



# Southside Rotary Club of Corpus Christi Riptide

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## 2008-2009 Officers

**President:** Betty Frantum

**President Elect:** Lari Young

**Executive Secretary:** Matt Beavers

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### MEETING INFORMATION

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

### VISITING ROTARIANS & GUESTS

#### Visiting Rotarians Included:

#### From the Downtown Club:

Jack Green  
Mike Kershaw  
Leo Barrera

#### From the Ingleside Club

Gene Seaman

#### Guests of Rotarians

Lari Young's guest: Noel Vella, A&M Corpus Christi  
Rendell Webb's guest: Melanie Gavlik  
David Walker's guest: Mike Bridges

### NEXT WEEK'S PROGRAM



Wednesday, October 1

*Rotary Foundation Annual Program Fund*

Presenter: Albert L Perez, Jr.

### BRAGGIN' BUCKS

- **John Martinez** announced his one-year marriage anniversary.
- **Richard Espinosa** bragged on his 24th year with Whataburger.
- **Fred Hayden** bragged on his son, **Jackson**, chosen as "Gymnast of the Month."

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

- 50/50 raffle - \$20.00; Winner – **Alma Rodriguez**
- Ramp project is scheduled for October 4<sup>th</sup> (tentatively). **Zan Hackley** will provide more info at our next meeting.
- Hurricane Ike donations will be collected at next week's meeting. **President Betty Frantum** will request the Board's approval to match funds collected.
- **Art Lynn's** memorial service is pending. Any updated information will be emailed to Rotarians.
- **PDG Marilyn Spencer** is continuing an academic research and is asking for volunteers for the Tax Rebate survey.

## PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

**Lari Young** introduced our guest speakers, **Scott Street**, Interim Athletic Director of Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi and **Coach Perry Clark**. **Mr. Street** was named as IAD on August 7. He previously served as the athletic director at the University of Texas-Pan American where he was responsible for the institution's NCAA Division I intercollegiate athletics program. **Scott** is the author of "Life Skills for College Student-Athletes" published by McGraw-Hill. Veteran college coach **Perry Clark** became the second men's coach for the Islander Basketball program last season and returns for his second season in 2008-09. In his first season with the Islanders, **Clark** helped coach Chris Daniels to a third-team All-Southland Conference selection, as he became the all-time leading scorer. **Clark** also has coached 17 players who were drafted or have gone play in the NBA.

While the athletic program has developed a reputation for athletic excellence on the field, the athletes' performance in the classroom has been just as bright. The vision is for every student athlete to earn their degree, prepare the student athletes for their career, and to instill community service.

The Tarpon Foundation provides scholarship funding for Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi student athletes. It offers a variety of options to support and impact the future of the athletic programs.

To make a donation: [www.goislanders.com](http://www.goislanders.com)



*Erica Chimelski, Ambassadorial Scholar*

*Follow a Rotary Scholar's Year in Luxembourg*

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

## UPCOMING PROGRAMS-OCT

October Program Chair – Jerret Krouse



Wednesday, October 8

*Food Bank of Corpus Christi*

Presenter: Debra Bruce

Wednesday, October 15

*Rotaract Club at A&M-Corpus Christi*

Presenter: Rotaract Officers

Wednesday, October 22

*CCISD Bond Election*

Presenter: Scott Eliff, CCISD Superintendent

Wednesday, October 29

*Club Assembly*

Presenter: President Betty Frantum

## UPCOMING PROGRAMS-NOV

November Program Chair – PDG Don Ratcliff



Wednesday, November 5

*District Rotary Foundation*

Presenter: Art Zietler, Co-Chair

Wednesday, November 12

*Polio Plus*

Presenter: Joanne Settles

Wednesday, November 19

*Rotary Ambassadorial Alumnus*

Presenter: Jennifer Welden

Wednesday, November 26

*No Meeting*

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## ROTARY MINUTE

Dyke Henderson 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

*No report today*

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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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