

# Rotaripost

# Keynote

# North Louisiana Economic Partnership

Scott Martinez is in his fourth year as president of the North Louisiana Economic Partnership (NLEP). With offices in Shreveport and Monroe, NLEP serves 14 parishes. NLEP is one of only 51 Accredited Economic Development Organizations in North America.

A native of Laurel, Mississippi, Scott holds a bachelor's degree from Ole Miss as well as a masters degree in economic development from the University of Southern Mississippi. He has been designated a Certified Economic Developer by the International Economic Development Council.

Prior to joining NLEP in 2013, Scott served in economic development roles in the Houston and Austin markets as well as his home state of Mississippi. He was involved in economic development projects for firms such as

Scott Martinez

Dell, Hewlett-Packard, IKEA, National Oilwell/Varco, McKesson, Hempel Coatings, R&M Energy Systems, HEB, NewQuest Properties and Simon.

Scott currently serves as a director of the 5,000 member International Economic Development Council. He also serves as an instructor in the True South Economic Development course held annually at the Trent Lott Center at the University of Southern Mississippi.

Martinez lives in Shreveport and is a member of Broadmoor United Methodist Church.



**Rotary International Convention events** 

#### An Evening at The World of Coca-Cola

Monday, June 12, 2017—7:00 p.m. Buffet and reception for Rotarians and their guests

Tour the world headquarters for Coca-Cola, visit the vault where the original formula is secured, taste 100+ beverages from around the world.

Get tickets here!

Tuesday, 12:00 Noon

12:13 p.m. Bell-Ringing

Shreveport Convention Center

#### Rotarians **Serving Others**

James Money Table Adams

John Tuggle Raffle

> Scanner-Greeter-4Way Test

Amanda Gouthiere

Invocation

Charlotta Nordyke

Music

& Kermit

Poling



Carlton Golden received his PHF+1 and PHF+2 pins last Tuesday. He moved up two levels in his giving to The Rotary Foundation.

Carlton is president and co-owner of Builders Supply, a 104 year old Shreveport company. He has served on boards for National Ready Mix Concrete Association and Louisiana Concrete & Aggregates Association. Locally he has served on boards for these organizations: Shreveport and Bossier Chambers of Commerce, Greater Bossier Economic Development Foundation, I-49 International Coalition, Associated General Contractors, Home Builders Association, member of the Committee of One Hundred.

Carlton is a legacy member of our club and was sponsored in our club by his fellow Rotarian dad Grady Golden. He was a member of the Rotary Club of Bossier City for 12 years previously.

After receiving his PHF recognition, Carlton shared that he attended Rotary meetings with Grady starting he was about 4 years old. He recalls Donald Trump's presentation to the club many years ago.



Carlton Golden speaks to the group

Condolences to the family of former Rotarian Dr. Roy Horton who passed away on January 7, 2017.

Services were held last Friday.

Roy was a member of our club from 1987 to 2012. He was instrumental in establishing our service project at the Rescue Mission.





#### **Rescue Mission Volunteers**

February 2, 2017

Zelda Tucker David Cook

Jerry Boughton Delbert Chumley

Kim Green

February 9. 2017

Francesca Moreland Bob Neff

Jerry Boughton Delbert Chumley

Fred Ratzburg

### They're going fast!

At the meeting last Tuesday, assistant governor and past club president Reggie Abrams invited all members to attend District 6190's Foundation Banquet on February 25 in Monroe.

The club's Board of Directors has offered to pay the full registration (\$60) of any club member who would like to attend as well as 1/2 (\$30) of any spouse/guest who would like to attend. This would be available for the first 10 registrations....there are only six spots left available on this offer. Let Judy know ASAP if you want one of those spots.



Leadership Class Offered Free—Saturday, March 4, 2017 Sheriff's Safety Town, Shreveport 8:00 a.m.—3:00 p.m. Includes free lunch

Ask Judy about this opportunity





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#### Raffle Winners Last Week

TRF Raffle—David Cook

Thanks for your contribution to The Rotary Foundation—this applies toward your next PHF Rose-Neath Flower Shop—Carol Barnes

Andy Shehee's hen eggs—Stephen Oden

## Program on February 21, 2017

Induction Ceremony for
Rotaract Club of Bossier Parish
Community College

**Shreveport Convention Center** 

# February Club Anniversaries \*PHF +Past President \*Major Donor (includes other club's service)

24 years	James Blewett*, Larry Millican*
23 years	Rich Brontoli*
16 years	Vance Bailes*, Dayne Hassell*
15 years	Carlton Golden*
12 years	Mark Snow*
10 years	Kermit Poling*
8 years	Martha Marak*
3 years	Lamar Goree*
1 year	Verni Howard, Amanda Simpson

# 2017 Scheduled Rotary blood drives

March 14
June 6
September 5
December 12

### Mark Your Calendar!

