

**The Four-Way Test**  
**Of the things** we think,  
 say or do:  
 1) Is it the TRUTH?  
 2) Is it FAIR to all concerned?  
 3) Will it build GOOD-WILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?  
 4) Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

*Interested in joining Rotary?*  
 Please contact our Membership Chairs:  
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PH: Paul Harris Fellows  
 SM: PH Sustaining Members  
 \* FWB Club Past Presidents  
 \*\* Past President Other Clubs  
 RotY: FWB Rotarian of the Year

Members in purple have perfect attendance.

**Area Make-Up Opportunities**

Don't forget that you can make up missed meetings at neighboring clubs. They include:

**Crestview:** 12 p.m. Wednesday at Samuel's Restaurant

**Destin:** 7:15 a.m. Tuesday at Rutherford's at Regatta Bay

**DeFuniak Springs:** 12 p.m. Wednesday at McLain's Family Steakhouse

**Mid-Bay:** 7 a.m. Wednesday at Superior Residences at Bluewater Bay

**Navarre:** 12 p.m. Friday at Beach Community Bank—Navarre

**Niceville- Valparaiso:** 12 p.m. Thursday at Northwest Florida State College Student Services Building

**South Walton:** 7:30 a.m. Thursday at Somerby, Santa Rosa Beach

# Rotary Roster

<b>Robert Anderson, SM CW</b> CPA	<b>Jody Henderson, PHF SM * RP</b> Accounting/Auditing	<b>Dusty Ricketts, SM CW</b> News Media
<b>Jack Arthur, PHF SM KS</b> Insurance	<b>Mitzi Henley, SM DB</b> Retail Shopping Center	<b>John Roper DB</b> Developmental Disabilities
<b>James Bass, SM</b> Funeral Director	<b>Jeff Hooton, PHF SM DB</b> Commercial Lending	<b>Dick Rynearson</b> Honorary Member
<b>Neal Bern SM CW</b> Insurance	<b>Laura Kirby (3) SM CW</b> Business Development	<b>Katie Sharon, SM KS</b> Banking
<b>Debbie Bodenshine, PHF SM RotY</b> Economic Development DB	<b>Richard Kunkel, PHF SM CW</b> Education	<b>Eulice Shelley, PHF * DB</b> Moving & Storage
<b>Ann Boynton SM KS</b> Property Management	<b>Chuck Landers, PHF SM LP</b> Certified Public Accountant	<b>Matt Simpson</b> Insurance and Bonding
<b>Joseph Brewster, PHF SM CW</b> Cable Television	<b>Ross LeBlanc, SM KS</b> Certified Public Accountant	<b>Scott Smith, PHF SM* RP</b> Chiropractor
<b>Mack Busbee, SM ** DB</b> County Government	<b>Tony Leonard, PHF SM ** LP</b> Retail/Musical Instruments	<b>Oxana Solovieva CW</b> Commercial Real Estate
<b>Tom Butcher</b> Honorary Member	<b>John Linn, PHF SM DB</b> Kitchens-Retail	<b>Rick Stevens, PHF SM RotY* LP</b> Surge Suppression Systems
<b>Kevin Cagle, SM LP</b> Office Machines	<b>David Macdonald PHF SM ** KS</b> Shopping Center Manager	<b>Steve Taylor RP</b> Management Consultant
<b>Gerry Chalker, (9) PHF SM * CW</b> Pension Administration	<b>Julie McNabb, SM KS</b> Developmental Disabilities	<b>Kent Tinsley KS</b> Commercial Banking
<b>Andy Corbin, PHF SM RotY* KS</b> Electronics Mfg.	<b>Joe Meyer, RotY PHF CW</b> Retail/Computers	<b>Herb Tinsley, PHF SM RotY* LP</b> Savings & Loan Mgmt.
<b>George Dorris, PHF SM CW</b> Dentistry	<b>David O. Miller, (13) PHF SM LP</b> Developmental Disabilities	<b>Forrest Townsend, PHF SM RotY*</b> Veterinarian KS
<b>JT Edwards, PHF SM RotY RP</b> Landscaping Owner	<b>John Morgan, PHF SM* CW</b> Computer Engineer	<b>Alex Trum, PHF RP</b> Orthodontist Retired
<b>Dan Empson</b> Honorary	<b>Matthew Morgan, RP</b> Electrical Engineer	<b>Matt Turpin, SM DB</b> Certified Public Accountant
<b>Cliff Ennis DB</b> Business IT Management	<b>Dan Nelson, PHF SM RP</b> Restaurant/Fast Food	<b>Aaron Webber, SM DB</b> Condo Management
<b>Ralph Fallin, (35) PHF SM RotY* DB</b> Dairy Products	<b>Michelle Nicholson, SM RP</b> Communications	<b>Charles West, (1) PHF SM* CW</b> Investment Broker
<b>Bob Fowner, PHF SM DB</b> Association Manager	<b>Rick Owen LP</b> Non-Profit Management	<b>Lisa Williams CW</b> Utilities
<b>Tony Gilligan, PHF SM RP</b> Government Contractor	<b>Roger Peadro, PHF SM RotY*</b> Pastor RP	<b>Jean Woo, PHF CW</b> Dentist
<b>Ben Gordon, SM LP</b> Attorney	<b>Mary Plummer, PHF LP</b> Real Estate Sales	<b>Jack Yeiser, PHF RP</b> Mortgage Broker
<b>Ron Grissom, SM KS</b> Utilities	<b>Lyndon Poff, PHF SM RotY LP</b> Paint & Body Shop	<b>Russ Youngblood PHF ** LP</b> Psychologist
<b>Chad Hamilton, PHF SM LP</b> CPA	<b>Diane Poff, SM LP</b> Paint & Body Shop	<b>Matt Zasada KS</b> CPA
<b>Ross Hamilton, SM DB</b> Education- College	<b>Jan Pooley, (10) PHF SM RotY*</b> Department Store KS	<b>Billy Bowlegs Drawdown Teams</b>
<b>Sallie Hardy, PHF DB</b> Commercial Properties	<b>Charlie Potts, PHF SM* KS</b> Jeweler	<b>Charles West CW \$4,400</b>
<b>Tom Hayes, PHF SM RP</b> Financial Services	<b>Fred Pryor, PHF SM RotY* KS</b> Utility Service-Gas	<b>Roger Peadro RP \$5,600</b>
		<b>Debbie Bodenshine DB \$4,500</b>
		<b>Katie Sharon KS \$ 5,800</b>
		<b>Lyndon Poff LP \$11550</b>



# The Rotary Reader

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**Rotary Club of Fort Walton Beach**  
**Presidential Citation Award Winner for 20 Years**

**May is**  
**Youth Services Month**  
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**Today's Speakers: Ashley Cronley and Ross Cole**  
**Healthy Coast Meals**

**Board of Directors**

- President:** Katie Sharon
- President Elect:** Aaron Webber
- Secretary:** Ron Grissom
- Treasurer:** Ross LeBlanc
- Past President:** Charles West
- At Large:** Dusty Ricketts and Chuck Landers
- Senior Member:** Eulice Shelley
- Sergeant at Arms:** Mack Busbee, JT Edwards, Jeff Hooton, Jean Woo



Ashley Cronley, a New Orleans native, professional fitness competitor and certified fitness nutrition coach and Ross Cole, entrepreneur and restaurateur are taking healthy eating to the next level with Healthy Coast Meals. Eating healthy can be very challenging not to mention the time it takes to plan and prepare. At Healthy Coast Meals it is their mission to take the guesswork out of clean eating and help you achieve a balanced lifestyle. Their goal is to eliminate the inconvenience and stress of planning, shopping, cooking and cleaning by providing each customer with delicious, healthy meals delivered to right to your door! All of their meals are prepared fresh with all-natural, whole ingredients in a licensed commercial kitchen and sold fully cooked so all you have to do is heat and eat! Whether your goal is to lose weight, build muscle, or just have healthy meal options for you and your family Healthy Coast Meals has you covered. Ashley and Ross are committed to providing exceptional service to each and every customer and they are excited to make clean eating simple on the Emerald Coast!

**Committee Chairs**

- Club Admin:** Joe Meyer
- Programs:** Dusty Ricketts
- Socials:** Neal Bern, Lyndon Poff
- Bulletin:** Jan Pooley
- Public Relations:** Lisa Williams
- Membership:** Laura Kirby, Andy Corbin
- Rotary Foundation:** Joe Brewster
- Service Projects:** Rick Owen
- Youth Services:** Ross Hamilton
- Scholarship Inc:** Matt Turpin
- Scholarship Drawdown:** Ron Grissom, Ross LeBlanc
- Executive Secretary:** Lorrageia Jackson  
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**May is Rotary Youth Services Month**

- May is Rotary Youth Services Month. Youth Service includes Rotaract, Interact, Rotary Youth Leadership Awards (RYLA) and Rotary Youth Exchange (RYE). Rotary Youth Service supports development of young people up to 30 years old. District 6940 supports all four of the Rotary Youth Programs but we have the opportunity to grow all of these programs significantly. DG Roger would like to challenge all clubs to consider expanding their youth service programs by doing one of the following:
- Sponsor either a university based or community based Rotaract club for individuals 18-30 years of age.
  - Sponsor a high school Interact club.
  - Sponsor a 10<sup>th</sup> grade student for RYLA. This camp is held on a long weekend each spring in Milton, FL..
  - Sponsor an inbound or outbound student for RYE. This gives students an opportunity to visit other countries and experience new cultures.

Remember: By supporting these programs we are developing future Rotarians.

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**District website: [www.rotary690.org](http://www.rotary690.org)**



**Celebrate The Rotary Foundation's Centennial at the RI Convention Atlanta, GA June 10-14, 2017**

Registration \$490

Just 6.5 weeks until the RI Convention in Atlanta.

There's still time to register and limited hotel rooms are still available.

Tuesday, June 13, Rotary will premiere its latest virtual reality film. The two themes of polio and peace will be featured and emphasize how Rotary's work to eradicate the disease is creating stability the world over. The experience will follow the extraordinary journey of a child whose world has been torn apart by conflict.

The club elected President Katie to serve as our voting delegate to the business meeting during the convention.

FWB Rotarians who have registered for the convention include: Katie Sharon, Jean Woo, Debbie Bodenshtine, Joe Meyer, Lyndon & Diane Poff, Jan Pooley and Sallie Hardy

**Plan now to Attend!**

For more information visit: [www.riconvention.org](http://www.riconvention.org)

**The Value of International Partnerships**

Collaboration between international partners is a key feature of global grants. Thanks to the Rotary network, it's possible to work toward a common goal with Rotarians from other countries, which offers a wonderful opportunity to promote peace in the world. Project partners can also provide valuable financial resources, technical expertise, and management experience. Plus, international partners can offer differing ideas and strategies, leading to more effective problem-solving and innovation.

Here are the resources that can help find partners:

**Rotary Ideas** is a platform that allows you to request partners, materials, or international support and contributions

**Rotary Discussion Groups** are forums for clubs to exchange project ideas and request assistance

**Rotarian Action Groups** are made up of members and others who are experts in a particular field and who help club and district projects

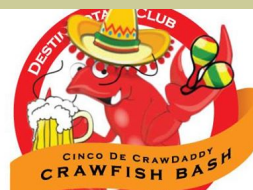
**Intercountry Committees** are networks of Rotary clubs and districts in two or more countries working together on service projects, sponsoring new clubs or other activities

**Project Fairs** are regional events that Rotary districts host to encourage international friendship and collaboration

**Rotary Fellowships** are independent social groups that share an interest in a hobby, recreational activity or profession

For more information go to [www.rotary.org](http://www.rotary.org).

**Destin Rotary's Crawfish Bash**



The Destin Rotary Club is holding their annual Crawfish Bash (Cinco de Crawdaddy) Friday, May 5 beginning at 5:30. Location is 36474 Emerald Coast Parkway in Destin. Tickets are \$30 for adults and \$10 for children. They'll have Zydeco music, cold beverages and of course crawfish and trimmings. The event is kid

friendly. Contact any Destin Rotarian for your tickets. President is Jason Belcher ([jasonb@fnbt.com](mailto:jasonb@fnbt.com))

**Mid-Bay Rotary's Golf Tournament**

The Mid-Bay Rotary club is holding its 19th Annual Charity Golf Tournament Friday, June 2 at the Bluewater Bay Golf Course (Bay and Marsh Courses). Format is a Four Person Florida Scramble. Sign-in and lunch starts at noon with a shotgun start at 1pm. Individual players (non BWB Golf Course members) - \$75/4 person team—\$300. Hole sponsorships are available. Teams will be flighted based on players' Handicap Index.

Prizes for 1st and 2nd place in the A and B flights plus Closest to the Pin, Longest Drive, Hole-in-One and Putting Challenge.

POC is Art Jean—850-897-3658 or [Arthur.jean@cox.net](mailto:Arthur.jean@cox.net)

**Scholarship Drawdown—\$31,850 to Date!**

We're three weeks out from our 3rd Annual Drawdown and much remains to be done.

First and foremost—sell your tickets. Each member is expected to sell 5 tickets (you will be charged for a minimum of 2 if you don't sell any). **If you know you are not going to sell your tickets, turn them in to your team captain now** so they may be distributed to club members who will sell them.

\$25,000 is our approximate breakeven point. We want to clear \$30,000 or more. May 12 is the deadline for turning in all sold and unsold tickets. This is needed so that the committee has time to input the information in the system so we can begin the event on time. **Do not plan to turn in your sold or unsold tickets or money the night of the event.**

Members who have sold sponsorships are responsible for communicating with Lisa Williams or Richard Kunkel on how many people plan to attend using the sponsor's tickets. They need this information to plan the sponsor table seating. Please work now to finalize your sponsorships so that we can properly recognize them the night of the event.

Don't forget to secure commitments for "Loser Prizes". Those should be turned in to Mary Plummer or Sallie Hardy (Loser 1 and Loser 2). They will be happy to pick up the prizes from the donors but everyone needs to help get the commitments.

We will meet at the Fairgrounds at 5:30 Thursday night, May 18, to set up for the event. This will be in lieu of a regular meeting Wednesday, May 17. Food will be provided. Anyone available, please come at 11am Thursday to set the lighting.

Volunteers should arrive around 4pm Friday in advance of the event. Wear your Red Event shirts.

Ted Corcoran will serve as emcee for the evening. Johnny Lee is the guitar player/singer.

Lyndon's team remains in the lead with \$11,550; Katie's team has moved into second.

**See page 4 for team results! Keep selling those tickets so we can award more scholarships.**

**Upcoming Programs and Activities**

5/10	Regular Meeting	Scholarship, Inc.
5/17	No Regular Meeting	Drawdown Set-up is the weekly meeting
5/18	Drawdown Set-Up	NW Florida Fairgrounds (11am to set lighting; 5:30 set-up)
5/19	Drawdown	NW Florida Fairgrounds—volunteers arrive at 4pm
5/23	Club Board Meeting	11:30 am; Katie's Office
6/07	Regular Meeting	Paul Hsu, STEM Education
6/10-6/14	RI Convention	Atlanta, GA

Did You Know? You can attend a club board meeting, committee meeting or project as a make-up.

**Birthdays and Anniversaries**

April Birthdays		April Anniversaries		April Club Anniv	
Laura Kirby	5/07	5/19 Dusty & Jenny Ricketts (5)	Fred Pryor	5/01	44 yrs
Neal Bern	5/18	5/19 Jody & Cheryl Henderson	Jack Yeiser	5/01	32 yrs
Tom Hayes	5/24	(27)	Jody Henderson	5/04	29 yrs
		5/23 Ralph & Barbara Fallin (52)	Dan Nelson	5/09	16 yrs
		5/28 Rick & Kimberly Owen	Kent Tinsley	5/28	9 yrs

**The Object of Rotary**

**The Object of Rotary** is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster: **FIRST** the development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service

**SECOND** High ethical standards in business and professions, the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations, and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society

**THIRD** The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business and community life

**FOURTH** The advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.



The Global Polio Eradication Initiative (GPEI) is a public-private partnership led by national governments with 5 key partners: The World Health Organization (WHO), Rotary International, the CDC, UNICEF and the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation.