

# July Birthdays

## LE POISSON ROUGE ROTARY CLUB OF THIBODAUX

Club 2635, Chartered 1936  
Meeting Tuesdays at Noon  
Envie Restaurant

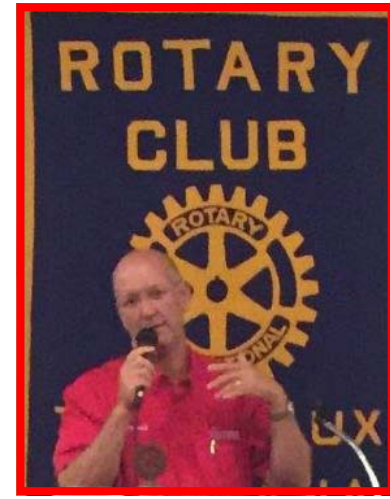


Pres - Carroll Falcon

**THE FOUR WAY TEST**  
1.) Is it the **TRUTH**?  
2.) Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?  
3.) Will it build **GOOD WILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?  
4.) Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

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### Concealed Handgun Carry



### Ben Harang

On 19 July, Ben Harang spoke on concealed handgun carrying. Ben, who has been a realtor with the Donnes Real Estate in Thibodaux since 1994, began volunteering with the Lafourche Parish Sheriff's Office in 2001. He is a graduate of the Lafourche Sheriff's Office as a reserve deputy in 2002. He regularly competes in handgun competitions across the south, from Texas to Alabama. A long-time gun rights supporter, he has served as a volunteer lobbyist at the Louisiana Legislature since inception of the

<b>Officers</b>		<b>Sgt-at-Arms</b> .....Craig Stanga
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### Members

Joann Mathews	04-Jul
Danny Cavell	05-Jul
Andrew Wise	05-Jul
Stephen Peltier	07-Jul
Ron Bourgeois	07-Jul
Rita Dickie	07-Jul
Bobby Marcello	08-Jul
Steve Landry	10-Jul
Kevin Gros	12-Jul
Steve Gossen	20-Jul
Jamie Gros	21-Jul
Harold Block	24-Jul
Kristen Callais	29-Jul
Marty Edlefsen	30-Jul



### Spouses

Barbara Gauthier	02-Jul
Lisa Ray	07-Jul
Lesley Marcello	17-Jul
Leslie Palmer	18-Jul
Connie Bouterie	28-Jul

### Notes:

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Concealed Handgun Permit in 1996.

Ben reminded us of the three fundamental gun safe-handling rules: Always (1) point the gun in a safe direction, (2) keep your finger off the trigger, and (3) keep the gun unloaded until ready to use. He clarified that Louisiana, as a “Shall Issue” state, will issue concealed carry permits to applicants unless they are prohibited by law from owning or possessing a firearm. Around the country, permit holders have historically proven to be one of the most law-abiding groups in society.

Concealed carry is an adjuvant of self-defense in society. Ben reminded us that by law deadly force can only be used by or for an innocent victim of an attack (not to defend property) and only when that attack represents a threat of serious bodily harm. The attack must be imminent and within the ability of the attacker, and once the threat discontinues so does justification for the defender’s use of deadly force. Should a defender use deadly force, then arrest, booking,

jail time, and prosecution are all possibilities for the defender. Therefore, use of a firearm is always a last resort, and it is always preferable to deter, evade or escape an attack. Some fundamental things a carrier and potential defensive user of a firearm should consider include (1) personal conviction to take a life in order to save one, (2) moral and religious tolerance for taking life, and (3) ability to tolerate judgement of family, friends, neighbors, and society. Finally, Ben reminded us that permission to carry a concealed permit is a privilege—not a right—and ultimately a very personal decision.



Please help to fill this year's calendar. If you would like to schedule a program, please contact Ken Chadwick, Program Chairperson. His email address is: [ken.chadwick@nicholls.edu](mailto:ken.chadwick@nicholls.edu).

Area Clubs for Meeting Makeup's		
Town	Day/Time	Location
Houma	Wed/Noon	Quality Inn
Houma Sunrise	Tue/7:30 AM	Cannata's Cafe
Houma-Terre	Thur/Noon	Quality Inn
Patterson	Wed/6:30 PM.	Harbor Seafood Inn
Grand Isle	Wed/7:00 PM.	Community Center
Donaldsonville	Thur/Noon	Café Lafourche
Lockport	Thur/Noon	C'est Cajun Catering
Morgan City	Thur/Noon	Petroleum Club
Golden Meadow	Thur/7:00 PM	P.J.'s Fed Pond
EarlyAct Club	1st/3rd Tue/7:55 AM	St Charles Elem.
NSU Rotaract	2nd&4th Thurs 4:30 PM	LeBijou

Upcoming Speakers
7/26/2016– Michelle Chiasson 50 Years of EDW
8/2/2016- Greg Stock TRMC Wellness Center
8/9/2016 President's Choice

### THIBODAUX ROTARY CLUB MEMBERSHIP JULY 2016

Angelloz, E.A PHF+1/SM/PP	Frost, Camo H/PHF/PP/GSE	Marsh, Thomas
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Ayo, Donald H/PHF/PP	Gauthier, Mike H/PHF/PP	Melancon, Josh
Badeaux, Al C85/PHF+1/SM	Giardina, Jake C85	Moreaux, Brett
Barrilleaux, Donald SM	Gossen, Steve H/PHF+1/PP/GSE	Murphy, Bruce PHF
Barrilleaux, Laynie PHF+2/SM/PP	Grace, Charlotte	Naquin, Robert PHF/SM
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Bernardi, Robert SM	Guillermo, Claudio C85/PHF/SM	Parro, Randy C85/PHF
Berthelot, Greg	Guin, Shane SM	Peltier, Jimmy C85/PHF+1/PP
Blair, Bob PHF/H/PP	Harang, Ben	Peltier, Stephen PHF+1
Block, Harold C85	Hebert, Boyd	Pitre, Leo
Boudreaux, David E C85/PHF	Hebert, Craig PHF+1/SM	Plater, David C85
Bourgeois, Ron PHF/SM	Himel, Eddie SM	Porche, Matthew SM
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Caillouet, Charles	Holloway, Sandy PHF+2 MD/SM/GSE/PP	Richard, Steve SM
Callais, Harold	Holloway, Shay PHF/SM	Riviere, Robert PHF+1/SM/PP
Callais, Kristen	Holloway, Skip PHF MD/SM/PP/PAG/GSE/H	Robichaux, Doug SM
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Chiasson, Mark	Jones, Ben PHF	Russell, Kristine PHF/SM
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Cowen, Todd PHF/SM	Jones, Jimmy	Shaver, John PHF/SM/PP
Crochet, Monique SM	Kalpakis, Bill C85	Sollars, Fred C85
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Eschete, Tommy	Lombardo, John SM	Waitz, David PHF/SM
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Falgoust, Woody PHF+1/SM/PP	Malbrough, Benjamin	Weimer, John H
Fernandez, Rusty PHF/SM	Marcello, Bobby PHF/SM/GSE	Weimer, Richard C85/PHF/PP
Flores, Amy	Marcello, Steven PHF/SM	Wise, Andrew SM
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#### LEGEND

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