

100+ YEARS OF ROTARY IN NACOGDOCHES

The Rotary Club of Nacogdoches

Charter #892, 1 April 1921

"Nacogdoches is more than a place in space,
Nacogdoches is a drama in time"

-----borrowed



#2041 - District 5910

The 18th of August 2021

"Serve To Change Lives"



**Shekhar Mehta, President RI
Home Club:
Rotary Club of Calcutta-Mahanagar
West Bengal, India**

Incoming Rotary International President Shekhar Mehta urged members to become more involved in service projects, saying that caring for and serving others is the best way to live because it changes not only other people's lives, but also our own.

Mehta, a member of the Rotary Club of Calcutta-Mahanagar, West Bengal, India, revealed the 2021-22 presidential theme, Serve to Change Lives, to incoming district governors on 1 February during the Rotary International Assembly.

Program Today

Tony Minatta
SFASU Women's Head Soccer Coach
Introduction by Ryan Ivey



Tony Minatta began his first year with the Lumberjack soccer program in 2020. Minatta accepted the position of head coach of the soccer program after serving six years at Iowa State as head coach. The Colorado native made an impact at Iowa State, and plans to do the same at SFA.

The Minatta File

Hometown: Fort Collins, Colorado
High School: Fort Collins High School

College: University of Nevada Las Vegas (2003)
Experience: Served in the United States Marine Corps (1993-1996)
Family: Luigi (Dog)

Coaching Experience

2019-Present: SFA I Head Coach
2013-19: Iowa Statel Head Coach
2005-13: Fort Collins (Colo) I Assistant Director

Accomplishments

- Coached three Colorado State Cup championship squads and eight finalists.
- Earned his United States Soccer Federation (USSF) A License (2009)
- Earned his National Soccer Coaches Association of America (NSCAA) International Premier Diploma
- Earned his NSCAA Advanced National Diploma.
- Received a Navy Achievement Medal for leadership during an overseas deployment. (1996)
- Attained the rank of Sergeant while serving in the United States Marine Corps

Rotary Programs

August 2021 Programs
Ryan Ivey, Chairman
Athletic Director, SFASU

25 August Colby Carthel
SFASU Head Football Coach
Introduction by Ryan Ivey

September 2021 Programs
Scott Bowyer, Chairman
Introduction by Scott Bowyer

1 September Keith Kiplinger, Nacogdoches Fire Chief
Fire Department Master Plan
(Possible COVID update, Depending where we are)

8 September Coach Darren Allman
Nacogdoches High School Football Coach and
Athletic Director

15 September Gabe Trujillo, Superintendent, NISD
2021-2022 School Year and Construction Update

22 September Ryan Ivey, Athletic Director, SFASU
Moving to the WAC and
Overall Sports and Construction Update

29 September Captain Jennifer Phillips, The Salvation Army
An Overview of the Salvation Army

Contact a program monthly program chair, if you have a special program you believe is applicable for the club.

Monthly Program Chairs
President-Elect Ray Mitchum

2021	2022
September Scott Bowyer	January Patrick Lanmon
October Ted Smith	February Gary Ashcraft
November Buddy Himes	March Jimmy Mize
December Mary Ann Bentley	April Francis Spruiell
	May Ron Collins
	June Ken Deppisch

SAVE THE DATE

THE ROTARY CLUB OF NACOGDOCHES
will meet at Banita Creek Hall October 20, 2021 and
will have CC's Smokehouse cater.
Should be a good revisit of the past!

Additional Song Leaders Needed

We need more Rotarians serving as song leaders. If we are able to get twelve song leaders, each would serve for one month. Please volunteer to serve!

Last Week

President Miles McCall with the gavel, Katy Blevins and Paige Pattillo served as our Club greeters, Jim Stallworth served as the Sgt-at-Army, MaryAnn Bentley gave the Family of Rotary Report and led the Singing and Pledge to the Flag, Preston Atwood provided the music, Farrar Bentley gave the invocation, and Bill King introduced the guests and visitors.

President Miles McCall introduced our District Governor, Jerry Springfield. The Governor's address included the following four themes:

- Diversity
- Inclusion
- Equity and Justice
- Human Trafficking

The RI President's Initiatives include:
Days of Service
Presidential Conference
Each One Bring One
Empowering Girls

Guests and Visitors

Chad Laurich was the guest of Katie Blevins, Nicole Pool was the guest Ed Pool, Lisa Rickenbacker was the guest of the Club, District Governor Jerry Springfield was the guest of the Club, Tom Webster was the guest of Noel Dear Assistant District Governor Leon Willhite was the Club Guest.

Visitors from the Lufkin Rotary Club
Roger Lindsey

District Rotary Guests
District Governor Jerry Springfield
Assistant District Governor Leon Willhite

Publication
Lesa Rickenbacker
Classification: Real Estate Agent/Broker
Sponsor: Steve Williams

Rotary Billing

If anyone has a Billing question, please contact:
Lori Cotten 936-676-8266
Email: lori.cotten@rocketmail.com

MDC Chairman

MDC Meetings are held on the second Monday of each month at the NEDCO board room in the Old Mize Building on North Street. These meeting are led by Tim Bisping and he asks for all new member proposals be sent to him at: timbisping@yahoo.com or by snail mail at this address: 576 CR 2163, Nacogdoches, TX 75965.

Thank you in advance for your commitment to Rotary.

Satellite Rotary Club From Jim Roberts

This message is for ALL active
Nacogdoches Rotary Club members!

Even though you may not be part of the Satellite Group, YOU ARE ALWAYS INVITED! Second Tuesday of the month, 5:30 p.m. You are welcome to order food and drink, or just enjoy the fellowship along with the program. Please contact Jim Roberts at 936-559-1400(call/text) or at jimtheinsuranceguy@gmail.com for more information concerning the meeting location.

Leadership Tips

"Democracy is never a thing done. Democracy is always something that a nation must be doing."

--- Archibald MacLeish, 1892-1982, American poet, author, soldier, professor, three-time recipient of the Pulitzer Prize, and the Librarian of Congress.

Today on 18 August 1920 19th Amendment

The 19th Amendment to the U.S. Constitution proposed was on June 4th, 1919 and ratified when Tennessee became the 36th state to approve it on this day in history guaranteeing women the right to vote, the fight for this right by the women's suffragette movement for 10 years had forced this change.

Motivators

"Study and God will make you wise. If you do not study, you will become the victim of dangerous ideologies."

--- Attributed to an "enlightened young imam" in the 2003 novel, *Absolute Friends*, by David John Moore Cornwell (1931-2020), British author better known by his pen name, John le Carré.

"... we must be careful with our lives ... because it would seem that they are the only lives we are going to have in this puzzling and perilous world, and so they are very precious and what we do with them matters enormously. Everybody knows that. We need no one to tell it to us. Yet in another way perhaps we do always need to be told, because there is always the temptation to believe that we have all the time in the world, whereas the truth of it is that we do not. We have only a life, and the choice of how we are going to live it must be our own choice, not one that we let the world make for us."

--- Carl Frederick Buechner, American writer, novelist, poet, essayist, theologian, and Presbyterian minister; from his 1968 book, *The Hungering Dark*.

"We often think that there is just one way to look at things -- the way we always have. In fact, there are an infinite number of ways to look at most everything. An open mind allows for a multitude of perspectives from which to choose in any given moment. That suppleness of mind allows for true choice, and opens us to a whole new realm of possibility."

--- Jeffrey R. Anderson, American author, educator and speaker; from his 2012 book, *The Nature of Things -- Navigating Everyday Life with Grace*.



Rotary Club of Nacogdoches -August 11, 2021:

The Honorable Jerry Springfield, 2021-22 Governor of Rotary District 5910 was special guest at a recent meeting of the Rotary Club of Nacogdoches. Governor Springfield addressed the club and presented a number of goals and objectives for the club to pursue and achieve during the upcoming Rotary year. The address was enjoyed and appreciated by all in attendance. Carol Gandy and Mario Canizares were presented their blue badges by Rotary Red Badge Chairman, Buddy Himes. Pictured left to right are District Governor Springfield, Leon Willhite, Assistant District Governor, Mr. Canizares, Ms. Gandy, Donna Finley, Sponsoring Member, Dr. Himes and Miles McCall, Club President.

Find Opportunities that Interest you Ask about serving Remember: Each Rotarian has a talent!

Adopt-a-Highway Trash Pick-up	Contact: Milton Moorer	552.1994
Bike Ride	Contact: Ray Mitchum	554.8156
	Juan Gonzales	903.530.1727
Calling on Rotarians	Contact: MaryAnn Bentley	569.7447
	or	556.0268
Greeting Committee	Contact: Demond Jackson	281.847.9880
High School Exchange Program	Contact: Dave Wallace	371.3033
	Mikhail Kouliavtsev	267.235.3489
	Matt Lindsey	903.262.8043
Literacy Committee	Contact: Barbara Qualls	972.351.7078
Meet the Jacks Fish Fry	Contact: Ed Pool	564.2622
Mobile Library	Contact: Ed Pool	564.2622
	Larissa Philpot	554.9980
Posting and Striking the Colors	Contact: Larry Stanaland	554.8738
Interact/Rotaract	Contact: Robin Thacker	806.729.1066
	Sam Smith	956.369.6824
Rotary Readers	Contact: Sherry Morgan	444.9924
RYLA Drivers	Contact: Ray Mitchum	554.8156
Rotary Scholarship Applications	Contact: MaryAnn Bentley	569.7447
	or	556.0268
Speakers and Programs	Contact: Ray Mitchum	554.8156
Field of Honor	Contact: Greg Williams	559.8201
	Matt Turner	234.0975