



Rotaripost

September
24, 2019

Keynote

Up With People

Next Tuesday we'll have a small ensemble from the Up With People cast who will present a preview of their stage production on Saturday night, September 28th.

They'll also tell us a bit about themselves and how they became members of this great group of young people.

We are invited to attend the Civility Workshop scheduled for Thursday evening at the Centenary Gold Dome.

The entire cast will be involved in several volunteer projects while they are in our community.

Tuesday's lunch meeting will be in Exhibit Hall 1 on the first floor of the Convention Center.

Up with People® LIVE ON TOUR 2019
Grand Island, Nebraska
Tulsa, Oklahoma
Lafayette, Louisiana
Ruston, Louisiana
SHREVEPORT, LOUISIANA
Ottawa, Ontario
Matera/Potenza, Italy
Sarnano, Italy
Agrigento, Italy
Palermo, Italy
Brendis, Italy
Donauwörth, Germany
Geneva, Switzerland

**SATURDAY
SEPTEMBER 28
7 PM**
GOLD DOME @ CENTENARY COLLEGE

Tickets start at \$15 (not inc. fees)

PRESENTED BY: Centenary COLLEGE OF LOUISIANA
IN ASSOCIATION WITH: Rotary Club of Shreveport

WITH SUPPORT FROM: Lola Magazine, GREATER SHREVEPORT CHAMBER, SHREVEPORT BOSSIERE OTHER SIDE, Red River Radio

BENEFITING: CENTENARY FUND FOR STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS

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TICKETS AVAILABLE AT: UPWITHPEOPLE.ORG/SHREVEPORT

“A message of hope for the world.”
“The unity and energy of the international cast are inspirational and contagious!”
“The perfect mix of music, message, and entertainment.”

Up with People® Civility workshop
**THURSDAY
SEPTEMBER 26
6:30PM - 8:30PM**
GOLD DOME @ CENTENARY COLLEGE

Join us in an interactive, family friendly workshop. We invite you to our multicultural event, where we show how 100 people from 14 different countries don't just get along, but turn their cultural differences into a strength.

FREE ADMISSION

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Contact Paula Gerdes at 720.512.4513 or pgerdes@upwithpeople.org

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**Tuesday,
Noon**

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

**Shreveport
Convention
Center**

**Rotarians
Serving
Others**

Greg Money
Lott Table

Robert Raffle
Touchstone

Need A Greeter-
Volunteer Scanner-4Way
Test

Andy Invocation
Fisher Inspiration

Joe Music
Cooper &
Kermit
Poling

Events and Service Opportunities

Up With People Performance

Saturday, September 28th—Centenary Gold Dome

Come see this great program that our club is sponsoring along with Centenary College!



Event tickets at this website

www.upwithpeople.org/shreveport

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

Thursday, October 3rd and Thursday, October 10th

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



World Polio Day—Thursday, October 24, 2019

Fine Dining at Ernest's Orleans Restaurant!

See Gene Richardson, Robert Smith or Judy Bellew for details to reserve your seats!

\$50 per person (cash or check) for the buffet with all of Ernest's famous dishes! Robert Smith can take payment by credit card at \$51.50 per person.

Maximum seating 225

Ask anyone who attended last year if they enjoyed this event!

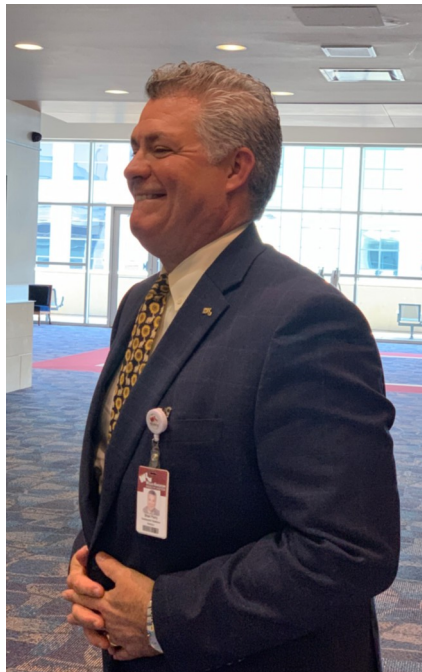




(Above) Lamar Goree with his guest Taylor Jamison.



(Above) Onega Ulanova with her guest Nimzo Longstratt who is participating in Louisiana Food Prize.



(Above) Frequent Rotarian visitor Brad Perry got tickled about something.



(Above) Jon Keith introduced his guest Dr. Valerie Peterson.



(Above) In honor of our program last Tuesday, Jarrod Horton played a bit of "Whiskey River" before leading us in our patriotic song.



(Above) Our registration Rotarians on Tuesday were Charlotte Jones, Debra Williams and Jon Keith.



(Above) David Wimberly with his guest, Matt Snyder.



(Above) Gil Shanley and Mark Snow were trying to decide which raffle tickets might win.

Member News



Rotarian **K.C. Kilpatrick** is one of six finalists for the Virginia K. Shehee Most Influential Woman for 2019. All the finalists and the top winner will be honored at a luncheon on October 10.

Chosen by a community panel, the six honorees exemplify the leadership and volunteerism shown by the late Virginia K. Shehee, civic leader, business woman and philanthropist, for whom the award is named. Virginia was the first woman admitted to our club when Rotary permitted women to become members in 1987. Two of her children, Nell Shehee and Andy Shehee, have been long term members in our club.

More Member Updates

This word from Gard Wayt's children last Thursday:

Dear friends and colleagues of Gard,

Gard's progress has been slow and sure, as the doctors informed us it would be. His surgical procedure, installation of a device to assist with his heart's pumping function, is a serious one, which entails a lengthy recovery time. Dad will remain in ICU for now, and in the hospital for a week or longer after he's moved to a "regular" hospital room.

Hopefully soon, he'll begin some strengthening exercises, initially bedside and eventually ambulatory. We continue to be thankful for Dad's progress, his compassionate and competent caregivers, and your prayer and moral support.

Peace,

Michelle, Russell and Bryan



2019 Centenary College and Rotary Club of Shreveport + Up with People
VIP Ticket Sponsor

Thank you for taking the time to consider a partnership with Centenary College, Rotary Club of Shreveport and Up with People! We appreciate your consideration and support of an international impact in Shreveport from September 23 - 30, 2019. This is Up with People's first time back to the Shreveport area in over a decade and we're excited about this partnership built on shared values to create meaningful impact for youth and community members!

Centenary College, Rotary Club of Shreveport and Up with People are happily inviting you to participate as a VIP Ticket Sponsor and have a hand in bringing the international cast of 100 to interact with, volunteer in, perform for and bring inspiration to the youth across the city! Partners receive recognition in the Up with People Show Program, VIP Seating, access to a VIP Reception with international cast members, networking with other sponsors and access to greenroom to meet the Up with People cast before the show!

Up with People exists to empower young people to be positive agents of change through music and action. Participants from 15 countries will travel to Shreveport for one week and we hope you'll join us! The local impact will include 40-50 local families hosting cast members, 3 days of community service totaling approximately 1,000 hours, empowering an average of 2,500 youth and inspiring 1,500+ audience members through the international language of music.

For 50 years Up with People has used music to bring a message of hope, peace and understanding to communities around the world. The cast's week includes a performance on Saturday, September 28 at 7:00 PM featuring all 100-cast members on stage performing songs and dances from different eras, countries and genres to benefit the Centenary Fund for Student Scholarships.

Like you, we believe that in order to make an impact on the world, we must make an impact on our local communities, one person at a time. We hope that by the end of our partnership, community members are inspired by our passion and service and that they become more aware of the work that you're doing to support local causes.

We very much look forward to partnering with you on Up with People's visit to Shreveport. Thank you for your time, consideration and all that you already do for the youth of your community!

With hope,
Chelsey

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Up with People: Live on Tour

Benefiting:

Centenary Fund for Student Scholarships

The Gold Dome – Saturday, September 28, 2019 at 7:00 PM

VIP Ticket Sponsor Levels & Benefits

Champion the Cause: \$2,500 | Make the Difference: \$1,000 | Be the Change: \$500

Ignite the spark: \$250 | Caring Community**

- Champion the Cause - \$2,500

- * 20 VIP Tickets to the Up with People Show
- * Logo recognition on program insert and video show loop played 3 times throughout performance
- * Marketing materials displayed in the lobby of the show venue
- * Access for 20 guests to Up with People green room & VIP Reception with UWP Cast Members
- * Premium Seating

- Make the Difference - \$1,000

- * 8 VIP Tickets to the Up with People Show
- * Logo recognition on program insert as a ticket sponsor
- * Name recognition on video show loop played 3 times throughout performance
- * Access for 8 guests to Up with People green room & VIP Reception with UWP Cast Members
- * Patron Seating

- Be the Change - \$500

- * 4 VIP Tickets to the Up with People Show
- * Name recognition on program insert and video loop played 3 times throughout performance
- * Access for 4 guests to Up with People green room & VIP Reception with UWP Cast Members
- * Patron Seating

- Ignite the Spark - \$250

- * 2 VIP Tickets to the Up with People Show
- * Name recognition on program insert and video show loop played 3 times throughout performance
- * Access for 2 guests to Up with People green room & VIP Reception with UWP Cast Members
- * Reserved Seating

**** Caring Community:** Unable to attend the performance? Want to give back and support local charities? Purchase a block of 10 General Admission Tickets for \$125 for local youth organizations! If you're interested in signing up or learning more please contact Chelsey Panchot at cpanchot@upwithpeople.org with questions. You'll receive recognition as a ticket sponsor on the Up with People program insert.

100% of Ticket Revenue Raised in Shreveport will benefit local charities chosen by our sponsors including Centenary Fund for Student Scholarships!

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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—Greg Juneau

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

Flowers from Rose-Neath Florist—

Leslie Quinn

Eggs from Andy Shehee's hens—

Tom Arceneaux

Program on October 1, 2019

TBA

Shreveport Convention Center
Rooms 206-208

September Club Anniversaries

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

43 years	Bill Anderson*
38 years	Jon Lowe*
30 years	Charlotta Nordyke*+
25 years	Larry Evensky*+ PS
23 years	Andy Fisher* PS
18 years	Tommy Williams*
17 years	Bobbie Brasher*, Scott Hughes PS , Gard Wayt *+
15 years	Doug Bland*
13 years	Carl Bullard, Karen Johnson♦ PS , George Sirven
3 years	Chris Stokes* PS
2 years	Jon Keith*, A.J. Maranto, Graham Thompson



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