



# ROTARY CLUB OF DERBY

## *A Message from Robert.....*

I can hardly believe that it has been a year since I became President of our great club. First let me say Thank You for this opportunity and for the trust you placed in me. I was honored just to be asked to join Rotary, never thinking that someday I would take my turn as its leader. It has been an awesome and cherished experience. As every president quickly learns, you are nothing without great help. The Board of Directors and committee leaders have been fantastic help throughout the year. Special thanks to Charlene Mathis and Jack Hezlep for all of your assistance and dedication to the club.

The Club has had a busy year, and I am excited about the future. We have seen our Facebook presence increase, as we try to compete in the digital world. We have given more and volunteered more and we are better known throughout our community. We have become closer as friends; we have cried together, rejoiced together and laughed as much as possible. We have had almost 50 "Happy Fridays" and welcomed great speakers and visitors alike. We have a great newsletter and vibrant committees working to make our club function.

I have learned so much about Rotary since becoming president. Maybe there is truth in the sentiment that experience is the best teacher, it is certainly the hardest teacher we have to face. Like anything else, the more you know about something, the more involved you become. I sincerely feel this way towards our organization. I want to see more, do more and know more about Rotary, and like any good volunteer organization, you only have to ask once and you are suddenly put to work!

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## June Programs

<i>June 7th</i>	<i>Robert Mendoza &amp; Kathy Sexton</i>	<i>Madison Avenue Park</i>
<i>June 14th</i>	<i>Jack Gillespie</i>	<i>Paul Bowen-Photographer</i>
<i>June 21st</i>	<i>Robert Mendoza</i>	<i>A Year in Review</i>
<i>June 28th</i>	<i>Brian Comer</i>	<i>Dave Sanford, Grace Med</i>



# In the Derby Community

*July 4th:*

Firecraker Run 7:30 AM

Parade 10:00 AM

Celebration 7PM

*August 24th:*

Summerfest 5PM-10PM

*September 6th & 7th:*



**Derby Twins:**

The Derby Twins summer baseball team will be back on Panther field in June and July. Home games usually begin at 7PM. It is free admission to all games. Learn more at [www.derbytwins.com](http://www.derbytwins.com).

**Historical Museum:**

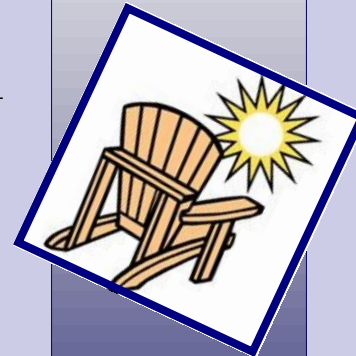
The Derby Historical Museum is open the 2nd & 4th Saturdays from 10AM to 2PM now through October.

## A Little More From Robert.....

As I leave the office of President, I will become an Assistant District Governor working with Area V, which incorporates the Derby, Wellington, Winfield and Ark City clubs. Time changes everything and so it goes with Rotary. Our systems and communications are becoming digital and the clubs will be changing to meet these new processes. I will be helping the new club presidents and board members work through these issues

and will represent our new District Governor Sue Pearce, from the Rotary Club of East Wichita. What do they say? Every journey begins with a single step...I wonder where this one will end up.

Thank you for your support, your assistance, your honesty, your correction and for your friendship. I am honored to know you and to be counted among



you. Rotary is truly one of the great volunteer organizations on this planet, and it is because people like you give of yourself and your resources to serve others. With my sincere appreciation and respect,

Thank You  
Robert Mendoza

# The Derby Rotary Club...Paul Harris Fellows

Ever wonder if the person you sit to every Friday at lunch is a Paul Harris Fellow...The Derby Rotary Club is proud to share with you our Paul Harris Fellows....

Marsha Allen  
 Phil Clements  
 Jim Coffey  
 Bob Cords  
 David Drake

Dale Frazier  
 Roy Freund  
 Terry Gattis  
 Jack Gillespie  
 Larry Gould  
 Kris Gourley  
 Charlie Hubbard  
 Charlene Mathis  
 Lisa Moling  
 Mel Nett  
 Vaughn Nun

Gary Read  
 Jerry Roe  
 Kyle Russell  
 Bill Smith  
 Rich Standrich  
 Dan Strunk  
 Art Tannahill  
 Roger Thomas  
 Randy Thomason  
 Keith Volz  
 Chuck Warren  
 Betty Wilken



## Installation Banquet.....



*The Annual Installation Banquet will be:*

*Saturday June 22nd, 2013*

*6:30 PM*

*Scotch & Sirloin*

*\$25.00 per person, Cash Bar*

## Congratulations.....

**Congratulations to the Rotary Club of Derby's 19 members with perfect attendance this year!!**

***Way to Go!!***

Phil Clements  
 Jim Coffey  
 Roy Freund  
 Terry Gattis  
 Jack Gillespie  
 Larry Gould  
 Mike Harper  
 Jack Hezlep

Charlie Hubbard  
 Charlene Mathis  
 Robert Mendoza  
 Vaughn Nun  
 Dana Quigley  
 Jerry Roe  
 Roger Thomas  
 Keith Volz

Chuck Warren  
 Tom Wilhite  
 Betty Wilken

## *Rotary Club of Derby.....Club Officers*

<i>President:</i>	<i>Robert Mendoza</i>
<i>President Elect:</i>	<i>Ariel Lee</i>
<i>Vice President:</i>	<i>Lisa Moling</i>
<i>Past President:</i>	<i>Chuck Warren</i>
<i>Treasurer:</i>	<i>Jack Hezlep</i>
<i>Secretary:</i>	<i>Charlene Mathis</i>
<i>Directors:</i>	<i>Jean Garinger, Mike Harper, &amp; Vaughn Nun</i>

## Need a Make Up Meeting?



East Wichita—Wednesday @ Noon

Wichita Country Club

Andover—Thursday @ Noon (except for 4th Thursday)

Terradyne Country Club

Old Town—Monday @ 5:30 PM

Old Town Caffe Moderne (300 N. Meade #108)

West Sedgwick County Sunrise—Thursday @ 7AM

Rolling Hills Country Club

West Wichita—Tuesday @ Noon

Rolling Hills Country Club