



# Rotaripost

March 27,  
2018

## Keynote

## The State of the City

**Ollie S. Tyler**, a Caddo Parish native, was married to the late Rev. James C. Tyler and is the proud mother of one son, Tony Tyler, one stepdaughter, Wanda Tyler Kimble and two grandchildren.

Mayor Tyler received a BS degree from Grambling State University, Master of Education degree from LSU-Baton Rouge, and an Honorary Doctorate degree from Centenary College. She served as superintendent of Caddo Parish public schools, state deputy superintendent of education and interim state superintendent of education for Louisiana.



Mayor Ollie Tyler

She was named the Louisiana Superintendent of the Year for 2006-2007, was inducted into the JA Business Hall of Fame in 2006, received the 2007 Athena Award for excellence in leadership and service, and received the Phi Delta Kappa National Citation Award. Mrs. Tyler has earned many other awards/recognitions that are too numerous to name. In 2012, she retired from the Louisiana Department of Education after spending 43 years in education.

In 2014 Shreveport voters elected her as Mayor of Shreveport. Her vision for the city is that Shreveport will be a thriving city where every citizen is afforded a safe environment, economic opportunity, education and training.

Tuesday,  
12:00 Noon

12:13 p.m.  
Historical Start

Shreveport  
Convention  
Center

### Rotarians Serving Others

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|-------------------|---------------------------|
| Margaret Wallace  | Money Table               |
| Jon Keith         | Raffle                    |
| Connor Peterson   | Scanner-Greeter-4Way Test |
| Darrell Rebouche  | Invocation Inspiration    |
| Jesse Gilmore     | Music                     |
| And Kermit Poling |                           |

### IMPORTANT

Meeting next Tuesday, March 27th  
Back to our regular rooms 206-208

*(When the Convention Center moves us, just remember that there is another group in the building spending money in the Shreveport-Bossier area!)*

## THE DATING GAME

(a networking event)

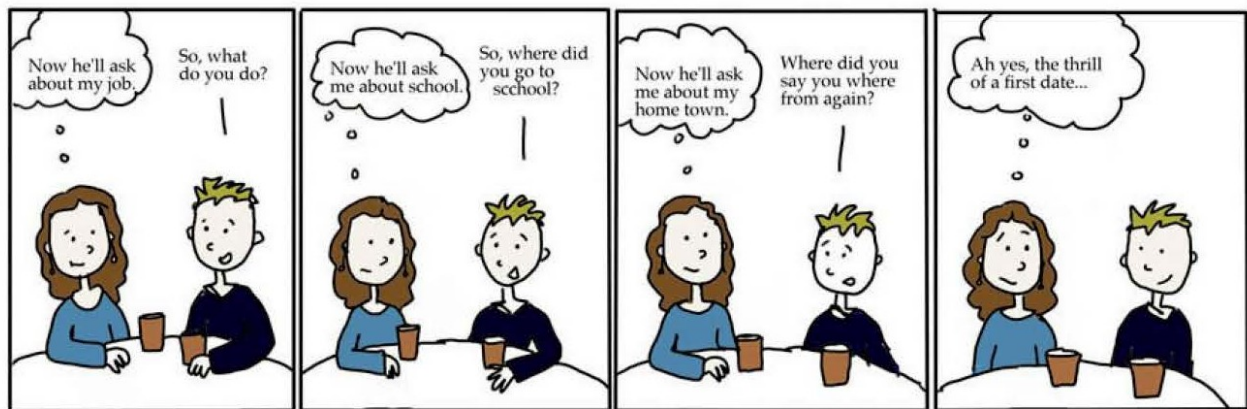
Business networking is like ... dating. If you dive in for the kiss when you first meet, you may receive a knuckle sandwich in the kisser!

First, you have to get to know each other, learn what you have in common, and hopefully become friends. Remember, people tend to do business with people they know and like.

Tuesday, March 27, 2018

11:00 – 11:45

Shreveport Convention Center, room #209



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## Centennial Dedication

Watch for information about the dedication ceremony recognizing a gift from our club to the community.



*(Above) Some of our Rotarians standing to sing.*

*(Right) Stephanie Sievers, Amanda Simpson and Margaret Wallace visited on Tuesday.*



**Food Bank Volunteers  
David Ginsburg & Ken Krueger  
Click here for a video link!**

## Looking for campers for a FREE fun week!

Camp RYLA (Rotary Youth Leadership Awards) provides student leaders an opportunity to expand and hone their leadership skills at a one-week seminar which is staffed and operated by volunteer Rotarians from Rotary District 6190.

Our club will sponsor fees and provide transportation for four students to this camp to take place **June 24-30, 2018** at the OWL Center (Outdoor Wilderness Learning Center) outside of Dubach, LA.

Rising high school juniors (sophomores going into their junior year), male and female, are eligible. When space permits the camp has accepted campers one year younger or one year older.

Camp RYLA consists of:

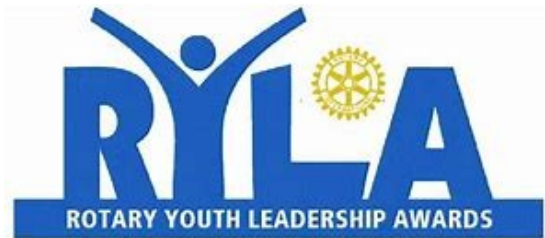
Leadership training via:

- Outstanding speakers from all across District 6190
- Discussion groups
- Rap sessions with fellow campers and Rotarian staff members.

Activities to include:

- Daily competitions among camper groups
- Team building projects
- Outdoor activities such as swimming, challenge courses, and team sports
- Fellowship with students leader peers
- Lifetime friendships!

Contact Judy Bellew for additional information and camper applications!



(Above) Joe Littlejohn, Jack Sharp, Gayle Flowers, Mekkos Jones, Delano Wilson, Kelly McDade  
(Right) Club president Teri Haynes

**BPCC  
Rotaract**





### **Food Bank “Pack the Senior Boxes” - 3rd Tuesday**

March volunteers—Margaret Wallace, David Ginsburg, Ken Krueger, Judy Bellew

### **Rescue Mission “April Supper Service Dates”**

Always 1st and 2nd Thursdays of each month

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

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



*(Above) Rotary and Rotaract members! Rotarians in the group are Rick Bateman, Jack Sharp, Joe Littlejohn, Mekkos Jones. Not shown are Teri Haynes, Gayle Flowers and Judy Bellew.*

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Call Judy Bellew if you have any questions about the club.

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### Raffle Winners Last Week

TRF Raffle—James Blewett

*Thanks for donating to TRF—this goes toward your next PHF*

Flowers from Rose-Neath Florist—  
James Blewett

Andy Shehee's hen eggs—Peyton Cole

### Program on April 3, 2018

**Liz Swaine**  
**Shreveport Water Works**  
**Museum**

**Room 202-205**  
**(second alcove down)**



(Above) More members at lunch last Tuesday.

### Rotary Club Locator apps

Download the Rotary app to locate clubs in the area you plan to visit or use the “near you” button to find those close by. Great tool for the traveling and vacationing Rotarian!



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