



# Southside Rotary Club of Corpus Christi Riptide

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## 2008-2009 Officers

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### MEETING INFORMATION

**PRAYER/PLEDGE:** John Martinez  
**INTRODUCTIONS:** Dyke Henderson  
**FOUR WAY TEST:** John Owen

### VISITING ROTARIANS & GUESTS

#### Visiting Rotarians Included:

#### From the Downtown Club:

**Lou Carter**  
**Robert Blackmon**  
**Al Berry**

#### From the Ingleside Club:

**Gene Seaman**

#### Guests of Rotarians

**Phoebe Spencer**  
**Ken Bridges**

### NEXT WEEK'S PROGRAM



Wednesday, December 17

*Weather*

Presenter: Bill Vessey

### BRAGGIN' BUCKS

- **Bruce Hamande** bragged on himself for shooting a 10 point mule deer which was 190 lbs.
- **Dyke Henderson** bragged on the Ramp Champs (Zan Hackley, Richard Espinosa, David Parent and Dyke Henderson) for the great ramp they built last weekend.
- **Jack Solka** bragged on his 15 month old grand daughter who just started walking.
- **Fred Hayden** bragged on his son for making straight A's.

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- **John Seaman** bragged on his son for taking Hebrew and making an A.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

- The **Evening Club** will NOT meet on 12/25 & 1/1.
- The **Evening Club Fund Raiser** – thru 12/11 – 12 Gauge CZ Ringneck Double Barrel Shotgun w/ case and 5 chokes. Only 100 tickets to be sold @ \$25 each.
- **December Social** – Nolan's on Airline, Wednesday, 12/17. Choice of Grill Chicken or 8 oz. Top Sirloin, baked potato or salad and tea for \$14. (Thanks to Anita Spreen for setting up the social)
- **Rendall Webb** – awarded for 32 years of perfect attendance.
- **Ellison Crider** had emergency appendectomy on Tuesday. Get Well Ellison.
- **Southside Rotary will be ringing the bell this Friday** outside the J.C. Penny's door. Please attend your shift and if you did not sign up or need to change a shift, call Kathy Funk-Baxter @ 361-825-2183.

## PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

**Bruce Hamende** introduced our guest speaker, **Nick Jimenez**, Editorial Writer for the Caller Times Editor's Page, by telling us of his very distinguished career and many honors and awards he has received. Mr. Jimenez spoke about what the job of an editorial writer is about. He explained that the duties are to take the news, put perspective on it and write about it. Unlike reporters of the news, an editorial writer must have a view point and write his opinion. He explained that the editorials actually have 5 authors which comprise the Editorial Review Board. They review and edit the editorial before it is printed. Editorial writers do much research and investigation much like but independently from reporters.



*Erica Chimelski, Ambassadorial Scholar*

*Follow a Rotary Scholar's Year in Luxembourg*

<http://rotaryscholarlux.blogspot.com/>

## UPCOMING PROGRAMS-DEC

December Program Chair – Bruce Hamende

Wednesday, December 24  
*No Meeting*

Wednesday, December 31  
*No Meeting*

January Program Chair – Edd Price

## ROTARY MINUTE

**John Owens delivered the Four Way Test,**

He asked the following four questions: "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?"**

Source: <http://www.rotary.org/aboutrotary/4way.html>

## PETE'S MARKET REPORT

*DOW up \$90*  
*NASDAQ up \$22*

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Club Location	Established	Club Number	Number of Members	Day/Time	Location
<b>Monday</b>					
<u>Corpus Christi Sunrise</u>	1984	#22125	15	<b>M</b> 7 am	The Town Club
<u>Aransas Pass</u>	1960	#2059	15	<b>M</b> noon	The Butter Churn
<b>Tuesday</b>					
<u>Corpus Christi Padre Island</u>	2001	#55912	16	<b>Tues</b> noon	Padre Island Country Club
<u>Kingsville</u>	1923	#2073	59	<b>Tues</b> noon	Sirloin Stockade
<u>Ingleside</u>	1948	#2072	27	<b>Tues</b> noon	Garden Club
<u>Portland</u>	1967	#2085	46	<b>Tues</b> noon	Northshore Country Club
<u>Taft</u>	1938	#2096	13	<b>Tues</b> noon	Kiva Hut
<u>San Diego</u>	1938	#2093	23	<b>Tues</b> noon	Rotary Pavilion
<b>Wednesday</b>					
<u>Alice</u>	1938	#2058	32 (I)	<b>W</b> noon	Alice Country Club
<u>Corpus Christi Northwest</u>	1925	#2090	11 (I)	<b>W</b> noon	K-Bob's Steak House Rest.
<u>Corpus Christi Southside</u>	1955	#2095	61 (R)	<b>W</b> noon	Corpus Christi Country Club
<u>Raymondville</u>	1929	#2087	25 (I)	<b>W</b> noon	Casa Blanca Restaurant
<u>Sinton</u>	1947	#2094	23	<b>W</b> noon	Backstreet Cafe
<b>Thursday</b>					
<u>Corpus Christi</u>	1914	#2062	318 (I)	<b>Th</b> noon	Solomon Ortiz Center
<u>Corpus Christi Evening</u>	1992	#29110	6	<b>Th</b> 5:30 pm	Katz 21
<u>Falfurrias</u>	1927	#2067	12	<b>Th</b> noon	Stricklands
<u>Kingsville Sunrise</u>	1999	#52338	23 (I) (R)	<b>Th</b> 7 am	Linda's Mainstreet Cafe
<u>Port Aransas</u>	1985	#22399	45 (I)	<b>Th</b> noon	Pelican's Landing Rest.
<u>Rockport</u>	1948	#2091	37	<b>Th</b> noon	Rockport Country Club
<b>Friday</b>					
<u>Corpus Christi West</u>	1966	#2100	47	<b>F</b> noon	Holiday Inn Airport

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