



Keynote

“Murder Chose Me”

2 Week Edition

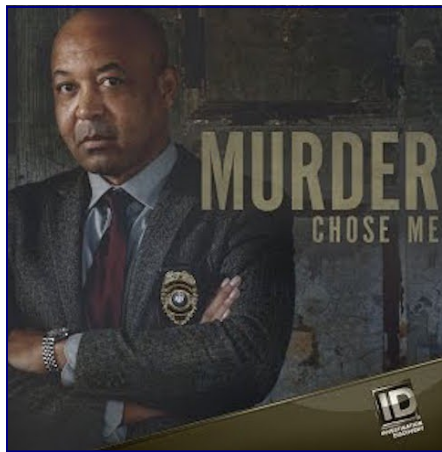
Tuesday,
12:00 Noon

12:13 p.m.
Historical Start

**Shreveport
Convention
Center**

When he was three years old, two policemen came to the home of Rod Demery’s grandmother where he was living to tell them that his mother had been murdered. When Demery was in his 20s, his brother was convicted of murder and sentenced to life in prison.

Taking a different road in life, **Rod Demery** worked at the Shreveport Police Department for more than 25 years determined to break the cycle of violence that had torn his family apart. He is featured in the Investigation Discovery series *Murder Chose Me*. During his time at the police department, he had a 99% solve rate on the cases on which he served as lead detective.



Rod Demery

Now retired from the Shreveport Police Department, Demery works as an investigator for the Caddo District Attorney’s office and continues to be driven to find justice and resolution for the families of murder victims, just like his own.

**Rotarians
Serving Others**

*James Money
Adams Table*

*Charlie Raffle
Henington*

*John Scanner-
Tuggle Greeter-4Way
Test*

*Lionel Invocation
Eltis Inspiration*

*Joe
Cooper Music
&
Kermit
Poling*

Rotarians For Life Blood Drive is Tuesday!



See the sign-up schedule on page 8. LifeShare has been extremely busy providing blood for M.D. Anderson and other facilities in the areas hit by Harvey. This is one of the most important ways to help another person!

Even if you didn’t sign up for a time, come to room 209 between 10:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m.

Keynote

Grants! What Your Club Is Doing!



We will present a check to the YWCA with whom we (our Rotary District and Rotary Club of Shreveport) are partnering to provide a *Dialogue on Race* program.

This program provides a safe space for honest discussion on the issue of racism. It is an important step in a journey toward enlightenment, understanding and the elimination of racism from our society. It's a journey that should include the majority of Americans. Find out how you can participate!



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It's been a 2 year journey for our club to partner with the Rotary Club of Belgaum, India on a Rotary Foundation Global Grant. Come to hear details from our Rotarians Karen Johnson and Allen Organick.

Plan Ahead

- Publicity Committee will meet at 11:00 next Tuesday, September 5th
 - Club Board Meeting at 1:05 next Tuesday, September 5th
- District Meeting in Winnfield on Saturday, September 16th on membership, foundation, grants and public relations. See Judy to get registered and on car pool list.
- November 10-11—District Conference here in Shreveport, hosted by our club
 - BPC Rotaract Club's car show is November 11th

September 12,
2017

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12:00 Noon

12:13 p.m.
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Rotarians Serving Others

Hardy Money
Foreman Table

Margaret Raffle
Wallace

Joe Scanner-
Littlejohn Greeter-4Way
Test

Kim Invocation
Green

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& Music
Kermit
Poling

New Member Introduced on August 29th



Mark Crews is the account manager for Eatel Business in north Louisiana. His office is located in the renovated SEL-BER Brothers building on Milam St.

Born and raised in Shreveport, Mark graduated from LSUS. He owned a portrait studio from 1983-1989 before moving to Dallas with another studio, then joined Eastman Kodak Company in 1991 to help launch the original digital camera technology.

Mark furthered his IT sales career with COMPAQ, HP, CDWG, Hitachi Data Systems—working mostly with Department of Defense customers throughout the country.

In 1992, Mark with his wife Nannette and daughter Elizabeth moved from Dallas to Colorado Springs where they lived until

2015 when they returned to Shreveport.

Mark and his family attend First United Methodist Church and are members of the Krewe of Centaur. Mark's classification is **Computer & Information Technology, Sales & Service** and his sponsor is Kathy French.

Rotarian **Jim Egan** was presented with his Louisiana Veterans Honor Medal. Presenting the award were Rotarians Major General (retired) Jim Graves and Brigadier General (retired) Peyton Cole.

Jim is a retired colonel and served in the U.S. Air Force from 1943-1945. He was stationed primarily in England and northern France. He flew 71 bombing missions, many of them blind, including 3 missions on Christmas Day during the Battle of the Bulge. On D-Day, Jim flew a bombing mission over Normandy protecting the D-Day landing forces.

Jim met his wife when he was building a shack out of scrap lumber to house the "Red Cross girls". Mary Alice was one of those American "girls". They married in Paris in 1945.

He joined our club in 1981. He will celebrate his 98th birthday in October.



Jim Egan received his Veterans Medal from Jim Graves.

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!

Contact [Judy Bellew](#) to get listed in the Volunteer Opportunity posting!

Rescue Mission Supper Service Project

Contact [Zelda Tucker](#) NOW to sign up for September 7th and 14th



Contact Rotarian Verni Howard to sign up to volunteer!

**Rotary Club of Shreveport
Golf Tournament
October 9th**



See [Scott Wysong](#) or [Merrill Wautlet](#)



Saturday, November 11th

Contact [Kelly McDade](#) or [Gayle Flowers](#) for details on participation!



- 1—Kathy French introduced new member Mark Crews
- 2—Doug Abington gave a call-out to Rotarian Sarah Collier for her JA award
- 3—Scott Wysong gave information about our golf tournament
- 4—Hoyt Bain introduced his guest, Archer Frierson III
- 5—Waynette Ballengee was a guest
- 6—Lawrence Calhoun gave an announcement about a Foundation match



2017 Golf Tournament
Monday, October 9 at Southern Trace Country Club
Benefitting Local Charities

For \$150, each golfer receives...

- 11:30 am - 12:30 pm | Registration and Light Lunch
- 1:00 pm | Shotgun Start for Four Man Scramble
- 5:30 pm | Cocktail Reception and Awards Ceremony



Mulligans and Hole-in-One Contest attempts are available for an additional purchase. Not a golfer? You can join us for the Cocktail Reception and Awards Ceremony for \$30 per person.

Since 2009, Rotary Club of Shreveport has raised over \$250,000 for local non-profits.

REGISTRATION

First Name: _____

Last Name: _____

Address: _____

Cell Phone: _____

Email: _____

_____ Golfer (\$150)

_____ Non-Golfer/ Cocktail Reception Only (\$30)

TOTAL DUE: _____

Please make checks out to Rotary Club of Shreveport Foundation and mail to:

Rotary Club of Shreveport, P.O. Box 380, Shreveport, LA 71162.

For credit cards, please call Rotary Club of Shreveport Executive Director Judy Bellew at (318) 550-4895.

Payment for golf registration must be received by **October 1, 2017** to play in the tournament.

Questions? Contact Tournament Co-Chair Scott Wysong at 817-992-8138 or

WysongBrandSolutions@gmail.com



Rotary Club of Shreveport Golf Tournament

October 9, 2017

Southern Trace Country Club

Sponsorship Opportunities Available

Presenting Sponsor (\$5,000)

- Includes large sign (3' x 6') with the sponsor's logo at the entrance of the country club
- Sponsor mentioned in all social media and press releases
- Sponsor logo included on tournament golfer gift(s)
- Includes 8 golfer entries in the tournament
- Sponsor representative can make a few brief comments at the reception

Reception Sponsor (\$2,000)

- Includes sign (2' x 4') with the sponsor's logo at the post golf awards ceremony and reception
- Includes 4 golfer entries in the tournament
- Sponsor representative can make a few brief comments at the reception

Beverage Cart Sponsor (\$1,000)

- Includes signage on beverage carts on the course
- Includes 2 golfer entries in the tournament

Hole-in-One Contest Sponsor (\$1,000)

- Includes sign (2' x 4') with the sponsor's logo placed near the tee box or putting green of the hole selected
- Sponsor is responsible for providing the prize and/or paying for the insurance if someone hits a hole-in-one
- Includes 2 golfer entries in the tournament

Hole Sponsor (\$500)

- Includes sign with the sponsor's logo placed on the tee box (18" x 18")
- Sponsor has the latitude (with prior Rotary Club of Shreveport approval) to provide their own signage, have representatives from the organization at the hole, provide entertainment at the hole, etc.
- Choice of hole is based on the date payment is received
- Includes 1 golfer entry in the tournament

Event Signage Sponsor (\$100)

- Company name listed on main event signage

[Sponsorship Agreement Form is at this link](#)



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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—Katy Merriman

*Thanks for your donation to The Rotary Foundation—
this goes toward your PHF*

Flowers from Rose-Neath Florist—
Bobby Madison

Andy Shehee's hen eggs—Doug Bland

Program on September 19, 2017

**“Who’s Your Great
Granddaddy?”**

**Shreveport Convention Center
Rooms 206-208**

Birthdays

* Paul Harris Fellow + Past President PDG Past District Governor

◆ Major Donor

September 1	Lionel Eltis* (100!)
September 4	Larry Evensky*+
September 5	David Wimberly
September 7	Milton Hutchinson*, Charles Henington*
September 8	Janet Parker*, Bobby Nichols*
September 9	Steve Aiken*, Troy Bain
September 12	Lamar Goree*, Alan Prater*
September 13	Henry Martin*
September 14	Pat Cord*
September 16	Rob Eppers*, Fred Ratzburg*
September 21	Robert Touchstone◆+, Rick Bateman*
September 22	Nita Cook*, Nat Richie
September 26	Mike Ferrell*

Blood Donation Times

10:00 a.m.	George Carroll	James Adams	Greg Juneau
10:30 a.m.	Margaret Wallace		
10:45 a.m.	Robert McGowen	Mike Ferrell	
11:00 a.m.	Charlie Henington		
11:15 a.m.	Jeb Breithaupt	Mark Snow	
11:30 a.m.	Larry Evensky		
11:45 a.m.	Verni Howard	Rob Eppers	
12:45 p.m.	Nita Cook		
1:00 p.m.	David Ginsburg	Stephen Oden	Mike Sievers
1:15 p.m.	Kathy French	Katy Merriman	
1:30 p.m.	Don Howard		