

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 2nd of June 2021

"Rotary Opens Opportunities"

Holger Knaack, President RI
Home Club:
Herzogtum Lauenburg-Mölln
Germany

The district Herzogtum Lauenburg is named after the medieval Duchy of Saxe-Lauenburg, which was one of the remnants of the original Duchy of Saxony. The Duchy of Saxony was partitioned in a process started in 1269, nine years after in 1260 Albert II and John I had succeeded their father Albert I of Saxon.

RI President Holger Knaack's theme for Rotary Year 2020-2021 is based on his introduction, "Every great challenge is an opportunity for renewal and growth."

Program Today
Nancy Niehaus & Gary Roberts
21/7 Association

Introduction by Ken Deppisch
Groups find common bond where major highways meet, create 21/7 Association

Several East Texas groups, churches, businesses, and agencies are joining together to find ways to better serve their community, and they call themselves the 21/7 Association.

"It would be very helpful to get people together so we might find out what the needs are in the neighborhood and maybe address them," said Nancy Niehaus, representative with Helping Other People Eat (HOPE).

Niehaus said right now, many of the members are comprised of businesses and agencies from Nacogdoches. It is the hope of the group that residents will eventually become an integral part.

"I hope that we might have a combined study on outreach, or on transportation issues," said Niehaus. "When I worked in Oklahoma if a group of citizens and agencies joined forces, the combined assets had a synergistic effect."

Lenola Wyatt, project coordinator for SFA's Nacogdoches County Community Collaborative, said the project gives members the ability to take charge and support the necessary desires and needs of the community.

"We're realizing that by multiplying our impact through collaboration, we will be able to achieve and become a greater force. We are able to make a great deal of difference for and with the residents who live here when we are able to empower them and allow their voices to be heard."

The 21/7 Association seeks new members and if you would like to learn more about organization or to join us, you may contact Nancy Niehaus by calling (936) 715-0665 for more information.

Rotary Programs
Miles McCall
President-Elect and Program Chairman

June 2021 Programs
Ken Deppisch, Program Chairman

- 9 June Nacogdoches City Council Member Amelia Fischer
Overview of Immigration in the United States
- 16 June Richard Orton
The Upshaw Family and Freedom Colonies
- 23 June Jennifer Allen
2021-2022 Angelina Arts Alliance Season Preview
- 30 June TBA

District Governor's Visit
to the Rotary Club of Nacogdoches
Wednesday, August 11, 2021 at Noon

Last Week

President Donna Finley with the gavel; Jim Stallworth, did his duties as Sergeant at Arms; MaryAnn Bentley gave the Family of Rotary report; Larry Stanaland led the singing and the Pledge; Caroline Alders provided the music, Miles McCall gave the invocation, and Kurt Sutton introduced the guests and visitors. Ron Collins introduced our speaker, Nacogdoches Mayor Jimmy Mize. Jimmy provided an overview of his goals for the City of Nacogdoches.

Guest and Visitors

Caroline Alders, accompanist, was the guest of the Club, Charlotte Ashcraft was the guest of Jimmy Mize, Roy Bolton was the guest of Jimmy Mize
Heather Hawkins was the guest of Chris Oglesbee, Natalie Jannison was the guest of Rey Morin, Rachael Jumper was the guest of John Calahan, and Israel Morales was the guest of Gary Lee Ashcraft

Visitor from the Fredonia Club
Charlotte Ashcraft

Let There Be Peace on Earth
Sy Miller and Jill Jackson

Let there be peace on earth and let it begin with me;
Let there be peace on earth, the peace that was meant to be.

With God as our Father, Rotarians all are we.
Let us walk with each other in perfect harmony.

Let peace begin with me. Let this be the moment now.
With every step I take, let this be my solemn vow:

To take each moment and live each moment in peace eternally.
Let there be peace on earth, and let it begin with me

Mobile Library
Boys and Girls Club
Monday, 7 June 2021, 7:30 A.M.

The Mobile Library will kick off its summer reading program at the Boys and Girls Club on Monday, 7 June 2021 at 11:30 a.m. The library will be at the Boys and Girls Club each Monday and Wednesday throughout the summer months. The Mobile Library will also alternate between Pioneer and Richie Parks on Tuesday beginning at 11 a.m. E-Tech is sending volunteer help for Wednesdays so all Rotarians will be able to attend the Wednesday meeting and luncheon. This is an important project and ALL Rotarians need to come out and be a part of helping children to READ!

Nacogdoches Rotary Club Mobile Library
A BIG "Thank You" to Bill Elliott who contributed \$6000.00 toward the purchase of books for the Rotary Mobile Library.

Field of Honor

Greg Williams announced that the Field of Honor will be dismantled on Saturday, the 5th of June, beginning at 2:00 PM. ALL Rotarians and family are encouraged to participate!

Rotary Billing

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

Kent Ferguson, 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. Kent asks for all new member proposals be sent to him at wkentferguson@gmail.com, or by snail mail at this address: 3490 CR 258, Nacogdoches, TX 75965

Thank you in advance for your commitment to Rotary.

Satellite Rotary Club

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.,
Napoli's Restaurant

You are welcome to order food and drink, or just enjoy the fellowship along with the program.

Rotary
"Row One Members"

Badge	Name	Date Joined Rotary	Years in Rotary
1	Cox, Cambell (Honorary)	1959	62
2	Mathews, Jack (Honorary)	1965	56
3	Patton, William (Bill)	1965	56
4	Young, John	1971	50
5	Sutton, Kenneth	1971	50
6	Elliott, William (Bill)	1972	49
7	Wallace, Dave	1973	48
8	Dobbs Floyd	1973	48
9	Green, Joe Max	1973	48
10	Hallman, Leon (PDG)	1973	48
11	Moorer, Milton	1974	47
12	Stallworth, James (Jim)	1975	46
13	Weaver, Daniel	1976	45
14	Johnson, Johnnie	1976	45
15	Bentley, Farrar	1977	44
16	Wright, M. S.	1977	44
17	Speck, Arthur	1978	43
18	Davis, Dudley	1982	39
19	Blake, Roy, Jr.	1982	39
20	Lehmann, Robert	1982	39

A BIT OF HISTORY
D-Day: Operation Overlord - 6 June 1944
77 Years Ago

In the early morning hours of June 6, 1944, Americans received word that three years of concerted war efforts had finally culminated in D-day—military jargon for the undisclosed time of a planned British, American, and Canadian action. During the night, over 5,300 ships and 11,000 planes had crossed the English Channel and landed on the beaches of Normandy. The rest is history; our military, who fought to rid the world of tyrants and evil.



Jack Mathews receiving his Paul Harris Award from FARRAR. Photographer: Mary Ann.



Field of Honor Participants! Rotary Service!



Rotary Club of Nacogdoches - May 26, 2021:

Jimmy Mize, Mayor of the City of Nacogdoches was speaker at a recent noon meeting of the Rotary Club of Nacogdoches. Mr. Mize provided "A Vision for Nacogdoches" and detailed many of the city's current and future opportunities and challenges. The program was very appreciated by all in attendance. Campbell Cox, Jack Mathews, William Patton, John Young, Kenneth Sutton, Bill Elliott, Dave Wallace, Floyd Dobbs, Joe Max Green, Leon Hallman, Milton Moorer, James Stallworth, Daniel Weaver, Johnny Johnson, Farrar Bentley, Bud Wright, Arthur Speck, Dudley Davis, Roy Blake, Jr. and Robert Lehmann were awarded Paul Harris Fellowships from the club by Donna Finley, Club President. The club honored all veterans during the meeting with a special Memorial Day video tribute produced and presented by club member Larry Stanaland. Ed Pool recognized Bill Elliott for his significant contribution of books to the club's Mobile Library Program. This year's mobile library summer schedule is set to begin on June 7th with presence on alternating Tuesdays at Ritchie and Pioneer Parks and Mondays and Wednesdays at The Boys and Girls Club. Greg Williams provided information on the club's upcoming Field of Honor event with a display of American flags to be posted during the week of Memorial Day in Festival Park. Flags may be sponsored honoring specific veterans for an annual donation of \$50.00. Those interested should visit the Nacogdoches Rotary Club website for further information. Pictured left to right front row are Mr. Dobbs, Mr. Elliott, Dr. Hallman, Mr. Johnson, Mr. Young, Mr. Patton, Mr. Green, Dr. Speck, Mr. Sutton and Mr. Wright. Back row are Ron Collins, Program Chairman, Mayor Mize, Lisa Mize, Club Guest, Verne Shofner, Cam Cox (for Campbell Cox), Mr. Bentley, MaryAnn Bentley (for Jack Mathews), Mr. Stallworth, Tip Smith, Mr. Moorer, Dr. Davis, Mr. Pool, Mr. Stanaland and Donna Finley, Club President.

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

Adopt-a-Highway Trash Pick-up Bike Ride	Contact: Milton Moorer _____ 552.1994
	Contact: Ray Mitchum _____ 554.8156
	Juan Gonzales _____ 903.530.1727
Calling on Rotarians	Contact: MaryAnn Bentley _____ 569.7447
	or _____ 556.0268
Greeting Committee	Contact: Kent Ferguson _____ 281.847.9880
High School Exchange Program	Contact: Dave Wallace _____ 371.3033
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 _____ 369.6824
Rotary Readers	Contact: Jimmy Partin _____ 564.6816
RYLA Drivers	Contact: Ray Mitchum _____ 554.8156
Rotary Scholarship Applications	Contact: MaryAnn Bentley _____ 569.7447
	or _____ 556.0268
Speakers and Programs	Contact: Miles McCall _____ Direct 715.4154
	Cell 569.4790
Field of Honor	Contact: Greg Williams _____ 559.8201
	Matt Turner _____ 234.0975