

*Speaker  
Biographies  
Morning  
Session*

UNDER THE BIG TOP  
DISTRICT CONFERENCE  
ROTARY DISTRICT 5910  
SATURDAY, APRIL 27, 2024



*Diane  
Rotondelli*

## ROTARY INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT'S REPRESENTATIVE

Diane was born and raised in Passaic, NJ. She owned her own travel agency for 10 years. After closing her agency, she went to work for United Way of Ocean County, where she was the Special Events Coordinator and Campaign Associate for 5 years. Diane continued her non-profit work as the Sales & Marketing Manager for the Center for Vocational Rehabilitation for 9 years until her retirement in 2017.

A Rotarian since 1997, Diane is an active member of the Brick Township Rotary Club. She has served her club as Sgt. at Arms, Secretary, Treasurer, Foundation Treasurer for 6 years, President-Elect, and President as well as committee chair for numerous fundraising activities.

Diane has been very active on the District level serving as an Area Governor, District Secretary, GSE Team Leader to Brazil, Dictionary Project Coordinator, Area 6 Foundation Advocate, Special Events Chair for District 7500, and in September of 2014, she traveled on a Medical Mission with the Gift of Life to the Philippines. Diane has served as District 7505 Community Service/Service Projects Director for 3 years. She has also served as New Club Development Director for 2021-2023. Diane has served as District 7500 Public Image Director. She has served as District 7505 Community Service/Service Projects Director and currently, she is serving as District 7505 Youth Services Director.

In 2011-12 and 2013-14, Diane received the "Service Above Self Award" from District 7500. In 2015-16, she received the District 7500 "Barbara Tuttle Award". In 2020, she received the District 7505 Gift of Life Michael's Heart Award. Diane currently serves on the Board of Trustees for Gift of Life and now holds the position of chairperson 2020-2024. Diane is a member of the Paul Harris Society, a member of District 7505 Polio Plus Society and a Major Donor Level 1.





*Regan  
Vander Wiele*

## THE IMPACT ROTARY YOUTH EXCHANGE HAD ON MY LIFE

Regan Vander Wiele was a Rotary Youth Exchange Student in France during the 2018-2019 school year. She is currently a senior at Texas A&M University pursuing a Bachelor of Arts in psychology with a minor in French. She also works as an assistant manager at Starbucks in College Station, TX.



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*Carol  
Mattingly*

## ROTARY YOUTH EXCHANGE

Carol Mattingly serves as Chair of the District 5910 Rotary Youth Exchange Program. Carol has been involved with RYE for many years. Her late husband PDG Glen Mattingly, started Rotary Youth Exchange in District 5910. Carol and Glen hosted 19 long term students. She has served as Rotary Counselor for five students and has served as an orientation trainer for Outbound, Inbound and Short Term students for many years. Carol serves on the Board of Directors for the North American Youth Exchange Network (NAYEN). Carol holds a BA and MA in Mathematics from Sam Houston State University. She was Mathematics Department Chair at Conroe High School for four years and retired after 30 years of teaching there. After retirement, Carol spends most of her time working with the District RYE program and is a member of the Rotary Club of Huntsville. Carol enjoys traveling and spending time with friends and family.



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*Asst. Chief  
Stephan  
Antley*

## CIVILIAN RESPONSE TO ACTIVE SHOOTER EVENT

Assistant Chief Antley has served with the League City Police Department since 2005. He holds a Master Peace Officer's License and has served on the department's SWAT team since 2008. Assistant Chief Antley is currently the Combined Agency Response Team's Commander where his duties include coordinating assets during high-risk events and ensuring the team's effectiveness. His previous assignments have included Patrol Officer, Field Training Officer, Detective, Patrol Sergeant, Special Crimes Sergeant, Patrol Watch Commander, and Patrol Bureau Commander.

In 2019, Assistant Chief Antley earned his master's degree in Criminal Justice from the University of Oklahoma. In addition to the duties performed at the League City Police Department, Antley is an adjunct instructor with ALERRT. Through ALERRT, he instructs officers nationwide in active shooter response, in both interior and exterior environments. In 2022, Assistant Chief Antley graduated from the Leadership Command College Class of 92 of LEMIT - Bill Blackwood Law Enforcement Management Institute of Texas.



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Andrzej M.  
Stewart

## LIFE IN SIMULATED SPACE

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Andrzej Stewart is an experienced spacecraft operator for a wide variety of NASA missions. He's worked as a spacecraft mission controller for the Spitzer Space Telescope, Juno, GRAIL, and NASA's Mars orbiter fleet. Andrzej now works in Mission Control at the Johnson Space Center as an Orion spacecraft Navigator for NASA's Artemis missions. He is also a 1st Lieutenant in the Civil Air Patrol, serving as a Search and Rescue/Disaster Recovery Mission Pilot and Airborne Photographer.

Andrzej earned degrees in Aerospace Engineering from the University of Texas at Austin and the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and aspires to be a NASA astronaut. In pursuing that, he has served as the Flight Engineer of HERA C2M2, a two-week asteroid mission simulation at the Johnson Space Center; as Chief Engineering Officer of HI-SEAS IV, a year-long Mars simulation in Hawai'i; and as a test subject crewmember and Doppler/ultrasound technician for multiple Exploration Atmosphere studies in the 20-Foot Chamber at the Johnson Space Center.



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Steve  
Paterson

## WINE PAIRING & CHATGPT IN OPERATIONS AND MARKETING

Steve Paterson is currently the CEO/Managing Partner of PCP Digital / Paterson Consulting Partners LLC, which specializes in small to medium businesses. He is the former President and CEO of the League City Regional Chamber of Commerce in League City, Texas. He resigned his position in March 2019 to start his new business. The Chamber is a member-driven organization, which specializes in assisting small to medium-sized businesses in meeting their needs to become successful enterprises, which will grow and prosper in the region by providing for their varied business needs and advocacy. He had held that position since May 1, 2015.

Steve came to the world of non-profit management, after a successful thirty-five-year career in newspaper and media management. Where he has held the titles of Publisher, Group Publisher, Division President, and Corporate Director. He brings to his current position a diverse group of skill sets, which include publishing, finance, marketing, operations, manufacturing, distribution, digital communication development, merger and acquisition, and new business development as part of his acquired education in senior management and c-level positions in his career.

Steve is a graduate of Florida Atlantic University with a bachelor's degree in Political Science, with a minor in marketing. He also holds several advanced executive program certifications from Northwestern University, the Kellogg School of Graduate Studies, and the American Press Institute.

He is the recipient of the prestigious James M. Cox Award for Sales Excellence from Cox Media and was recognized by the Newspaper Association of America and presented the NCN Award for outstanding work in innovation and new business development.

He is married to his wife of forty-one years Debra and has two daughters. His daughter Kelly is a small business entrepreneur, running several ventures and married to her husband Valentin who is a nutritional specialist, with his grandson Valentin the third, they reside in San Antonio, Texas. His daughter Colby is married, and she and her husband Jordan reside in Denver, Colorado, with his granddaughter Amelia. Colby works in real estate senior management and Jordan is employed as a professional forensics structural engineer. Both of his daughters are graduates of the University of Texas, Austin where they graduated with honors.



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