

# Southside Rotary Club of Corpus Christi Riptide

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**FEBRUARY 23, 2011**

## 2010-2011 Officers

**President:** Jennifer Smith-Engle

**President Elect:** Debbie High

**Executive Secretary:** Matt Beavers

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### MEETING INFORMATION

PRAYER/PLEDGE: EDD PRICE  
INTRODUCTIONS: LARI YOUNG  
FOUR WAY TEST: DYKE HENDERSON

### UPCOMING PROGRAM

*March 2, 2011:*  
*“Corpus Christi ISD Food Service Center”*  
*– Jody Houston*

### VISITING ROTARIANS & GUESTS

#### ROTARIANS

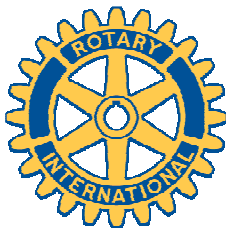
Corpus Christi Club

Jack Green

#### VISITORS

There were no visitors.

### ROTARY INTERNATIONAL THEME FOR 2010-2011



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## DISTRICT THEME FOR 2010-2011



## 50/50 RAFFLE

**NANCY FOSTER** won the raffle and contributed her winnings to “The Jar.” That Jar, which has met our club’s annual contribution goal to Polio Plus, now supports Southside Rotary wheelchair ramp project and scholarships.

## BRAGGIN’ BUCKS

- Jennifer bragged on **BETTY FRANTUM, DEBBIE HIGH, PDG DON RATCLIFF, and LARI YOUNG**, who assisted with Monday’s (President’s Day) Flag project.
- **LARI YOUNG** bragged on **PDG DON RATCLIFF**, who took photos of all the flag-pole holes to guide everyone setting the flags out.
- **DYKE HENDERSON** bragged in advance on Southside Rotaray’s Ramp Project, and announced a new ramp will be built March 12 (so mark your calendars, folks!).



## ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. Rotary Foundation Annual Programs Fund is awarding **Double Recognition towards a Paul Harris Fellow** for online contributions of \$100 US or more only on **Wed. Feb. 23** in honor of Rotary’s birthday. You must have registered at [www.rotary.org](http://www.rotary.org) Member Access beforehand. If you missed this opportunity, you should still register so you are ready for the next opportunity!

2. Coming up soon, our own **PRESIDENT-ELECT DEBBIE HIGH** and spouse **JOE HIGH** will attend the 2011 PETS (President Elect Training Seminar) in Dallas-Fort Worth.

## PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

**DEBBIE HIGH** stepped in for **RENDALL WEBB** (who was ill and could not attend) to lead the program, “Unsung Heroes.” Stacy Talbert of the City Dept. Parks and Recreation introduced Mayor Joe Adame, retiring City Manager Angel Escobar, Honoree **Guadalupe Pacheco**, who is a City Park Operations Technician, and Guadalupe’s wife Sylvia and other family members. Mayor Adame remarked how valuable City employees are in these tough times, and noted that 60% of the City budget is for employees. Angel Escobar thanked Southside Rotary for honoring City employees, and cited examples of employees’ dedication to getting the job done. Debbie presented Mr. Pacheco with a certificate and engraved plaque of recognition. Honoree David Salazar, City Storm Water Maintenance and Operations Technician, was ill and could not attend, and will be honored at a later Rotary meeting.

The Unsung Heroes Awards were started by Southside Rotary in 1999 as a way to recognize those workers who “give their all” every day and deserve to be honored for their dedication and exceptional work in their field.



Honoree Guadalupe Pacheco and his wife Sylvia

## PETE’S MARKET REPORT

The Dow was down about 180 points on news of political instability in Libya, but the economic news was good – East Texas intermediate crude was about \$97/barrel.

## BETTY’S QUOTE

“A hero is someone who is selfless, who is generous in spirit, who just tries to give back as much as possible and help people.”

*-Actress Debi Mazar*

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# Rotary at a Glance

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Club Location	Established	Club Number	Number of Members	Day/Time	Location
<b><u>Monday</u></b>					
<b><u>Corpus Christi Sunrise</u></b> 993-5296	1984	#22125	15	<b>M</b> 7 am	La Bahia
<b><u>Aransas Pass - 232-4020</u></b>	1960	#2059	15	<b>M</b> noon	Aransas Pass Civic Center
<b><u>Tuesday</u></b>					
<b><u>Corpus Christi Padre Island</u></b> 937-6196	2001	#55912	16	<b>Tues</b> noon	Padre Island Country Club
<b><u>Kingsville - 595-8548</u></b>	1923	#2073	59	<b>Tues</b> noon	Cherry Tree Tea Room
<b><u>Ingleside - 776-1661</u></b>	1948	#2072	27	<b>Tues</b> noon	Garden Club
<b><u>Portland - 643-6759</u></b>	1967	#2085	46	<b>Tues</b> noon	Northshore Country Club
<b><u>Taft - 528-3230</u></b>	1938	#2096	13	<b>Tues</b> noon	Taft Community Center
<b><u>San Diego - 701-2198</u></b>	1938	#2093	23	<b>Tues</b> noon	Rotary Pavilion
<b><u>Wednesday</u></b>					
<b><u>Alice - 668-3536</u></b>	1938	#2058	32 (I)	<b>W</b> noon	Alice Country Club
<b><u>Corpus Christi Northwest</u></b> 241-0794	1925	#2090	11 (I)	<b>W</b> noon	Chicken Shack
<b><u>Corpus Christi Southside</u></b> 993-6902	1955	#2095	61 (R)	<b>W</b> noon	Corpus Christi Country Club
<b><u>Raymondville - 956-689-5099 X103</u></b>	1929	#2087	25 (I)	<b>W</b> noon	Casa Blanca Restaurant
<b><u>Sinton - 364-6803</u></b>	1947	#2094	23	<b>W</b> noon	Backstreet Cafe
<b><u>Thursday</u></b>					
<b><u>Corpus Christi - 882-8672</u></b>	1914	#2062	318 (I)	<b>Th</b> noon	Solomon Ortiz Center
<b><u>Corpus Christi Evening</u></b> 429-4825	1992	#29110	6	<b>Th</b> 5:30 pm	Katz 21
<b><u>Falfurrias - 325-1011</u></b>	1927	#2067	12	<b>Th</b> noon	Stricklands
<b><u>Kingsville Sunrise -593-2757</u></b>	1999	#52338	23 (I) (R)	<b>Th</b> 7 am	Linda's Mainstreet Cafe
<b><u>Port Aransas - 749-2208</u></b>	1985	#22399	45 (I)	<b>Th</b> noon	Pelican's Landing Rest.
<b><u>Rockport - 729-2712</u></b>	1948	#2091	37	<b>Th</b> noon	Rockport Country Club
<b><u>Friday</u></b>					
<b><u>Corpus Christi West-</u></b> 882-6828	1966	#2100	47	<b>F</b> noon	Corpus Christi Town Club

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