



Pinellas Park Rotary - District # 6950

Thursday Jan 29th 2015 - 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: From the January Rotarian!

1. Worldwide, how many people don't have enough **FOOD** to lead healthy lives?
2. In Romania, what % is the poverty rate?
3. In U.S. Public Schools, how many children have learning disabilities?
4. In Chapala, Mexico, how many Pap smears and breast exams have been performed by Rotary Clubs in 2012?
5. In France, how many cities are participating in Potalib, a project to start community Gardens by the Rotaract Club of Versailles?

Upcoming Programs & Events:

Feb 5th	Jerry Wennlund P/C
Feb.7th	Rotary Cleanup
Feb 10th	Board Meeting
Feb 12th	Kevin Burkart P/C
Feb 18th	Rotary Foundation Awards
Feb 19th	Students of the Month
Feb 19th	Lunch at Dixie Hollins H.S.
Feb 26th	P P Employee of the Year

Missed Last Week:

Ed Hotz	Kevin Burkart
Holly Collins	David Zanitsch
Carrie Heideman	Ken Bray
Joe Kolodziej	Paul Scheele
Starlyn Fikkert	Don Vauiso
Colleen Carson	Barbara Todd
Bob Munch	Charles Hemeon

Visiting Rotarians:

Robert Bailes.....Central Pinellas

Rotarian Birthdays:

Holly Minarik-Collins ... 12/13 ... 49yrs

Rotarian Guests:

Marcus EddyDave Sideri

The BOWL-A-THON is 8 weeks away !!

Our Biggest Fundraiser - the BO'

Saturday - March 21, 2015 Noon to 4pm

Rotary BOWL-A-THON:

Find bowlers for a Team, Gather Items for Silent Auction & Raffles, Talk to Companies & Individuals about being a Team Sponsor. Bring your \$\$\$ and donations to Kevin Krauss and your bowlers' info to Janet ASAP.

Saturday - Feb 14, 2015

Valentine Party at the St Pete Coliseum:

Last call for Tickets. Please let Janet know if you would like to attend.

Teacher - Speaker Awards Presented



Janet Waddell and Josh Astarita presented Mrs. Kelly Milnes, 2nd grade teacher at *M K Rawlings Elementary*, with her \$25 check for her classroom.



Charlie Hemeon and Paul Scheele presented Rosemary Blanco, Kindergarten teacher at *Skyview Elementary*, with the \$25 check for her classroom in lieu of providing a speaker gift for our guest speakers at our weekly meetings.



Next Week's Program:



Jerry Wennlund will surprise us next week with his program!

Happy 70th Birthday - Don Higgins

To celebrate, all of the girls sang "Happy Birthday" to Don for his 70th!



OWL-A-THON is 8 weeks away !!

This Week's Program: Don Higgins' has scheduled Dan Mann,



CEO of *Lighthouse of Pinellas* to be our speaker this week. **Colleen Carson**, who is a *Lighthouse of Pinellas* Board Member, will introduce Dan. He will give overview of *Lighthouse's* services for clients with low vision and blindness. For more information about their organization, go to their website.

<http://www.lighthouseofpinellas.org/>



Last Week's Program: Richard Breske presented **Cindy Campbell**. Cindy is an attorney who works at *Raymond James & Associates* in their Wealth Solutions Dept. She talked about estate planning and the necessity of updating your plan regularly, including your will, power of attorney, contingency beneficiaries and health care surrogates. If you own a business, set up an organized succession plan.



Do you know someone who deserves a better way to get to work? Send them to our Website!

There is a link for both the flyer & the application.



Men's Night Out: After some hors d'oeuvres, we began the night



with all us having a shot of Wild Turkey in honor of our missed friend and fellow poker player, **Bruce Cloud.....**

Last man standing was **Richard Breske!** **Flip England** gave it a valiant effort, but was outgunned in the end... **Josh Astarita** and **Harry Alchin** also made a good run at it. Others who attended: **Dave Sideri, Don Vauiso, Jerry Krauss, Kevin Krauss** and **Joe**

Minarik. Thanks to all who came as we raised \$260 for the Club !



Happy Events:



Jerry Wennlund: One of his twins has a job interview and he is excited!

Phil England: Looking forward to defending his championship in the poker tournament tonight.

Don Higgins: Had lunch with his daughter on Beach Drive in St Petersburg to celebrate her being accepted into the Leadership Program at SPC

David Sideri: Wished a very Happy Birthday to Don Higgins and David is happy to be back after missing two meetings.

Tami Scheele: Happy that her son was promoted at Bonefish Grill.

Dr. Pal Nanda: Happy to see Wendy at the meeting.

Theresa Pinnix: Planning her son's 30th birthday party.

Janet Waddell: Happy her 3 grandchildren made the principal's list at their schools.

Jerry Krauss: Congratulated **Harry Alchin** who had a higher bowling series this week and wished a Happy Birthday to his Grandson, Michael. Jerry was also happy that he bowled a 711 clean (no misses) series for 3 games in his league on Tuesday.

Theresa Pinnix: Welcomed back **Phyllis Teller**.

Tom Stewart and **Jerry Krauss** agreed it was good to see Phyllis.

Kenny Krauss: Happy that his wife, **Carole**, enjoyed a trip to the Mall and to a Ostomy meeting where she talked with other people who have the same problem she has.

Robert Bailes, visiting Rotarian from the Central Pinellas Rotary Club, was happy to be here.

Don Higgins paid \$40 to have all the ladies in the club sing Happy Birthday to him!

50/50 Winner: Kevin Krauss won the drawing for \$10 & donated it back. The Jackpot is up to \$30 with the Ace of Hearts!!



Words of Wisdom

“The empires of the future are the empires of the mind.”

Winston Churchill

Bowlathon	Participants
Jana Vrettos	Theresa Pinnix
Jerry Wennlund	Kenny Krauss* 1
David Sideri	Kevin Burkart
John Donaghy	Richard Breske
Janet Waddell* 3	David Zanitsch
Tom Stewart	Kevin Krauss* 2
Phyllis Teller*11	Joe Minarik
Barbara Todd	Colleen Carson
Jim Fikkert	Joe Kolodziej
Ken Bray	Don Higgins
Dorothy Gilbert* 1	Josh Astarita
Pal Nanda	Phil England
Jim Hammond	Tami Scheele
Jerry Krauss* 16	Yvonne Fay
h Donna Cloud	h Ann Carter
h Dolores Caunitz	h Carolyn Burns
a Harry Alchin	a Paul Scheele
a Christine Patel* 1	a Don Vauiso* 1
a Wendy Sideri	a Holly M. Collins
a Ed Hotz	
a Bob Munch	a Bill Ashcraft* 1
a Starlyn Fikkert	a Charles Hemeon