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Scott Becker	972-548-3613	972-984-1817	817-269-0889	Asst. District Attorney
Bill Bilyeu	972-548-4698	214-686-1329	214-686-1329	Collin Co. Admin
Jeff Caserotti	972-548-1199	972-562-7249	214-850-4841	Auto Insurance
Trevor Castilla	972-569-9193	972-529-6534	469-371-5409	Civil Engineer
Donas Cole	972-548-5482	972-548-6908	903-348-3300	Hospital Admin
Weldon Copeland	972-548-3811	972-562-0838		Judge – Probate
Ronald Danforth	972-562-4112	972-562-9790	469-233-3871	Atty – Crim. Law
Phyllis Davis			972-658-5800	Real Estate Broker
Kris Falvo	972-529-2559	214-548-4928	214733-9558	YMCA Exec Director
Tom Flood	214-232-9508	214-232-9508	214-232-9508	Real Estate Broker
Lyle Froese	972-523-8350	972-569-8843	972-523-8350	Ed Admin
Sandi Froese	903-815-4779	972-569-8843	903-815-4779	Ed Admin
Jim Gilmore	972-562-6950	214-544-1361	972-529-8503	Residential Ins
Eric Holt	972-542-4359	972-800-7552	972-800-7552	Financial Advisor
Stacey Kemp	972-548-4136	972-837-2534	214-356-4808	Cnty Govt. Admin
Tim Kocsis	972-547-6404	972-838-1808	972-670-3850	Comp. Programmer
Chuck Koehler		972-529-1110	214-796-0504	Financial Mgmt
Mark Lowe	972-540-2152	972-377-6688	214-870-5959	Trust Officer
Brian Loughmiller	972-529-5554	972-529-9030	214-924-6900	Atty – Family Law
Ed Miles		972-540-1541	214-673-5284	Psychologist
Steve Mitas	972-547-6404	972-838-1807	972-670-1197	Comp. Software
Zan Moltz	972-516-4359	214-726-0599		Atty – Const Law
Bryan Northington	972-569-0170	972-547-4958	469-569-6814	Auto Collision Mgr.
Tom Parker	972-540-2180	972-540-2180	972-824-8661	Ed. Admin – Pers.
Jim Pearson	972-562-9787	214-533-2787	214-533-2787	Real Estate App.
Juli Smith	972-562-6996	972-562-1866	972-658-9977	Non-Profit
Bill Smith	972-838-1313	972-569-8811	985-774-4048	Financial
Gary Taylor	972-548-5140	972-984-1052	972-984-0661	Groc. Store Mgmt
Linda Terry	972-542-5561	972-548-0091	469-450-4100	Fire & Casualty Ins
Nathan White	972-979-9204	972-562-6445	972-979-9204	Judiciary
Connie Yeager	972-529-1351	972-529-1351	214-693-2510	Health Ins. – Ret.
Paul Yeager	972-529-1351	972-529-1351	214-695-0074	City Council – Ret.
Pamela Zeigler-Petty	972-398-4027	972-540-5383		Bank Mgt – Bus. Banking
<b>Honorary Member</b>				
Mary Lou Lee	972-529-1778	972-529-1778	214-733-2084	Printing – Ret. - Honorary

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Having you number here makes it a public record, please notify Gary if you prefer not to have it listed here.*



# Sunrise Sentinel

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## Officers and Directors 2009 – 2010

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## Club Meeting Time and Location

07:30 Wednesday Morning  
Eldorado Country Club  
McKinney, TX

## Today's Program

Sponsored by Bryan Northington



Trey Pierce, Emily Pearce, Taylor Honea  
& Meaghan Dempsey; our Clubs Camp  
Ryla Attendees

## Past Presidents

2008-09.....	Pamela Zeigler-Petty
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## Rotary District 5810

District Governor.....	Dave McSpadden, Waxahachie
District Governor Elect.....	Linda Elliot, Grand Prairie
District Governor Nominee.....	Bud McBrayer, Plano Sunrise

## Rotary International

President..... John Kenny, Grangemouth, Scotland

## 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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## Camp RYLA Attendees

This year our Club had 4 outstanding four outstanding young men and women represents us at Camp RYLA. They all had a great time at camp and are here today to tell us a little bit about their experience there.

Trey Pierce attends Boyd High School and is the Co-Executive Producer for school broadcasting "BNN", is an active member of our Interact Club, member of the National Honor Society, the Environmental Activist Club, and the Health Occupation Students of America. Trey is also the captain of the JV Basketball Team at Boyd.



Emily Pearce attends Boyd High School. She is the secretary of the Student Council, a member of our Interact Club, the Student Senate, the National Honor Society, the Environmental Activist Club and the Key Club. Emily was the team captain for the Varsity Golf Team and was All District in 2008 with the Varsity Tennis Team.



Taylor Honea attends McKinney North High School. He is a member of the Athletic Advisory Council, the Principal Advisory Committee, and Younglife. He has played on the Varsity Football team for two years, the Powerlifting team for 3 years, and the JV Track Team.



Meaghan Dempsey attends McKinney North High School. She is a sectional co-leader with the Color Guard, is a member of the Winter Guard, the McKinney North Band, History Club, and has received the Bronze and Silver Awards and is working towards the Gold Award with the Girl Scouts. Her Winter Guard team placed 1<sup>st</sup> in State her Freshman year and 2<sup>nd</sup> her sophomore year, and she has received numerous medals in the UIL Solo and Ensemble contest.



## July 4<sup>th</sup> Flag Holiday

A huge thanks to all the members of our club who came out to the shed to help with flag distribution on Thursday. Attending were Jeff Caserotti, Trevor Castilla, Donas Cole, Lyle Froese, Sandi Froese, Eric Holt, Stacey Kemp, Tim Kocsis, Chuck Koehler, Ed Miles, Steve Mitas, Tom Parker, Jim Pearson, Juli Smith, Bill Smith, Gary Taylor, and Zachary Taylor. I apologize if I have missed anyone, there were so many folks it was hard to keep track. All the help made getting the flags loaded a very easy process, Thanks to all.

## Heads Up! Programs and Events

- July 8-----Camp RYLA Attendees  
Sponsored by Bryan Northington
- July 15-----Doug Kowalski – Chief of Police for McKinney  
Sponsored by Paul & Connie Yeager
- July 22-----Jim Gilmore
- July 29-----Brian Loughmiller
- August 5----- Rick Chaffin – City of McKinney Assistant City Manager  
Sponsored by Trevor Castilla
- August 12-----Jim Pearson
- August 19-----Eric Holt
- August 26-----Pamela Zeigler-Petty
- September 2-----Nathan White

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

### Cheer up the Lonely Day – July 11

The end comes when we no longer talk with ourselves. It is the end of genuine thinking and the beginning of the final loneliness. The remarkable thing is that the cessation of the inner dialogue marks also the end of our concern with the world around us. It is as if we noted the world and think about it only when we have to report it to ourselves.

- Eric Hoffer (1902 – 1983)

### Embrace your Geekness Day – July 13

Crazy people who are productive are geniuses. Crazy people who are rich are eccentric. Crazy people who are neither productive nor rich are just plain crazy. Geniuses and crazy people are both out in the middle of a deep ocean; geniuses swim, crazy people drown. Most of us are sitting safely on the shore. Take a chance and get your feet wet.

- Michael J. Gelb (1952 – )

### Argument

A guy was telling his friend that he and his wife had a serious argument the night before. "But it ended," he said, "when she came crawling to me on her hands and knees."

"What did she say?" asked the friend.

The husband replied, "She said, 'Come out from under that bed, you coward!'"

## Area Meeting Makeup Locations

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<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><b>7:30 AM</b> Frisco Sunrise Rotary Club Embassy Suites, Gaylord &amp; Parkwood</p> <p><b>Noon</b> Farmersville Rotary Club O.E. Carlisle Civic Center 201 Orange St. @ Hill Street</p> <p><b>Noon</b> Plano West Rotary Club Greek Isle Rest. @ 3309 N. Central Expressway</p>	<p><b>Noon</b> Allen Rotary Club Chase Oaks Golf Club @ 7201 Chase Oaks Blvd</p> <p><b>Noon</b> Plano Metro Rotary Club Glen Eagles Country Club 5401 W. Park Blvd.</p> <p><b>Noon</b> Prestonwood Rotary Club Prestonwood Country Club 15909 Preston Rd., Dallas</p> <p><b>Noon</b> Richardson East Rotary Club Canyon Creek Country Club 625 Lookout Drive.</p>	<p><b>Noon</b> Frisco Rotary Club Dallas Baptist Univ. at Frisco 3211 Internet Blvd.</p> <p><b>Noon</b> Hurricane Creek Rotary Club Hurricane Creek Country Club 1800 Fairway Lane, Anna</p> <p><b>Noon</b> Plano Rotary Club Southfork Hotel 1600 N. Central Expressway</p>	<p><b>7 AM</b> Plano Sunrise Rotary Club 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 Rotary Club Richardson Hotel 701 E. Campbell</p> <p><b>Noon</b> Park Cities Rotary Club Maggiano's Little Italy 205 North Park Center, Dallas</p>
<p><b>Online Makeup</b> <a href="http://www.rotaryclubone.org">www.rotaryclubone.org</a></p>				
<p>Edited 04/01/08</p>				

## Scot's Honor

At RI World Headquarters in Evanston, Illinois, USA, a large envelope is delivered to John Kenny – a Monday-morning ritual. The man chosen to lead more than 1.2 million Rotarians, whose past offices and honors include president of Rotary International in Great Britain and Ireland, RI director, Rotary Foundation trustee and Major Donor, judge, and deputy lieutenant to Queen Elizabeth II, opens the package. The contents include professional and Rotary information as well as vital news from his homeland: the results of the latest game played by the Falkirk Football Club.

"I love football," he says with a laugh. "When I was a young boy, my dad took me to see Falkirk every second week, when they were at home. When Falkirk were playing away, my grandfather

took me to see Stenhousemuir. To this day, no matter where I am in the world, I like to know how my team is doing. It keeps me in touch with my roots."

Preparing for the year ahead, Kenny of course misses most meetings of the Rotary Club of Grangemouth, Scotland, which he joined in 1970. Back on a rare visit, he has spent a hectic morning with Rotary International's video crew, fielding questions about his upcoming term as the first RI president from Scotland. As he enters the Leapark Hotel for the club's weekly meeting, a Rotarian bagpiper greets him with a song. "It's always good to come home," he says.

He greets each of the 40 members of his club, chatting about club projects, inquiring about family members. He expects no special treatment and expresses surprise that he's listed as the guest speaker.

That humility isn't reserved for the business and community leaders in his club. After he graduated from the University of Glasgow School of Law, one of his first assignments was to represent shipbuilding companies against action taken by shipyard workers. "Working with the Clydesiders [Scottish union activists] was to prove valuable to me," he says. He moved back to his home area and joined the legal firm of Tait & McKenzie in Grangemouth, where he represented the workers. "

I knew all the questions the bosses' side would ask, so I could advise the men accordingly," he says. "I also knew, by the time of year, if the company wanted a quick resolution or not. So I could tell our clients, the working men, when to time their answer. It helped them obtain the best settlement."

Kenny enjoyed his time as a lawyer, covering all aspects of legal work, and retired as senior partner of his firm. His keen intellect and deep understanding of all sides of an issue have inspired his rise in law and Rotary. "John can cut to the heart of a subject before some of us even know what the subject is," says fellow club member Colin Mailer, who has known Kenny for three decades. "He is a man with vision and would never set a target for himself or others which he did not think could be achieved."

When they met, Kenny's office building in Grangemouth was next to that of Mailer, then editor of the local newspaper. "I was returning from lunch when my secretary said, 'Mr. Kenny, the lawyer, wants to speak to you.' As a newspaperman, you never felt comfortable when a lawyer called you," Mailer says.

Kenny, who was about to become club president, invited Mailer to become a member. One of the first Rotarians he recruited, Mailer is now serving again as club president.



Bagpiper and Rotarian David Hutton welcomes RI President John Kenny home for the weekly meeting of the Rotary Club of Grangemouth, Scotland. Bottom: Kenny and his wife June admire the leaves from their "listed" trees. *Rotary Images/Monika Lozinska-Lee*

Mailer is precisely whom Kenny has in mind when he describes where he plans to take Rotary during his presidential year: back to the future. His priority for membership is quality, not quantity. “Rotary has sometimes gone along a dangerous route, especially on membership,” Kenny says. “An influx of members this year, but how many stay for the next year? We must look at retention. To do that, we must bring in the right people, not just look at numbers.”

He argues that if you invite a respected person from the community to join Rotary, then other respected people will follow. If you invite someone who is not respected, that could discourage others. “We have to look at our own ethical standards,” he adds. “We must keep advocating the need for high ethical standards in business and private life. This is just as important today as it was in the early years of Rotary. If we go back to basics, maintain high standards of behavior in our business and professional lives, become involved in our club, then good people in our community will want to join.”

Kenny also advocates induction procedures that will ensure that prospective members understand expectations for commitment and service. As new members, they should be involved in the club’s work. “Membership is increasing in parts of the world where the community can see that Rotary is doing good work. If your club is busy, it will thrive,” he says.

Through the Grangemouth club, Mailer and Kenny have become longtime friends. “One of the first things we discuss, of course, is Falkirk Football Club,” Mailer says. “Quite often, John can tell me more about a game than I can. I don’t know how he does it, but his information is good. Being a Falkirk supporter, John has a great sense of humor. The way the team plays at times, you need one!”

The club archives document Kenny’s long history as an active member. A 1992 photo shows him dressed as a circus ringmaster at Rotary’s International Assembly. Deeper in the archives, there’s an account of Kenny, dressed in full Highland regalia for an elaborate Burns Supper, held by Scots worldwide every January. Robert Burns, Scotland’s national poet, wrote “Auld Lang Syne,” sung at the close of RI conventions.

Long before he became a Rotarian, Kenny was a Boy Scout, and he supports the organization today. “I went to an International Jamboree in Denmark when I was 15. The effect it had on me was remarkable, and it has stayed with me. The internationality of it was wonderful – people from countries we’d only heard of, playing and working together. Later in my Rotary life, I saw how valuable the interaction between people from different countries can be.”

His involvement with Scouting continued when he became president of Rotary International in Great Britain and Ireland (RIBI) in 1992. Political tensions between the East and West had eased, and Kenny decided to reach out to young Russians. “We helped to establish Scout groups, and I suggested we make up Scout starter boxes. We sent out boxes with tents and camping equipment, cooking pots and the like,” Kenny says. He also helped the Scouting movement with legal and administrative advice. For his services to Scouting, he was awarded the Medal of Merit.

When asked how Rotary should help young people today, he leans forward and gives a steely, straight-on look. “Think of what we can do. Water, literacy, education, health. There is so much that we Rotarians can do to help young people throughout the world. The one thing we cannot do is nothing. We can’t do everything, but we can do our very best.”

As RIBI president, Kenny encouraged clubs to support WaterAid, which conducts water and sanitation projects worldwide. During his year in office, Rotarians raised £550,000 for WaterAid projects in Tanzania.

Kenny has continued to support collaboration between Rotary clubs and WaterAid, traveling to Tanzania in 2002 to visit projects. In late 2007, Prince Charles, president of WaterAid, honored him with the President’s Award for Outstanding Voluntary Contributions to WaterAid.

After the club meeting, Kenny drives home to Linlithgow, where a 15th-century palace, birthplace of Mary Queen of Scots, rises over the local loch. Inside his house, his wife, June, is pouring tea for the visiting video team. On a walk in his garden, Kenny proudly points to his “listed” trees, which means they are protected in much the same way as historic homes. Just over the garden wall is the local golf club.

He has ambitious plans for his presidential term. As his RI theme, *The Future of Rotary Is in Your Hands*, suggests, he wants Rotarians to take personal responsibility for Rotary’s future. “On membership, for example, Rotary can do nothing, but every Rotarian can do something. There are a lot of good [potential] Rotarians in the community who have never been asked to join,” he says.

Rotary clubs must consider the question of time and cost of meetings, he adds. “It’s up to each club to decide where to eat, or indeed if they will eat at all. There’s nothing in the [RI] Constitution that says you have to have a meal. Young people seem prepared now to support a cause, but they’re not prepared to join an organization. So we must make our Rotary meeting attractive to make young people want to join.” Back in the house, as June pours more tea, she’s asked if she’ll miss her home and friends when she travels. “I will,” she replies. “But I’m fortunate. I have good friends here, and I will keep in touch with them. I’m also very proud of John.”

John and June met through his colleagues in the early 1960s. June takes up the story and describes a world that many Rotarians will remember with fondness. “We just started going out once or twice at first, then we started to see each other every other week. We went dancing and were going out with each other for four years before we became engaged. We were engaged for a year before we were married. In those days, you went out with someone longer than you would today. We’ve been very happily married for 44 years.”

June, in particular, and John excelled at curling, known as “chess on ice” for its complex strategies. The Scottish game, which is now played throughout the world and is an Olympic event, involves hurling large granite stones at a target at the opposite end of an ice rink. In Scotland it’s called “the roaring game,” not because of the shouting that takes place (and there is a lot of that), but because of the sound the stones make as they travel across the ice. “I played it competitively and loved every minute of it,” she says. John interjects, “She was really very good!”

June, who loves entertaining, is an accomplished cook and pianist. She served in every club office in Inner Wheel, but as John moved up through the Rotary ranks, she devoted more time to assisting him. “He loves the organization,” June says. “Rotary’s high ethical standards are something we both believe in. We also meet so many tremendous people. Kind people. Good people. We have been blessed,” she adds. “Rotary gives us the opportunity to do something for those less fortunate than we are.”

John concurs: “Rotary is about helping others. We are the fortunate ones. And to those that much is given, much is expected. There will never be peace in this world as long as there’s poverty. We must continue to face up to the challenges of poverty. Shortages of food and water will become a major issue this century. Rotary is not the United Nations. We’ll never solve all the problems of the world. That is not the function of Rotary. But we can be there to help and do what we can in a practical way.”