



PILOT NEWSLETTER

SERVICE ABOVE SELF



We are business and community leaders dedicated to making a positive difference through service.

The meeting will be held on **November 20, 2025** at: the **Coastal Bend Food Bank, 5442 Bear Ln.**
Lunch begins at 11:45 AM, Meeting 12:10 - 1:15 PM
\$22 Lunch - \$7 Non-Eaters

Meeting Duties

- Invocation:** Chris Radaneata
- Song/Pledges:** Paul Cameron
- 4 way Test/ Intros:** Kyoko Amano
- Meal Tickets:** Barry McBurnett, Marge Dewitt-Crocker, Alt-Lisa Wright
- Cookies:** Michael Kennedy
- Hospitality:** Lisa Wright, John Hyde



Speaker: State Representative Todd Hunter

We are excited to welcome State Representative Todd Hunter, us as our next featured speaker. As a long-time advocate for the Coastal Bend, Rep. Hunter will share updates from the Texas Legislature and discuss key issues impacting Corpus Christi, including economic development, coastal and port interests, and quality-of-life initiatives. This is a great opportunity to hear firsthand insights from one of our state leaders. Bring a friend—this is a rare opportunity to hear directly from our State Representative and ask your questions!

Do you want to pre-pay for your meal? Click on the link to pre-pay for your meal by 9 am on Thursday.
<https://www.rotarycc.com/pay-online/>

No meeting on Nov. 27



Upcoming Event:
To sign up email
Sarah@rotarycc.com

12/5—Salvation Army & Rotary’s Red Kettle “Bell Ringing Event” see pg. 2 for slots available

Your support makes waves!
Each week, we’ll highlight thank-you letters from TAMU-CC students who have benefited from the Rotary Club of Corpus Christi’s scholarship endowments. See **page 3** for letters to club.

Notice to the Membership of the Rotary Club of Corpus Christi November 17, 2025
The following proposal for membership having been approved according to the by-laws is hereby published for membership approval. Objections must be filed in writing to the Board of Directors within seven (7) days.
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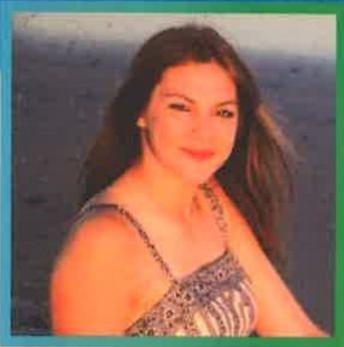
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Salvation Army & Rotary's RED KETTLE "BELL RINGING" EVENT
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 5, 2025--- 10:00 AM TO 6:00 PM

	La Palmera Mall (Entrance by the food court)	JCPenney's (StaplesStreet)	La Palmera Mall (Entrance by PF Chang)	WAL MART Super Center/Greenwood Home/Pharmacy <i>RIGHT SIDE</i>	WAL MART Super Center/Greenwood Grocery <i>LEFT SIDE</i>
CAPTAINS	Stan Medina Collision Crew Holiday Kettle	Emily Longueira Like a Good Neighbor, Santa is There Kettle	Pam Hammett Blinded by the Holiday Light Kettle	DianeLowrance Powering Christmas Cheer Kettle	John Holmgreen The Ho-Ho Holmgreen Kettle
10AM – 11AM					
11AM – NOON	Dick Runyan				Buz Maxwell
NOON – 1PM	Aaron Cross			Marge & Andy Crocker	
1PM – 2PM	Stan Medina				
2PM – 3PM	Chris Horn				
3PM – 4PM					
4PM – 5PM	Steve Black				
5PM – 6PM			Sarah & Steve Banta		

Rotarians working the 5-6 pm shift, please take the vests and pan with you and bring them to the next Rotary meeting or drop off at the Rotary office.



Kamryn Bragg

Biology

Class of 2029

Dear Lysa,

I deeply appreciate the financial support that enabled me to receive this scholarship. I am deeply grateful to be a recipient and for your commitment to my education. Your support removed a substantial portion of my educational expenses, which enabled me to concentrate on academic success and personal development.

Your support enables me to study Biology at this time while I am scheduled to graduate in Spring 2029. The scholarship funds enable me to commit more time to my academic studies while I search for practical learning opportunities that will enhance my future professional success. The absence of financial worries enables me to focus entirely on my education and has completely transformed my college experience.

Growing up near the Gulf fueled my interest in marine animals, which introduced me to science during my early years. The ocean fascinates me deeply because of its vast ecosystems. Sports are one of my passions, and I participated in volleyball, basketball, and softball throughout my entire school career. My physical activities, together with my school sports, taught me life lessons about teamwork and discipline, which I use to navigate all aspects of my life.

I selected biology as my major because I love understanding living systems and want to become involved in marine biology. I aim to protect marine ecosystems through either research activities or education programs. My plans include active participation in campus science organizations and community programs that match my objectives.

I would once again like to greatly thank you for your financial support and generosity. Your support enables me to follow my dreams, as you have enabled me. I am deeply thankful.

Thank you,

Kamryn Bragg

Rotary Club of Corpus Christi Leadership Scholarship Endowment