



# Pinellas Park Rotary - District # 6950

## Thursday Sept.25th 2014 - 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: Bob Munch
- ☼ 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      The Rotarian—Sept**

1. A member of **what** U.S. Rotary Club visited Hogar Juan Pablo orphanage in Paraguay?
2. This orphanage took care of children affected with what disease?
3. How many Rotarians travelled to southwestern Mexico to teach English to 22 local H.S & College Students?
4. What was this project called?
5. For how many years have Rotarians in Clarks Summit, PA help to keep their town beautiful with flowers?
6. One in how many Residents in Burundi have access to clean water?

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

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| Sept 27th | Special Olympics      |
| Sept 27th | Foundation Seminar    |
| Oct 2nd   | Dr. Pal Nanda P/C     |
| Oct 9th   | Club Assembly         |
| Oct 14th  | Board Meeting         |
| Oct 16th  | Students of the Month |
| Oct 23rd  | Tom Stewart P/C       |
| Oct 30th  | Phyllis Tellor P/C    |

**Missed Last Week:** Roy Ryan  
 Charles Hemeon      Paul Scheele  
 Phil Burns            Starlyn Fikkert  
 Ed Hotz                Jerry Wennlund  
 Don Swanzy          Kevin Burkart  
 Christine Patel      John Donaghy  
 David Zanitsch      Joe Kolodziej  
 Ken Bray              Pal Nanda  
 Dorothy Gilbert     Phyllis Tellor  
 Don Vauiso

#### **Rotarian Birthday's:**

Phyllis Tellor	...	9/12	...	66yrs
Joe Kolodziej	...	9/17	...	75yrs
Christine Patel	...	9/25	...	51yrs
Jimmy Hammond	...	9/30	...	84yrs

#### **Wedding Anniversaries:**

Isobel & Gerry Luckett	9/13	67yrs
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#### **Guests of Rotarians:**

Donna Cloud	...Bruce Cloud
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#### **Rotarian Guests:**

Jana Vrettos.....Clearwater Feather Sound

# EVERYONE BRING ONE

## Last Week's Program: STUDENTS OF THE MONTH

### Dixie Hollins H.S. Jessica Silk and Annie Tonnu

If I had the power to change the world?



I'd like to see more government funding go to finding renewable resources. In the long run, I want the US to become a global leader in terms of sustainability & environmental innovation, thus promoting competition for other countries to "go green". I'm a tree hugger at heart so in my opinion, a better future starts with a cleaner & healthier earth.



I would love to make every college free of charge, especially here. So many good students would have even more chances to get the education they want, hence a better developed world. Plus, most parents would be happy if this comes true, I'm, sure!

### Pinellas Park H.S. Angela Pope and Tristan Holland



For the past three years people use to ask me a lot about what I wanted to do for my career and I would freeze up like a block of ice. At S4TL I figured out my passion and what I wanted to do, which is travel. I love traveling, I like to move around and see different people, cultures, languages that are so complex, so I planned to do something that involves travel. I decided a United Nations investigative journalist would be ideal.



I would like to thank the Rotary Club and Pinellas Park High School for this significant award. I would also like to give thanks to my family, friends, and the staff of Pinellas Park High School for the constant support for the past four years. For my future, I plan on attending a four year university and possibly swimming in college while studying homeland security. Then I want to pursue a career in the Federal Drug Enforcement Agency.

**Richard Sanders**

**L. School**

### Montel Garner, Austin Dunlavey & Nate Turner



**Montel** is in high school, maintaining a 2.0 GPA and is on track earning all of his credits. He plans to attend SPC in fall of 2015.

**Austin** is a 5th grader who credits his good behavior with having learned how to control his anger.

**Nate** is in middle school and exemplifies what a turnaround student looks like. His focus right now is to finish school and to stay out of trouble.

# EVERYONE BRING ONE

## This Week's Program: District Governor's Visit

Everyone, please welcome our District Governor, Edward R. Johnston (Ted). He is here today to meet the Club Members and to talk about his campaign — “Everyone Bring One”.



## Next Week's Program:

Dr Pal Nanda, our Program Chairman will have a surprise for us...



## MEN'S POKER NIGHT

Oct 23rd 6pm

Email David Sideri to reserve your spot!

## Welcome our newest Rotarian !!!

### Carrie Heideman

She has a husband, Ron who has worked 32 yrs at Pinch a Penny in the corporate Office. Her 2 daughters, Madison & Savannah both go to Osceola HS.

Carrie is the Owner of Ribbons of Hope LLC. "A very special boutique" devoted to serving women who are about to undergo breast surgery as well as women who have had breast surgery.



## Youth Exchange Student

### Andressa Taborda

Was presented with a check for \$100. She is currently enrolled at Pinellas Park High School. Andressa enjoys singing in the choir at church and is looking forward playing soccer.

Host Family  
Richard and Kerri Swift



## BANQUET MASTERS IS MOVING

we will be holding our Rotary Club meetings at the new location after

October 9th, 2014

13355 49th Street N, Clwtr - Southeast corner of Ulmerton Rd/49th St in the big red brick building behind the Fifth Third Bank



## \$400 Contribution to the Dixie Hollins H.S. SVE Program

Our Club presented Bruce Myers with a check for \$400. These funds, with a special rate, provide 10 bowling sessions at the Seminole Bowling Center for approx. 30 students who are in the SVE Program.





**Happy Events:** **Don Higgins'** H/E was Florida "wooping up" on Kentucky! **Bob Munch's** H/E was attending his niece's wedding. **Dave Sideri** was happy to see the Students of the Month. **Tami Scheele's** H/E was attending Rotary Leadership Training last Saturday and a two day visit from her brother and sister-in-law. **Barbara Todd's** H/E was attending her granddaughter's wedding. **Wendy Sideri** had a great visit with two of her best friends from Boston. **Yvonne Fay** paid a Happy \$5 for a wonderful week in New York. Her visit to the Falls was fantastic. **Phil England's** H/E was celebrating his 16<sup>th</sup> Anniversary with **Amy**. They spent over \$300 for dinner at Burns Steakhouse. He also enjoyed tailgating for the Bucs game and is a proud Dixie Graduate. **Joe Minarik's** happy \$5 was for a successful Bowling Special Olympics on Saturday and while he and Pat were in Chicago, she went shopping and there is still a sign in Ditka's thanking Rotary! **Josh Astarita's** H/E was a successful Ronald McDonald dinner on Wednesday night and he thanked all of the helpers. **Tami Scheele's** H/E was seeing **Angela Pope** here as Dixie's Student of the Month as she had been last year's S4TL participant. **Theresa Pinnix** paid a Happy \$6 for R McD, S of Month, for **Jana** joining us again, for the Exchange Student that we are sponsoring and for a fun Saturday at Special Olympics. **Jana Vrettos** H/E was that her youngest daughter was just baptized. **Janet Waddell's** H/E was attending a very informational Rotary Leadership Training Session this past Saturday. She suggested that all new members should attend one of the sessions. **Kevin Krauss'** H/E was a very successful Special Olympics event. **Tom Stewart** who was enjoying his new scooter (sooo much better than crutches) announced that he has maxed out his "out of pocket" expenses for insurance this year, so he hopes to get all of his surgeries done this year. **Yvonne Fay** paid another \$10 to have the club sing "Happy Birthday" nicely! **Dave Sideri** announced that the next Poker Night will be October 23<sup>rd</sup> at his house, unless someone else would like to volunteer their house. **Joe Minarik** announced that he will be holding a Paul Harris Lottery a next week. Anyone who would like to be included in the lottery should call Joe.

**50/50 Winner:** **Bob Munch** won the drawing for \$6 and he donated it back to the club. The new Jackpot is \$76.00 The card to draw from the deck is the Ace of Clubs!

## Words of Wisdom

**"Let's go invent tomorrow instead worrying about what happened yesterday"**

*Steve Jobs*

Club	Buddies
Jerry Wennlund	Kenny Krauss
David Sideri	Kevin Burkart
John Donaghy	Richard Breske
Janet Waddell	David Zanitsch
Tom Stewart	Kevin Krauss
Phyllis Tellor	Joe Minarik
Don Higgins	Phil Burns
Jim Fikkert	Joe Kolodziej
Ken Bray	Carrie Heideman
Dorothy Gilbert	Josh Astarita
Pal Nanda	Phil England
Jim Hammond	Tami Scheele
Jerry Krauss	Yvonne Fay
Barbara Todd	Bruce Cloud
Jana Vrettos	Theresa Pinnix
	Paul Scheele, a
Christine K. Patel, a	Don Vauiso, a
Wendy Sideri, a	Donn Swanzy a
Ed Hotz, a	Roy Ryan, a
Bob Munch, a	Bill Ashcraft, a
Starlyn Fikkert, a	Charles Hemeon, a