



Rotaripost

NOON — 12:00
Meeting
February 2,
2021

Keynote

Caddo-Bossier Parishes Port Commission

Eric England is the Executive Port Director of the Caddo Bossier Parishes Port Commission and has served in this role since 2005. With 25 years of port, economic development, maritime, transportation and operations experience, he serves as the Commission's Chief Executive Officer by leading all Port activity within the Port area, an area comprised of the entire Parishes of Caddo and Bossier.



Eric England



Since joining the Port Commission in 1995, public and private investment of more than \$1.5 billion and employment in excess of 1,900 has been generated by the Port. Eric was the Port Commission's Director of Marketing and Sales and Deputy Port Director before being named Executive Port Director.

Eric serves on the Board of Directors of the National Waterways Conference and locally on the YMCA of Northwest Louisiana. He has served as President of the Gulf Ports Association of the Americas and two consecutive terms as President of the Ports Association of Louisiana.

In 2004 he received the Professional Port Manager designation from the American Association of Port Authorities.

A veteran, Eric enlisted in the Louisiana Army National Guard while a junior at Capt. Shreve High School and served with the 1st Battalion 156th Armor Division during Desert Shield/Desert Storm. He received his bachelor's and master's degrees from Louisiana Tech University. Married to the former Amy Doughty, they have two children, Allen and Lillie.

Let me know if all the registrations are gone on Eventbrite and you wish to attend. I can start a list for the overflow room at the Hilton.

TEXT to Judy at 318-294-8385

**Tuesday,
12:00 Noon**

**Historical Start
12:13 p.m.**

**In-Person at
Hilton Hotel
Restaurant &
Zoom On-Line
Option**

Rotarians Serving Others

Money *Amanda*
Table *Simpson*

Raffle *Debra*
Sales *Williams*

Invocation *David*
 Ginsburg

Zoom *Mark Snow*
 &
Operators *Kristen*
 Powers

Greeter *Katherine*
Scanner *Dorroh*

Hybrid Meetings

We will continue to offer hybrid meetings (in-person and Zoom). Here is the Zoom invite that can be used through June 29, 2021. If you are unable to use the link, simply sign into your free Zoom account, click on the option to Join a Meeting and use the Meeting ID and Password. The waiting room will be used to monitor admittance and avoid any “Zoom bombing”.

Topic: Rotary Club of Shreveport Weekly Meeting
Time: February 2, 2021—12:00 PM Central Time

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83836609051?pwd=VGlxUUFFL0ILSGIwVFNEM3kzL0dGZz09>

Meeting ID: 838 3660 9051

Passcode: 870740

Dial by your location

+1 346 248 7799 US (Houston)

Meeting ID: 838 3660 9051

Passcode: 870740

Find your local number: <https://us02web.zoom.us/u/k1yztg9pq>

Last Week's Program

What a great program last week! **Dr. Steen Trawick**, CEO of the CHRISTUS Health System, spoke about the expansions at their main campus on Bert Kouns. He spoke about their partnership with Ochsner LSU on the COVID vaccine. Very informative and interesting!

You can view the video of the meeting on our Facebook page at [this link](#).



Sponsorship Deadline January 31, 2021 to be shown on ticket
Sponsorships are tax deductible to Rotary Club of Shreveport Foundation



2021 Raffle

Honda Pioneer 700

Proceeds benefit:



Rotary Club of Shreveport LA common ground community

	Corporate Representative Speech	Logo on Signage at Rotary Meetings	Logo on Raffle Tickets	Social Media Presence
Presenting Sponsor (\$10,000)	✓	Large logo ✓	Logo on front ✓	✓
Platinum Sponsor (\$5,000)		Medium logo ✓	✓	✓
Gold Sponsor (\$1,000)			✓	✓
Silver Sponsor (\$500)				✓

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(Above, from left) Tommy Chandler (guest of Joe Littlejohn), Merritt Chasttain, Joe Littlejohn.



(Above) Mary Webber (guest) with Gayle Flowers.

Menu for February 2nd at the Hilton Hotel Restaurant

Rotisserie chicken, mashed potatoes, collard greens, salad, dessert

Please call or text Judy Bellew at 318-294-8385 if you want an alternate entrée.

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

Unless written objection is received within seven days, there will be added to the membership of the **Rotary Club of Shreveport** the following:

Steven Bell

Senior Pastor
First United Methodist Church
Shreveport, LA

Classification

Religion, Methodist

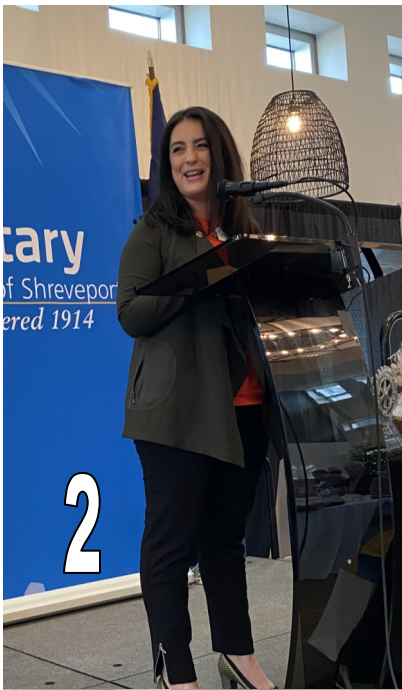
Proposed by

Wishy Nolan and Greg Lott



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1—Doug Abington and Greg Lott in the overflow room.



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2—Francesca Benten-Moreland introduced the speaker.

3—Steven Bell (guest) and Wishy Nolan.

4—Deb Poore, Nancy Alexander and Martha Marak.



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Notice anything about this picture?



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questions about the club.

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Raffle Winners Last Week

TRF Raffle—Mike Ferrell

*Thank you for your donation to The Rotary Foundation.
This applies toward your Paul Harris Fellowship*

Gift bag from Rose-Neath Florist—

Margaret Wallace

Eggs from Andy Shehee's chickens—

Deb Poore, Elton Richey, Doug Bland, Mike
Ferrell

Holy Angels gift basket—Deb Poore

Upcoming In-Person (Hilton Restaurant) and Zoom Program

February 9, 2021

**Johnum Palado,
Virtuoso, violinist and com-
poser**

Birthdays

* Paul Harris Fellow + Past President PDG Past District Governor

◆ Major Donor

February 2	Brad Gosslee*
February 4	Hardy Foreman*, Walt Gaskins
February 6	Trey Giglio*
February 7	Scott Hughes
February 9	John Cox*
February 10	Bill Anderson*
February 11	Billy Washburne*
February 13	Mark Medicus*, Tom Mee*
February 14	Jon Lowe*
February 19	Deb Poore
February 20	Doug Bland*
February 21	Harry McInnis*
February 24	Mark Snow*
February 27	Rodney Crews

Twenty Benefits of Rotary Membership

#10—Cultural Awareness—Around the world, practically every religion, country, culture, race, creed, political persuasion, language, color and ethnic identity is found in Rotary. It is a cross section of the world's most prominent citizens from every background. Rotarians become aware of their cultures and learn to love and work with people everywhere. They become better citizens of their countries in the process.