



Rotaripost

October 8,
2019

Keynote

Shreveport Bond Issue

Adrian Perkins was born in the Cedar Grove neighborhood of Shreveport. He is the grandson of a sharecropper and the youngest of three boys raised by a single mother. He attended Arthur Circle, Youree Drive Middle School and Capt. Shreve High School.

In 2018 Perkins was elected as the 56th Mayor of Shreveport.

On Tuesday, November 5th the citizens of Shreveport will vote on the 2019 Bond Proposal which addresses Shreveport's critical needs. It includes funds for public safety, infrastructure, water and sewage, as well as parks and public buildings. The new central police station and the implementation of substations in each police district will make Shreveport safer by making law enforcement more visible.



News from Gard Wayt's children

"Gard's recovery continues to progress in ICU. His new heart device is effectively pumping his left ventricle, and his right heart is keeping up—now unassisted. Although his doctors are optimistic about his prognosis, his condition continues to be critical.

We realize that some of you may want to wish Dad well in person. Because his health is so fragile, his nurses are closely monitoring his rest and, subsequently, we're being very intentional about visitations. Therefore, we're still requesting he have no visitors other than immediate family for now.

We're sharing the heartfelt sentiments you've mailed and emailed Gard, and all of us continue to be grateful for your outpouring of support. Please keep those prayers for healing coming!

Gratefully,

Michelle, Russell and Bryan"

**Tuesday,
Noon**

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

**Shreveport
Convention
Center**

**Rotarians
Serving
Others**

Connor Peterson Money Table

Graham Thompson Raffle

Mark Crews Greeter-Scanner-4Way Test

George Carroll Invocation Inspiration

Chris Holoman & Kermit Poling Music

Events and Service Opportunities

October Rescue Mission Food Service—4:45 p.m.—5:30 p.m.

Thursday, November 7 and Thursday, November 14 (October already filled)

Space Is Limited—Contact [Zelda Tucker](#) to reserve your spot!



Food Bank Pack The Senior Boxes

October 15th—5:00 p.m.

No need to sign up—just bring a youth or family member and show up



Polio Presentation at RiverBend Rotary

Dr. John Vanchiere, Pediatric Infectious Disease Specialist, will present a program on the wild polio virus at the RiverBend Rotary club on October 22nd at 5:30 p.m. This is during World Polio Week.

Reservation is needed as their club's meeting is usually at Copeland's and they have limited capacity. Reserve by October 8th to Jordan Ring, RiverBend president, at Jordan.ring42@gmail.com or at [this FaceBook event page](#).



Rotary Clubs of SBC

End Polio Now

2019 Campaign

Evening at Ernest's Orleans Restaurant

October 24, 2019

Sponsorship Application Form - (Please Print)

Name of Business/Individual: _____	Contact: _____
Address: _____	City/State/Zip: _____
Phone #: _____	Alt Phone #: _____
Email: _____	Website: _____
Sponsorship Level: _____	Check Amount: _____

Sponsor Benefits:	Presenting Sponsor \$2,500	Amethyst Sponsor \$1,000	Purple Sponsor \$500	Violet Sponsor \$250	Patron Sponsor \$249 or Less
30 Second Mic Moment at Event	X				
Sponsor Website Linked on Rotary Clubs of SBC Facebook Page	X				
Logo or Name Displayed on Event Tables	X	X			
Name on Information Email to Participants	X	X			
Verbal Recognition During Event	X	X	X		
Signage on Event Tables	X	X	X	X	
Facebook Page Mention in Social Media Platforms	X	X	X	X	
Name on Event Board/Banner	X	X	X	X	
Recognition on Facebook Page	X	X	X	X	X

ALL SPONSORSHIPS MUST BE RECEIVED BY OCTOBER 18, 2019 TO BE INCLUDED IN PRINT MEDIA
Make check payable to: The Rotary Foundation-Memo Line: Polio Plus

Name of person to receive Foundation credit (optional): _____

Mail to: Judy Bellew
 137 Norwood Street
 Shreveport, LA 71105

Sponsorship Questions Contact:
 Judy Bellew 318.294.8385

For More Info on the Event, Please Visit Our Facebook Page-@RotaryClubsofSBC

All sponsorship money goes directly to The Rotary Foundation in YOUR name and gives credit toward your PHF level. Corresponding recognition points can be applied to anyone you choose.

New Members!

A native of Pasadena, CA, **Holly Roca** relocated to our area 7 years ago and is now a residential realtor associated with Keller Williams.

She is bi-lingual and was previously a director of Dacor Mexico in Mexico City, a high-end appliance manufacturer and distributor based in Southern California. While on the west coast, Holly was administrator of the board of directors of the Joseph Family Foundation which provided scholarships to area students and served on the board for Good Shepherd Shelter. Since moving to our area, she is participating in Highland Restoration, Highland Blues and Jazz Fest, Shreveport Association of Ladies Tennis, Dress for Success, Shreveport Symphony and other organizations.

Holly's classification is Real Estate, Residential and her sponsor is Merrill Wautlet.



Matt Snyder is a native of Shreveport, graduated from Capt. Shreve High School and attended LA Tech. He is passionate about our community and the opportunities that are available. Six years ago he founded PinPoint Local Marketing and PinPoint Events.

Matt's company provides a platform for local business owners to work together to grow their identities and work collectively with dozens of local non-profits, event and other businesses. Some of the local events which Matt has created are Shreveport Derby Day; Wheels in the Hills; Tinsel, Bourbon & Bowties; Crawfest. By focusing on the four pillars of food, drink, art and music, each event strives to build community and cultural identity in Shreveport-Bossier.

He is a member of the "40 Under 40" class of 2016 and is married to Cathlean Snyder. His classification is Business Services, Marketing and his sponsor is David Wimberly.

(Above, from left) President Rich Brontoli, Matt Snyder and David Wimberly.

And Another New Member!



Mary Young grew up in Alexandria but spent 32 years in South Florida where she was chosen as one of the South Florida Business Journal's "Most Influential Women for 2017".

Prior to her retirement and relocation back to her home state, Mary was the executive director of the Ziff Career Services Center for the University of Miami's School of Business. Prior to that appointment she was IBM Americas Group senior location executive for Miami.

With a BBA and MBA from Millsaps College she has done post graduate work at both Harvard and Boston Universities and held a variety of leadership positions at both AT&T and Price Waterhouse Consulting.

An active community servant, she is a past president of both the YWCA of Greater Miami and Junior League of Miami, and is a past co-chair of the United Way of Miami Dade's Annual Campaign.

Her classification is University Administration, Retired and her sponsor is Gayle Flowers.

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:

Johnathon Goff

Tom James Clothing

Business Partner

Shreveport, LA

Classification

Clothing, Sales & Fashion

Proposed by

Merrill Wautlet

James Allen, Jr. Memorial Scholarship

The James Allen, Jr. Memorial Scholarship Award was created in 2003 by our late club member Jimmie Allen and his wife through a bequest to the Rotary Club of Shreveport Foundation, honoring their deceased son, James Allen, Jr a Centenary alumnus.

The stipulation of the bequest was that the income be used to provide an annual scholarship to a deserving Centenary student. Each year, we ask the Centenary financial aid director to assist us in identifying a Centenary student who clearly exhibits the character traits of scholarship, personal integrity, and a dedication to Service Above Self, either through extracurricular activities, career plans, or both.

Rotarian Jimmie passed away on September 28, 2011 and we try to make the presentation each year to coincide as closely as possible to that date.

Last Tuesday, our scholarship committee chair Alan Prater introduced this year's recipient of the \$2,000 scholarship, **Ms. Sarah Philyaw**.



(Above, from left) President Rich Brontoli, Alan Prater and Sarah Philyaw.



(Above left) Our registration table volunteers: Robert Smith, Debra Williams, Mary Winchell and Tom Mee.



(Above right) George Carroll with his guest, Major Fant.

More Vacay Pics



(Above) Rich Brontoli ran across the venue for the Rotary Club of Hohenschwangau, Germany. This was at the Neuschwanstein Castle in South Germany. Notice the Lions Club also meets there.



(Above) While searching for his roots, Mike Ferrell ran across this street sign. The street was named after one of Mike's fore-fathers and Mate, the cross street, was his dog. Note the Rotary emblem on top of the Ferrell name.

Up With People

At their final performance at the Centenary Gold Dome on September 28th, President Rich Brontoli and our club were presented with a signed cast photo from the Up With People staff. As one of the sponsors of their Shreveport tour, we had front row seats!

Pictured (right) are President Rich with Merritt Chastain who also attended.





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questions about the club.

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Raffle Winners Last Week

TRF Raffle—Lawrence Calhoun

*Thanks for your donation to The Rotary Foundation.
This applies to your PHF.*

Flowers from Rose-Neath Florist—Robert Smith
Eggs from Andy Shehee's hens—Joe Littlejohn

Program on October 15, 2019

Bobby Edmiston

David Ogletree

Junior Livestock/State Fair

**Shreveport Convention Center
Rooms 206-208**

October Club Anniversaries

*PHF +Past President ♦Major Donor
(includes *PS* prior service in this or other clubs)

37 years	Jimmy Gosslee*
23 years	James Adams* <i>PS</i>
20 years	Dick Bremer <i>PS</i>
19 years	Mark Hebert*
14 years	Greg Juneau* <i>PS</i>
13 years	Roy Griggs*
7 years	Kristen Brown*
5 years	Steve Roop
4 years	Margaret Gaskins
3 years	Jennifer Lawrence* <i>PS</i>
1 years	Staughton Jennings



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