



# Pinellas Park Rotary - District # 6950

## Thursday Oct. 17th , 2013 - 12:15 P.M.

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#### **This Week's Agenda:**

- ☼ Pledge of Allegiance
- ☼ Singing of *God Bless America*
- ☼ Rotary Prayer: Jimmy Hammond
- ☼ Rotarian and Guest Introductions: Tami Scheele
- ☼ Sergeant at Arms Announcements: Tom Stewart
  - \* Happy Events, Missed Last Week, Fines, Special Dates
  - \*Rotary Trivia Questions for the week.
- ☼ This week's Program (See following page)
- ☼ The Four Way Test ..... Adjourn

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#### **Trivia Questions: "In the Middle"**

1. What two kinds of particles make up the nucleus of an atom?
2. New York's Goat Island sits smack in the middle of what?
3. What is the name of the infinitely dense region at the center of a black hole?
4. What is in the center of a Pay Day bar?
5. The center of the US Population at the time of the first Census was in Maryland. Now it is in the center of which state? (seven states west of Maryland)
6. Whose castle is the Center of Disneyland?
7. What is "Malcolm in the Middle's" last name?

#### **Upcoming Programs & Events:**

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|----------|---------------------------|
| Oct 24th | Pete Molinaro P/C         |
| Oct 31st | Bob Munch P/C             |
| Nov 7th  | Dr. P. Nanda P/C          |
| Nov 12th | Board Meeting             |
| Nov 14th | Christine Patel P/C       |
| Nov 21st | Students of the Month     |
| Nov 28th | Thanksgiving (No Meeting) |
| Dec 2nd  | Tami Scheele P/C          |

#### **Missed Last Week:**

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|-----------------|----------------|
| Josh Astarita   |                |
| Peter Molinaro  | Ken Bray       |
| Donna Eppes     | Phil Burns     |
| Bob Munch       | Yvonne Fay     |
| Joe Kolodziej   | Theresa Pinnix |
| Christine Patel | John Donaghy   |

#### **Rotarian Wedding Anniversaries:**

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| Phil & Carolyn Burns...9/2.....52yrs   |
| Georgia & Ken Bray ...10/23 .....13Yrs |

#### **Club Anniversaries:**

John Donaghy ..... 10/7 ..... 6Yrs

#### **Rotarian Birthdays:**

Joe Kolodziej	.....	9/17	....	74yrs
Phil Burns	.....	10/19	....	72yrs

#### **Guests of Rotarians:**

Allana Todd.....	Barbara Todd
Nathan Ciminera .....	Barbara Todd

# Engage Rotary, Change Lives!



**Last Week’s Program: Don Higgins** was our “Surprise Speaker”!

Don spoke about the Rotary Action Group For Peace that was started in 2011.

**The Rotarian Action Group for Peace** is an action-driven group of Rotarians, Rotarians’ spouses and Rotaractors working together for the purpose of advancing peace and preventing wars throughout the world.

**Their Mission:** Serve as a resource to Rotarians, Rotary Clubs and Rotary Districts by supporting the peace work of Rotarians worldwide.

**Their Commitment:** The Rotarian Action Group for Peace is committed to providing the tools for their members to pursue and act on their passion for peace. They offer resources that provide knowledge, ideas, networks and support for advancing world peace and understanding.

**Rotary Peace Centers:** Rotary International and the Rotary Foundation have made incredible investments in the field of peace and conflict education through the **Rotary Peace Centers**. These investments were made with the idea that Rotarians, Clubs and Districts, with access to hundred of thousands of communities worldwide, would be able to draw diverse applicants committed to working on conflict resolution. The Rotarian Action Group for Peace seeks to get 100 percent of Rotary Districts worldwide involved in the recruitment of Rotary Peace Fellows.

**Events: Oct 26th** - Webinar - **Engaging Rotarians in Global Violence Prevention**. Dr. Joseph G. Bock will engage with Rotarians from around the world, discussing how Rotarians can become more involved in preventing conflict and promoting peace.

**Nov 2nd - Rotary - United Nations Day** - This unique opportunity will offer both a visit to the United Nations Headquarters in New York City and participation in panel discussions featuring leaders and officials from the United Nations, UN affiliated Non-Governmental Organizations (NGO's) and Rotary International.

<http://www.rotarianactiongroupforpeace.org>

**St Petersburg College Foundation, Inc**

Students awarded \$500 scholarships through the Rotary Club of Pinellas Park Scholarships.

<u>Recipient</u>	<u>Program of Study</u>	<u>GPA</u>
<b>Jennifer Krause</b>	<b>Dental Hygiene</b>	<b>3.0</b>
<b>Gayle Marchiniak</b>	<b>Health Sciences</b>	<b>3.44</b>
<b>Lea Robertson</b>	<b>General Studies</b>	<b>3.63</b>
<b>Melina Sommer</b>	<b>Health Services Administration</b>	<b>3.86</b>

Through our involvement, students have the opportunity to achieve their academic goals and realize their dreams. Our partnership with the SPC Foundation has broader implications as well: by supporting the skills, competencies and preparedness of tomorrow’s workforce, we are helping to promote the long-term economic vitality of this community.

**This Week's Program:** Presented by Program Chairmen Dan Evans



Students of the Month:

**Dixie M Hollins**

**Sanders School**

**Pinellas Park**



**Next Week's Program:** David Sideri will introduce our Guest speaker, **Jacquelyn Schuett**, the Project Coordinator for the *Institute for Strategic Policy Solutions* at St. Petersburg College – Seminole Campus. The Institute for Strategic Policy Solutions at SPC was established in 2011 to offer the community focused opportunities to become informed about and discuss today's key issues. This organization works to promote academic enrichment for students, civic engagement by citizens, and civil discourse in debating issues of critical importance to the community, state and nation. They hope we will want to learn more about the mission, vision and ongoing programs offered by the Institute.

**Dave Sideri Says, "Mark Your Calendar".**

**"A Romantic Evening in Italy"**

**"A Tribute to Frank Sinatra"**

**Donations Accepted for Pinellas Park Rotary Foundation**



**Live Performance**

**Saturday, Feb 8th, 2014 6:00 -10:00pm**

**Paraproisdokians**

**Since light travels faster than sound,  
some people appear bright until you hear them speak.**

**Rotary's Great When You Participate !!**

**Happy Events:**

**Kenny Krauss'** H/E was that he received a Rotary shirt as a birthday gift from Jerry. **Don Higgins'** H/E was that he and Charlotte went to Atlanta and toured the Aquarium, Coca Cola and CNN. **Barbara Todd's** H/E is that her grandkids, Alana & Nathan, were here today. **Bruce Cloud's** H/E was that he and Donna are going to Atlanta. **Joe Minarik's** H/E was that the Gators were going to beat LSU this weekend? Not too good a prediction! **David Sideri's** H/E is that we don't have to worry about the Red Sox / Rays conflict any more this year. **Tami Scheele's** H/E was she spent the weekend with her brother and also her niece who was playing in a soccer tournament and watched her grandson play in his baseball game. **David Zanitsch's not so happy** event was that he did not call his Rotary buddy last week.

**Jerry Wennlund** paid \$5 to announce that one of his twins is actually applying for a job and that his Fordham Rams are 5 - 0 in football... **"Bring back Vince Lombardi"** **Jerry Krauss** paid \$4 to honor the work that retiring Congressman **Bill Young** has done for this community over the last quarter of a century. **Bill** was a former member of the Pinellas Park Rotary Club and Jerry is honored to call him his friend. **Bill** is one of the few politicians serving in Washington who did not come back a great deal richer than he started, benefitting from "transactions" made in Washington. He worked for the people. **George Carter** told us that **Harry Marlow** died. Harry Marlow, PLS was a retired Professional Land Surveyor who had lived & worked in Pinellas Park since 1956.



**50/50 Winner:** **Wendy Sideri** won the drawing for \$7 and donated it back to the club! Jackpot is now \$8 and the card to draw is the **Ace of Clubs**.



**Quotable Quotes**

**"Apologizing:**

**Does not always mean that you are wrong and the other person is right.**

**It just means you value your relationship more than your ego."**



*Anonymous*

Club	Buddies
Christine K. Patel, a	Don Vauiso, a
Jerry Wennlund	Kenny Krauss
David Sideri	Pete Molinaro
Wendy Sideri, a	Donna Eppes, a
John Donaghy	Richard Breske
Judson Chapman	David Zanitsch
Tom Stewart	Kevin Krauss
Phyllis Tellor	Joe Minarik
Don Higgins	Phil Burns
Ken Bray	Joe Kolodziej
Dan Evans	Theresa Pinnix
Dorothy Gilbert	Josh Astarita
Pal Nanda	Phil England
Jim Hammond	Tami Scheele
Barbara Todd	Bruce Cloud
Jerry Krauss	Yvonne Fay
George Carter	Kevin Burkart
Bob Munch, a	