



Rotaripost

February 27, 2018

Keynote Update on Caddo Parish Schools



Dr. T. Lamar Goree

Dr. T. Lamar Goree is a native of Shreveport and a graduate of Huntington High School. He received his bachelor's degree from Morehouse College, his master's degree and his Ph.D. in educational leadership from the University of Texas at Arlington.

He began his career as a math teacher in Marietta, Georgia following in the footsteps of his mother and father who were career educators in Caddo Parish Public Schools. Soon Goree was recruited to the Ft. Worth ISD where he taught math. After just a few years he was selected to serve in his first administrative role as an assistant principal at Leonard Middle School in Ft. Worth.

Soon after, Dr. Goree became a principal, then assistant superintendent and then area superintendent in the Mansfield, Texas school system.

In 2013 Dr. Goree was selected as the superintendent of Caddo Parish Public Schools and now serves over 40,000 students with 62 schools, including three charter agreements.

In addition to his work in the district, Lamar serves Caddo Parish and Shreveport through his involvement with the Committee of 100, Step Forward, Strategic Action Council, Caddo Children and Youth Planning Board, and Caddo Sheriff's Safety Town Advisory Board.

Lamar and his wife, Kimberly, met in math class during their junior year at Huntington High School. They have two children.

Not long after his return to Shreveport, Lamar was invited to join our Rotary club. He became a Paul Harris Fellow in 2016.



Tuesday, 12:00 Noon

12:13 p.m. Historical Start

Shreveport Convention Center

Rotarians Serving Others

Milton Hutchinson *Money Table*

Monica Wright *Raffle*

Need A Volunter *Scanner-Greeter-4Way Test*

Mark Medicus *Invocation Inspiration*

Tom Arceneaux *And Music*
Kermit Poling

VOCATIONAL SERVICE IN ACTION



The concept of vocational service is rooted in the Object of Rotary, which calls on Rotarians to encourage and foster:

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

One of the ways that you can put this ideal into action is to talk about your profession in your club and take time to learn about fellow members' occupations.

Last Tuesday we heard from Rotarian Richard Brontoli who told us a bit of his work as executive director of the Red River Valley Association. Many of our members did not realize the scope of his responsibilities and we learned information about the Red River lock and dam system, silting and flooding conditions as well as the needed legislative interaction.

Rich Brontoli provided information about his vocation on Tuesday.

Through your vocation or hobbies, do you have knowledge that most of us do not? We have enjoyed programs about maintaining the navigability of the Red River, insects and other critters that bug us, and the honey-bee business. Talk to Jarrod Horton or Verni Howard about presenting to our club.



Club Calendar

DATE	TIME	EVENT NAME	LOCATION / COMMENTS
February			
Tue Feb 27, 18	11:00A	Membership Committee meeting	Room 209, Shreveport Convention Center
Tue Feb 27, 18	12:13P	Program - Caddo School District Update	Rooms 206-208, Shreveport Convention Center
Tue Feb 27, 18	01:00P	Civic Grant Committee	Room 209, Shreveport Convention Center
Tue Feb 27, 18	01:05P	Red Badge Committee	Corner of lunch room, Shreveport Convention Center
March			
Thu Mar 01, 18	04:45P	Rescue Mission Service Project	Rescue Mission, McNeil St., Shreveport
Tue Mar 06, 18	12:13P	Program - Scholarship Awards	Rooms 206-208, Shreveport Convention Center
Tue Mar 06, 18	01:15P	Board Meeting	Room 209, Shreveport Convention Center
Thu Mar 08, 18	04:45P	Rescue Mission Service Project	McNeil St., Shreveport, LA
Tue Mar 13, 18	10:00A	Blood Drive	Room next to Exhibit Hall 1, Shreveport Convention Center
Tue Mar 13, 18	12:13P	Program - Dr. Christopher Kevil, LSUHSC	Room Change: Exhibit Hall 1, Shreveport Convention Center
Tue Mar 13, 18	01:00P	By-Laws Committee	Corner of dining room in Exhibit Hall 1
Tue Mar 20, 18	12:13P	Program - TBA	Room Change: Ballroom A, Shreveport Convention Center
Tue Mar 20, 18	01:00P	Civic Grant Committee	Corner of Ballroom A
Tue Mar 20, 18	05:00P	Food Bank Service Project	Food Bank, Texas Ave., Shreveport, LA
Tue Mar 27, 18	11:00A	The Dating Game	Room 209, Shreveport Convention Center
Tue Mar 27, 18	12:13P	Program - TBA	Rooms 206-208, Shreveport Convention Center
April			

With Sympathy

Our sympathy to Wishy Nolan and his family. His son John died on February 19, 2018. Services were held in Dallas on February 24, 2018.



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Rotary Club of Shreveport offers monthly service opportunities with ALL of our nonprofit members. It is our hope that this will re-emphasize the SERVICE ABOVE SELF motto and that these organizations will obtain new volunteers!



Food Bank “Pack the Senior Boxes”

Tuesday, March 20th—5:00 p.m. or a bit earlier—takes no more than an hour!

February Volunteers: Kristen Brown, David Ginsburg, Ken Krueger, Mike Ferrell, Judy Bellew, Rotarians from the RiverBend club, two international students on the LSUS soccer team.

Rescue Mission “March Supper Service Dates”

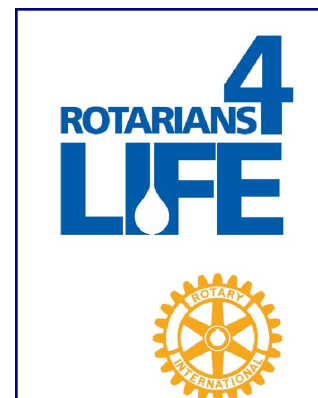
March 1 and March 8 (always 1st and 2nd Thursdays)

4:45 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Limited spots—contact [Zelda Tucker](#) or [Judy Bellew](#) to get on the rotation list



WHAT? Rotary Blood Donation Drive
 WHEN? March 13, 2018—10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.
 WHERE? Room next to Exhibit Hall 1 on first floor of Shreveport Convention Center
 WHY? Save a life!





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Raffle Winners Last Week

TRF Raffle—Peyton Cole

Flowers from Rose-Neath Florist—

Lawrence Calhoun

Andy Shehee's hen eggs—Merritt Chastain

Program on March 6, 2018

Rotary Scholarship Awards

Rooms 206-208

Shreveport Convention Center

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:

Keith Hanson

CEO

Twin Engine Labs

Shreveport

Classification

Computer & Information Technology

Proposed by

Teri Haynes

Dr. Staughton Jennings

Executive Director

Linwood Public Charter School

Shreveport

Classification

Education, Charter Schools

Proposed by

Gard Wayt

So you wanna be in movies?

Let one of the PR committee members know!
Several have already "auditioned"!

