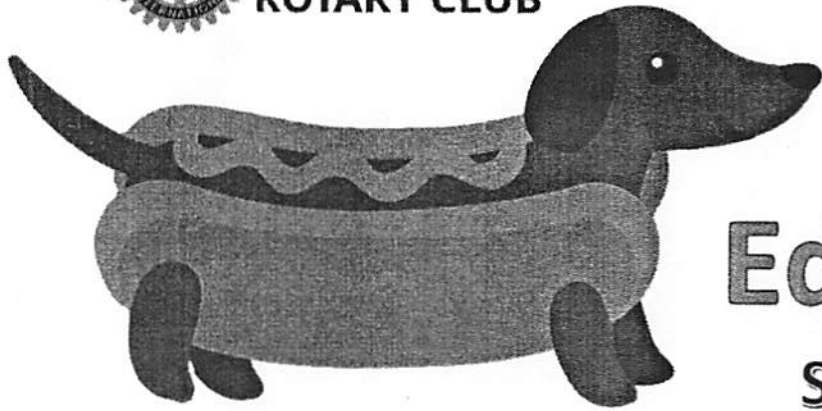




DURANT
ROTARY CLUB



Hot Diggity Dog Education Celebration

Saturday February 16

10:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m

Come to view 3rd grade Elementary classroom displays of posters, pictures, poems and other learning activities from the use of dictionaries provided every year to Bryan County 3rd Graders each year by Durant Rotary Club. Enjoy a hot dog lunch for \$5.00 and help support our 3rd grade students, teachers, and this Rotary project.

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724 W. Texas Street, Durant, OK

January 9, 2019

Durant Rotary Club
Durant, Oklahoma 74701

Dear Third Grade Teacher:

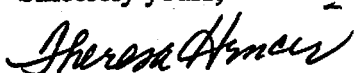
For a dozen years, the Durant Rotary Club has provided free dictionaries to all the third graders of Bryan County. For many of us, this is our favorite project and one we plan to continue. Our club focuses on education at other levels too. Prior to adopting the Dictionary Project, the Durant Rotary Club endowed a scholarship at Southeastern Oklahoma State and sent as many as four high school students to a week-long leadership camp, Rotary Youth Leadership Award. All these education sponsorships continue. In more recent years, the club has struggled to find fundraising activities that would support all these important. The *good news* is that we are starting a new fundraising activity that ties directly back to the Dictionary Project.

On Saturday, February 16, 2019, from 10:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. we will offer the first annual **Hot Diggity Dog Education Celebration**. We need your help with the celebration part. On behalf of the Durant Rotary Club, I request a poster submitted from your classroom use of the dictionaries. It could be pictures, poems, learning activities such as solar system studies, sign-language exercise, spelling contests, or any other creative use of the dictionary that you deem worth of a single poster submission. The Durant Rotary Club would display the posters and ask that those who attend the **Hot Diggity Dog Education Celebration** vote for their favorite class's poster. In return, the winning classroom would earn a hot dog meal delivered to the class at a later date convenient to the winning class's teacher.

Admission to the event will be the purchase of a \$5 ticket. We are not asking you to sell tickets, we the Durant Rotarians are selling tickets. We need your support and participation with posters. Each ticket sold covers the cost of a meal and another dictionary delivered in the future.

As the chairperson of the Dictionary Project, I am coordinating this event. If you have questions and/or will participate, please contact me by email or home telephone. My email is tjhrncir@gmail.com and home phone is (580) 634-5031. I will gladly come to the school to get your posters. All entrees need to be submitted by *Tuesday, February 12, 2019*.

Sincerely yours,



Theresa Hrcir