

Southside Rotary Club of Corpus Christi Riptide

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2008-2009 Officers

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MEETING INFORMATION

PRAYER/PLEDGE: DON RATCLIFF
INTRODUCTIONS: JERRY SMITH
FOUR WAY TEST: RENDELL WEBB

VISITING ROTARIANS & GUESTS

Visiting Rotarians

John Sterns from Thibodaux, La.

From

Corpus Christi – Downtown 4 Members

Jack Green with 42 years of Perfect Attendance

Nick Naleck with 40 years of Perfect Attendance

Al Berry with 25 years of Perfect Attendance

And Leo Barrera who snuck in just in time

From

West Corpus Christi

Hollis Neese (Past District Governor) with 43
years of Perfect Attendance

There were no Guests of Rotarians:

SAVE THE DATE!



Samuel L. Neal, Jr.

Save Thursday October 29 at
6p.m. for our next Hometown
Hero fundraiser where we will
honor **County Judge Loyd Neal
with a Paul Harris Fellow** while
raising money for scholarships and
our Ramp Project!
More information coming soon.

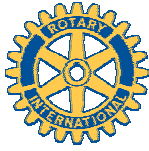
UPCOMING PROGRAMS

29 July	Ambassadorial Scholarship Experience in Luxemburg	Erica Chimelski
5 Aug.	Big Brothers/ Big Sisters Organization	Mark Scott

“THE FUTURE OF ROTARY IS IN YOUR HANDS”

President of Rotary International John Kenny (www.rotary.org) **District 5930 Governor: Dennis Roberts** (www.rotary5930.org)

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PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

DAVE WALKER almost introduced our speaker but he passed the honor to **JIM FOWLER**. **JIM** introduced **Dr. Mark Escamilla** who is the President of Del Mar College. Dr. Escamilla was born and raised in Corpus Christi. He has his PHD from the University of Texas in Austin.

Del Mar has over 180 instructional programs and serves about 20,000 students each year at its West and East Campuses. The College is completing a \$108,000,000 bond program which was approved by the voters in 2003. Most of the bond program is at the West Campus.

The West Campus has programs in diagnostic medical sonography, homeland security, aviation maintenance, laser and fiber optics, pharmacy technology, and occupational safety and health. The Richardson auditorium was expanded at the East Campus. The Center for Economic Development is located in an old Albertson's Grocery building on Staples Street.

Approximately 80% of Del Mar graduates transfer to Texas A. & M. in Corpus Christi. The average cost for students is about \$861 per semester for District residents.

The College has several certified programs and one that is very important to Rotarians is the Nurse Program. Do you want some who does not have a nurse certification sticking a needle in you?

Dr. Escamilla thanked **SOUTHSIDE ROTARY** for its support and all of support through tax money to the District.

BRAGGIN' BUCKS

- **BETTY FRANTUM** made a brag for **ANGIE FROST** for the City of Corpus Christi recognizing Americans with Disabilities.

SKIP BARNES donated his \$16 winnings from the **50/50 raffle** to **Polio Plus**. Thanks **SKIP!**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **President LARI** stated that it was time to pass the basket to raise funds for Supply our Schools (SOS). **SOUTHDISE ROTARY** needs to raise \$300.00 for the project. The money will be given to Rose Shaw Elementary School. We raised a total of \$121.00 today. **GREAT JOB.**
- **Past President Betty Frantum** gave out Board Member awards to **CLEM STRUVE**, **JIM FOWLER**, and **KATHY FUNK BAXTER.**

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AMBASSADORIAL SCHOLAR



Erica Chimelski, Ambassadorial Scholar

*Follow a Rotary Scholar's Year in
Luxembourg*

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

Erica will speak to our club about all her experiences on Wednesday, July 29 before she returns to her schooling at the Air Force Academy! This gal is a winner.



PETE'S MARKET REPORT

DOW + 13 NASDAQ Up Slightly
Crude Unchanged
Market was just stumbling along

**DISTRICT 5930 THEME FOR
2009-2010**

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Click This Link to make up a meeting at [E-Club One!](#)

Club Location	Established	Club Number	Number of Members	Day/Time	Location
Monday					
<u>Corpus Christi Sunrise</u>	1984	#22125	15	M 7 am	La Bahia
<u>Aransas Pass</u>	1960	#2059	15	M noon	Aransas Pass Civic Center
Tuesday					
<u>Corpus Christi Padre Island</u>	2001	#55912	16	Tues noon	Padre Island Country Club
<u>Kingsville</u>	1923	#2073	59	Tues noon	Sirloin Stockade
<u>Ingleside</u>	1948	#2072	27	Tues noon	Garden Club
<u>Portland</u>	1967	#2085	46	Tues noon	Northshore Country Club
<u>Taft</u>	1938	#2096	13	Tues noon	Kiva Hut
<u>San Diego</u>	1938	#2093	23	Tues noon	Rotary Pavilion
Wednesday					
<u>Alice</u>	1938	#2058	32 (I)	W noon	Alice Country Club
<u>Corpus Christi Northwest</u>	1925	#2090	11 (I)	W noon	TBA
<u>Corpus Christi Southside</u>	1955	#2095	61 (R)	W noon	Corpus Christi Country Club
<u>Raymondville</u>	1929	#2087	25 (I)	W noon	Casa Blanca Restaurant
<u>Sinton</u>	1947	#2094	23	W noon	Backstreet Cafe
Thursday					

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<u>Corpus Christi</u>	1914	#2062	318 (I)	Th noon	Solomon Ortiz Center
<u>Corpus Christi Evening</u>	1992	#29110	6	Th 5:30 pm	Katz 21
<u>Falfurrias</u>	1927	#2067	12	Th noon	Stricklands
<u>Kingsville Sunrise</u>	1999	#52338	23 (I) (R)	Th 7 am	Linda's Mainstreet Cafe
<u>Port Aransas</u>	1985	#22399	45 (I)	Th noon	Pelican's Landing Rest.
<u>Rockport</u>	1948	#2091	37	Th noon	Rockport Country Club
Friday					
<u>Corpus Christi West</u>	1966	#2100	47	F noon	Corpus Christi Town Club

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