

# The Week at Rotary - Aug 22nd

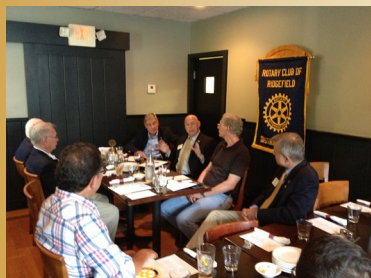
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## District Governor Rick Bassett's Visit



Board Meeting with Rick Bassett and Larry Gardner

Last night we had the most enjoyable District Governor visit in a long while. Rick was asking how can he, Larry Gardner and the District help us achieve our goals, not what we need to do to help him achieve his goals ... refreshing!

Rick explained the thought process behind his pin (above). His family has been residents of Connecticut since the 1600's and he is very loyal to the State. On a vacation trip to Texas he was amazed that Texas was embedded in everything he saw— incredible loyalty and pride. Thus his pin design—The U.S. Flag, Connecticut Flag, The Rotary Wheel and our District number with no date ... therefore, this pin will never go out of date. It reflects the four areas working together to help build a better life for all.



Yes, he is enjoyable to listen to

Rick's commitment to Rotary is unbelievable. Yesterday he visited three Clubs and installed two new members. With leadership like this 2013-2014 will be a great Rotary year!



Our \$1000 donation to the Oklahoma Disaster Fund

**Kathy Graham—New Member** District Governor Rick Basset inducting Kathy; please look at page 6 for her Bio and you will understand why we are excited to have Kathy as a member of our Club.

Kathy's guest, Brock Hamilton, did well in Angelo's Abbott & Costello trivia which enabled him to win one of the 50/50 prizes.

Welcome Kathy!



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