972-837-4474	972-670-1197	Comp. Software
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Larry Offerdahl		972-562-5722	806-672-0680	Retired Parks and Rec
Scott Parker	214-385-4142	972-727-9852	214-287-0737	Financial Consultant
Tom Parker	972-540-2180	972-540-2180	972-832-5590	Ed. Admin – Pers.
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Shane Williams	972-548-4419			Law Enforcement/Constab
Bobbi Wright			707-245-8212	Escrow Officer
Pamela Zeigler-Petty	972-407-3643		214-471-3830	Bank Mgt – Bus. Banking
Connie Zeigler				Auto Finance Manager

### **Honorary Members**

Connie Yeager

*Note: Please notify Dennis Snavelly if there is a change in your phone number or e-mail address. Thank you  
Having your number here makes it a public record, please notify Gary if you prefer not to have it listed here.*