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Rotary Club of Lake Charles

Club 2620

District 6200

Literacy Reception scheduled today

Working to raise public awareness for International Literacy Month, the Rotary Club of Lake Charles will host the 14th annual Literacy Awards at 4:30 p.m. today at Sensational Creations.

Five tutors and five students from the Literacy Council of Southwest Louisiana's Lifelong Learning Center will receive Rotary Excellence Achievement Awards. Club President-elect Beth Dawdy and Rotarian Mary Frohn, executive director of the Literacy Council, will present the awards.

Lake Charles Mayor Randy Roach, will promote Literacy Awareness Day, and he will be joined by members of the Southwest Louisiana legislative delegation in honoring today's award recipients.

The Rotary Club will sponsor a reception for honorees, their families, special guests and Rotarians following the presentation. Makeup credit is available to Rotarians who attend.

Terry Stansell is appointed to board

Terry Stansell, general manager of Foley's Department Store, has been appointed to fill the remaining term of Greta Willis on the club board of directors.

Stansell was appointed at last Wednesday's board meeting. The opening was created when Greta took leave of absence.

In other business, the board tabled action on hurricane relief plans until the Oct. 5 meeting. President-elect Beth Dawdy will explain this decision to give the club ample time to address long-term needs of evacuees at today's meeting.

The board designated funds from the club fundraiser for long-term relief.

Rotarians take action to respond Katrina

Rotarians are responding en masse to RI President Carl-Wilhelm Stenhammar's call to help communities affected by Hurricane Katrina, with districts in Louisiana and Mississippi leading the charge,

Mississippi District 6820 and Louisiana District 6840 have established a relief fund and put the mechanics in place to collect monetary donations. Clubs from throughout the world have responded in true Rotary fashion.

September 13, 2005

Today's Speaker:

George Swift,
Partnership for Economic
Development

CLUB CALENDAR

September:

13—LITERACY RECEPTION, 4:30 p.m., Sensational Creations

20—Jim Brandt, president, Public Affairs Research Council of Louisiana dt

27—TBA

September Program Chair:
Ann Knapp

October:

Vocational Service Month

5—Board Meeting*

7—MSU International Students' Picnic

November:

Club Fundraiser, Treasures of Marilyn's

*Denotes date other than a Tuesday

Club financial report

Balances reported by Executive Secretary Michelle Jordan at Sept. 7 board meeting:

Checking: \$11,952.48

Savings: \$1,636.76

Bonds fund: \$11,131.16

Fundraiser balance: \$194.45

The Rotary Club of Lake Charles

Meetings: Tuesday, Noon,
Pioneer Club,
Lake Charles, LA

Club 2600—District 6200
DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS

President: Thad Mayo
President-elect: Beth Dawdy
Secretary: Eligha Guillory
Treasurer: George Cestia
Executive Secretary: Michelle Jordan

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Last Week's Meeting Capsule

Speaker: Kay C. Barnett, executive director for development, Christus St. Patrick Hospital; introduced by Ann Knapp

Membership Stats: 70 members, 51 active, 19 exempt

Leave Of Absence: Marianne Leigh, Greta Willis

Recent Make-Ups Reported Sheila Champagne at Greater Lake Charles

Last Week's Visiting Rotarians: None. Other guests: Edith Cestia with brother George

Birthdays: Angela Jouette and Harvey McMillin, Sept. 18; James Leithead, Sept. 19

Members' Outstanding Balance: \$1,472 in unpaid dues

Last Week's Drawing Winner: Chris Craven

"Service Above Self"

Members of the Rotary Club of Lake Charles

Brian Abshire, Private Banking, Chase 3
Donna Addikson, CEO, Chamber of Commerce, 2
Andy Betz, Jackpot Response Representative 1('93-'94), 2
Bob Boling, Owner, R.T Boling & Assoc. 1('77-'78), 2
Buddy Bolton, *AE, Owner, Bolton Ford 2
Joe Brame, *AE, Attorney, Brame & McCain 2
Bill Casey, *AE, Retired, University Speech Instructor 1('84-'85), 2
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Sheila Champagne, Senior V.P., United Way 2, 3
Gordon Condit, Retired, Forest Management 2
Pam Courtney, Attorney, Fraser, Morris, & Wheeler 3
Chris Craven, Investments, New York Life 1('04-'05), 2, 3
Beth Dawdy, Manager, Marilyn's Catering 3
Bob Dewey, Field Rep. Congressman Charles Boustany 1('03-'04), 2
Mary Frohn, Exec. Director, Literacy Council
Ed Godwin, *AE, Retired, Personnel Services 1('76-'77), 2
Eligha Guillory, Executive Director, Cal. Community Clinic 3
Jim Hackett, Senior Research Manager, SASOL
Paul Hannen, *AE, Retired, Personal Services 1('92-'93), 2
George Heard, Director, Chennault Industrial Airport
Bob Hebert, President, McNeese State University 1('86-'87), 2
Joe D. Hill, Past District Governor *AE, Navy Officer 1('96-'97), 2, 3
Edley Hixon, Director, Hixon Funeral Home 2
Beth Hollins, Asst. Attorney General, LA Dept. of Justice 1('98-'99), 2, 3
James Jones, VP, Whitney National Bank
Michelle Jordan, Worship Director, First United Methodist 3
Angela Jouette, Program Director, Americorps
Ernest Kennedy, *AE, Retired, Public Utility, Telephone ('97-'98), 2
Ann Knapp, Financial Advisor, Merrill Lynch
Steve Lang, Asst. Vice President, ICT Insurance
Stan Leger, Director, Sowela Technical College
Marianne Leigh, Retired, Camp Director 2, 3
James Leithead, *AE, Attorney
Richard Louviere, Past Asst. D.G., Owner, T-Shirt Warehouse 1('00-'01), 2, 3
Thad Mayo, VP, Mayo Land Title 2, 3
Michael McCall, *AE, Retired, Graybar Electric Inc. 1('85-'86), 2
E.E. McCanless, Physician, Children's Clinic 2, 3
Andy McGlathery, Attorney, Stockwell & Sievert 3

Harvey McMillin, *AE, Owner, McMillin Hearing Aid Service 2
Ted Meinscher, *AE, Retired, Gulf States 1('91-'92), 2
George Middleton, *AE, Retired, Clinical Psychology 2
Joe Miller Jr., Agent, New York Life 1('99-'00), 2, 3
Joe Miller Sr., President, F. Miller & Sons 2
Mandi Mitchell, Regional Mgr, BellSouth
Tom Morris, President, United Way of SWLA 1('94-'95), 2
Jerry Najman, Shift Manager, L' Auberge du Lac
David Painter, *AE, Judge, 14th Judicial Court 1('72-'73), 2
Shady Patton, Customer Service Mgr., Entergy 2
Joe Peshoff, II, Director, McElroy, Quirk, & Burch
J. Planchard Retired, District Court Judge
Frank Pruitt, PWK Timberland Corp. 1('65-'66), 2
Bob Pumpelly, *AE, Chairman, Pumpelly Oil 2
Reva Rand, Retired, Travel Agent 2
Freddie Ann Regan, Partners in Physical Therapy, LLC
Jeffrey Rippel, Director, Calcasieu Parish Libraries
Terry Robideaux, Owner, Profile2 Advertising 1('89-'90)
Jim Robinson, Dir. Of Navigation, Port of LC 3
Lester Sadler, Food & Beverages 2
Bernadette Seaberry, Owner, Sensational Creations 3
David L. Sigler, Attorney, David L. Sigler & Associates, 2, 3
Terry Stansell, General Mgr., Foley's
Gray Stream, VP, Gray Estate / Stream Companies
John Stubblefield, Dermatologist, 2
Eric Taylor, CEO, SWLA Center For Health Services 3
Jennifer Viccellio, General Manager, Sleep Inn & Comfort Suites
Louis Villalume, Agent, New York Life 2, 3
Bill Willis, CEO, Women & Children's Hospital 2
Erbon W. Wise, *AE, Retired, Publishing 3
Otray Woods, *AE, CPA, McElroy, Quirk & Birch
Jim Wynn, *AE, Retired, Public School Administrator 1('90-'91), 2

*AE—Active Exempt members are exempt from attendance requirements

1-Past President
2-Paul Harris Fellow
3-Sustaining Paul Harris Fellow