



The Rotaripost

December 27, 2016

Keynote *Stories by Rotarians*

In our last meeting of the year, we have a tradition of spotlighting members who would like to share one of their memories with us. This is always a fun program as we get to know a bit more about our fellow Rotarians.

Next Tuesday we will hear from Dr. Rodney Crews, Lawrence Calhoun and Kandi Moore. We already have a line-up started for our 2017 program so be thinking about sharing a life adventure with us next year.

Rotaract Club of Bossier Parish Community College is born!

President Jeb formally announced last Tuesday that our club is sponsoring the new Rotaract Club at BPCC. Faculty co-sponsors are Kelly McDade (a Rotary Foundation alumnus, former GSE team member) and Tiffany Sandifer (a former LSUS Rotaract Club member).

Thanks to the efforts and encouragement of Chancellor Rick Bateman, Gayle Flowers, Jack Sharp, Miles Hitchcock, Mark Jusselin, Joe Littlejohn and Wayne Hogue this new club is off to a great start. We will have their induction ceremony at our club meeting on February 21, 2017.



(Right) Part of the Rotaract Club members serving at the Food Bank. Notice that many of them are wearing our Food Truck t-shirts! See their thank you note on page 4.



**Tuesday,
12:00 Noon**

**12:13 p.m.
Bell-Ringing**

**Shreveport
Convention
Center**

**Rotarians
Serving Others**

<i>Emily</i>	<i>Money</i>
<i>Mott</i>	<i>Table</i>
<i>Wayne Hogue</i>	<i>Raffle</i>
<i>Doug Abington</i>	<i>Scanner- Greeter-4Way Test</i>
<i>Andy Fisher</i>	<i>Invocation</i>
<i>Someone Wonderful & Kermit Poling</i>	<i>Music</i>

Another new Paul Harris Fellowship

Patrick Cord joined our club in May 2016 and is a second generation Rotarian. Pat was also involved in his high school's Interact Club. He received his Paul Harris Fellowship pin and certificate from President Jeb on Tuesday.

Pat earned his B.A. degree in political science and government from Texas Tech University and received his Air Force commission through the ROTC program there. He retired from the Air Force as a Brig. General in 2012. He is a command pilot with 3,300 hours in T-37, T-38 and A-10 aircraft.

During his Air Force career, Pat prepared for his life after retirement by securing his Certified Financial Planner designation. He is the co-founder of Pinnacle Asset Management Corp.

Pat is involved with the Shreveport-Bossier Military Affairs Council and volunteers with the Wounded Warrior Project.



More Veteran Honor Awards presented

Brig. General (retired) Patrick Cord presented three Louisiana Veterans Honor Medals last Tuesday.

Michael T. Ferrell, a veteran of the U.S. Navy, served in the Philippines during the Vietnam era.

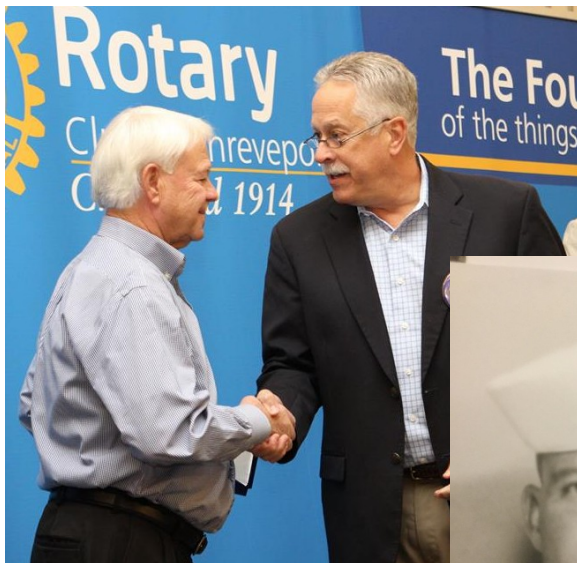
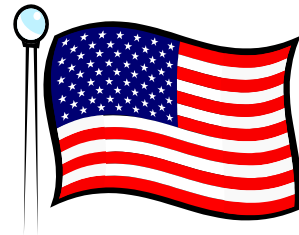
He was an E-4 and received the National Defense Service Medal.



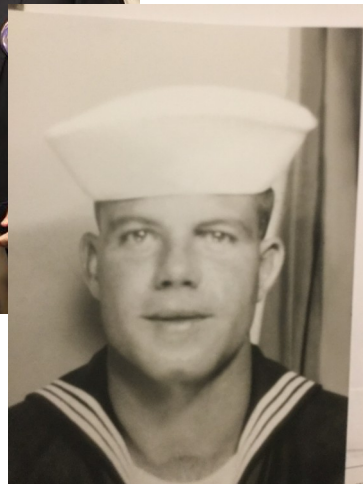
Mike Ferrell—then and now

Lawrence Brandon served in the U.S. Air Force from 1985-1995 which included Operation Desert Shield/Desert Storm. Bases included RAF Mildenhall (United Kingdom), Lackland AFB and Barksdale AFB. Lawrence was Sergeant, Social Actions Journeyman Substance Abuse Controller. He received numerous medals and ribbons during his service.

Lawrence Brandon, - then and now



John Parsons served in the U.S. Navy from 1961-1964 and spent 28 months stationed aboard USS Orleans Parish and USS Owens. During the Cuban Missile Crisis he spend 17 days on a destroyer on patrol duty off the coast of Cuba.



John Parsons—now and then



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Raffle Winners Last Week

TRF Raffle—James Blewett

Thanks for your contribution to The Rotary Foundation—this applies toward your next PHF

Rose-Neath Flower Shop—David Cook

Andy Shehee's hen eggs—James Blewett

Game of Life from Joe Littlejohn—David Cook

Satsumas from Jon Lowe—John Tuggle

Rotary umbrella—Greg Juneau

Program on January 3, 2017

**Food Bank of Northwest LA
Martha Marak**

**Shreveport Convention Center
Regular Room**

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

Unless written objection is received within seven days, there will be added to the membership of

Rotary Club of Shreveport
the following:

D. Garrett Hill
Attorney

The Smitherman Law Firm
Shreveport

Classification

Law Practice

Proposed by

Jim Hill

Dear Rotarians — 12/2016
We thank you for the Food Truck t-shirt donation to the newly formed Rotaract Club of Bossier Parish Community College! They were immediately worn by our NWLA Food Bank volunteers, giving them a sense of pride & unity from the get go! We appreciate your continued support & we look forward to future opportunities to collaborate! Sincerely,

Thank you so much for the T-shirt!!
Alicia Caudill

Kelly M. Dade
Rotaract Co-Sponsor
Thank you! Annabel Strick

Thank you, the donation was much appreciated

We Appreciate You So Much!
MARION MARKRAY

Daniel Davis
Thank you for the opportunity to give back

Love the shirt!

Adrian A. Welch

Thanks for shirts Darryl Lynn Bingham

Thank you so much! Ashleigh Marshall