

Hondo - D'Hanis Rotary Club

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HONDO · D'HANIS ROTARY CLUB



SERVICE ABOVE SELF

Interact Club

With the Rotary Club of Hondo-D'Hanis as sponsor, the Interact Club of McDowell School-Hondo (composed of 7th & 8th grade students) was established!! The Nominating Committee selected & presented recommendations for Officers on Sept. 26, 2014. Following a secret ballot, the following became Officers for the 2014-15 School Year: Charles Jeffrey - President, Zach Windrow - Vice-President, Abby Neuman - Secretary, Celina Solis - Backup Secretary, Elias Rios - Treasurer, Diego Alvarado - Backup Treasurer, Preston Twilliger and Gary Moss - Directors. (At this time, there is no Sgt-at-Arms - this is for future discussion.) We have exceeded the required 15 needed to establish a Club, as 21 students have applied for membership, with a promise of a few more. The Board will meet once a week, and members will meet twice a month. Interact Committee Rotarians will be in attendance at each meeting (as required); however, anyone who wishes to attend is welcome - meeting dates will be published by email. The next meeting will review RI Constitution and Bylaws. An Induction ceremony with the parents is being planned



District 5840 Website: www.rotary5840.org

Rotary International Website: www.rotary.org

AREA ROTARY CLUBS:

Uvalde Rotary Club

Pearsall Rotary Club

Tuesday, Noon

Tuesday, Noon

Uvalde Country Club

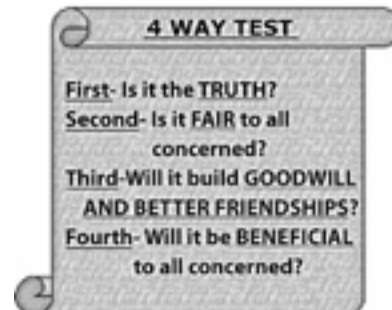
Mi Casa, Pearsall

2014/2015 Fundraisers

Golf Tournament - Oct. 4

Rook Tournament - TBA

Poker Tournament - TBA



**Meetings are Thursdays at 11:45 a.m
at Hermann Sons Steak House
www.hondodhanisrotaryclub.org**

FAMILY VALUES AND TEXAS TRADITIONS

Our organization of business professionals & community leaders that are united world wide provide humanitarian service, encourage high ethical standards in all vocations, & help build goodwill & peace in the world. In more than 160 countries worldwide, approximately 1.2 million Rotarians belong to more than 30,000 Rotary clubs.

October Birthdays

Chris Kailipaka - 5

Jean Callaway - 19

Margie Zinsmeyer - 28

Christina Garcia - 29

Reminders:

- Is the Four Way Test posted in your office/place of business?
- Wear your Rotary Pin daily & make a difference by letting people know the difference we make!
- EREY (Every Rotarian Every Year) donations to the Rotary Foundation are due. Have you made your donation yet?

Upcoming Events

Oct. 9 - Edna Cuellar

Oct.16 - Business Meeting

Oct. 23 - Keith Lutz, emergency preparedness in Medina County

Oct. 30 - Jamie Kindred, exercise & the Paleo lifestyle

Nov. 6 - Paul Guinn

Reminder: When you get your speakers scheduled, please e-mail their name & topic to Jannie at cjbstar@hotmail.com.

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Rotary Club of Hondo-D'Hanis

PROSPECTIVE MEMBER:

Joe Contreras - Community National Bank

Do You Know Someone Who Would Like To Join Rotary?
Invite them to a meeting!

Highlights from October 2 meeting

In Attendance: 23 Rotarians, 1 Potential Member-Joe Contreras (Community Natl Bank), and speaker Don Abbott.

President Jean welcomed Mark Howard and potential member Joe Contreras, wishing our birthday Rotarians a happy month. She stated that the Interact Club was making great progress and anyone wishing to attend a meeting would be required to complete forms for the School, as well as check in with the School. She also reminded everyone that Hermann Sons would not be available for the next meeting, but Lonnie had graciously invited everyone to meet at the Methodist Church Fellowship Hall (asking that the speaker be contacted),.

Excerpts for The Rotary Moment as found in the December, 2009 Rotarian were highlights of Paul Harris - his life, his times, his nomadic life. The story tells of the wayward childhood of this Rotary Founder who worked as a reporter, raisin picker, cowboy, and teacher - before becoming a lawyer, falling in love with Chicago, and starting a Club. And, as 'they' say The Rest is History.

Speaker Don Abbott was introduced; while he was representing the newly formed Medina County Christian Job Corps, he also spoke of his profession at LCRA and family from the D'Hanis/Hondo area (he is the son -in-law to Elsie and the late Ferd Rothe). Job Corps is an educational and training program which helps people learn a career, earn a diploma, and find and keep a good job, as well as generally learning how to succeed in life. He spoke of the need to provide Biblical scripture, teach ethics, respect, life and work skills to men in this area, to help them with the challenges faced on a daily basis and in bonding with people, how to communicate with family and those around them, as well as teaching them how to be Godly fathers and husbands. There is an interview process to ensure the sincerity of the person as the course is 12 weeks long, with meetings, discussions in whatever topic, and Bible study in the evenings until 9:30, where prayer sessions are held both as a group or individually when requested. The first organizational meeting is to be held October 16th, and, in the meantime should anyone be interested in serving on the Board of Directors, as a site Director (requiring training and certification), as a Mentor, Prayer Teacher, or a Teacher for job ethics, life and work skills, Bible study, or computer skills, he asked that they contact him, prior to the 16th if possible. As a side note, a very successful Christian Women's Job Corps has been in existence in Kerrville for some years meeting every day and helping women gain self confidence, purpose, direction and hope for the future in a Christian context.

The POT continues to G-R-O-W.....who will be the lucky winner?????

Till Next Time, Light Up Rotary

2014-2015 Service Projects

Library Pool Party – July

Meals on Wheels – Birthday cards (ongoing)

Meals on Wheels – Plastic sacks (ongoing)

You Make a Difference – (Submit nominations to Christina Garcia)