



Pinellas Park Rotary - District # 6950

Thursday Mar 26th, 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: March Madness!!!!

1. Which team is the most recent team to repeat as National Champion?
2. Which team won the most National Titles in the history of the NCAA Tournament?
3. What active coach has the most tournament Titles with 3?
4. Which team has made the most official Final Four Appearances with 18?

Upcoming Programs & Events:

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| April 2nd | Crown Honda—Car Giveaway |
| April 8th | Ronald McDonald Dinner |
| April 9th | Ken Bray PC - Dick Crippen |
| April 14th | Board Meeting |
| April 16th | Students of the month |
| April 23rd | Dorothy Gilbert P/C |
| April 30th | Phil England P/C |
| May 7th | Law Day with Kiwanis |

Missed Last Week:

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| Don Vauiso | Paul Scheele |
| Christine Patel | Joe Kolodziej |
| Phyllis Tellor | Barbara Todd |
| Holly Collins | Kevin Burkart |
| John Donaghy | Ken Bray |
| David Zanitsch | Colleen Carson |
| Yvonne Fay | Jim Fikkert |
| Don Higgins | Joe Minarik |
| Dr. Nanda | Theresa Pinnix |
| Starlyn Fikkert | Bob Munch |
| Wendy Sideri | Tami Scheele |

Club Anniversaries:

Paul Scheele.....3/13.....1yr

Guests of Rotarians:

Erica WennlundJerry Wennlund

Save the Date:

2015-16 Installation Banquet to be held on Saturday June 20, 2015!

Rotarian Birthdays:

Barbara Todd.....3/10.....73yrs

BOWL-A-THON a Hugh Success! \$29,768 Plus!

Our Biggest Fundraiser - this year!

This Week's Program: Barbara Todd will present **Scott McIntyre**, the CEO of *Solar Energy Management* and a key business and civic leader both in St. Petersburg and Pinellas County. He will be making a presentation on *Florida's Energy - Today and Tomorrow*. Scott is a graduate from the University of Florida. *Solar Energy Management* was started in 2008 with offices in Tampa and St Petersburg. Today it is a statewide Commercial Energy Efficiency Contractor and Certified Solar Contractor. Prior to *SEM*, Scott was VP and part owner of *SI Systems*, a National Construction Software and Technology firm for 26 years. Scott sits on the Board at Florida International University. He is also a member of Flaseia, USGBC and FGBC. He is active in supporting the arts as a member of the "Order of Salvador" at the *Dali Museum* and as a member of the Development Council at *All Children's Hospital*. He also volunteers with *Big Brothers/Big Sisters* and *Cartoons in*

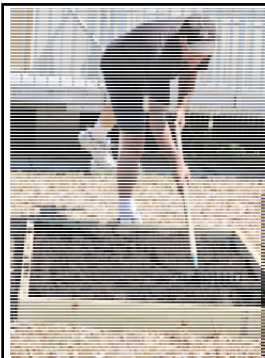


Next week's program !!!

**Pinellas Park Rotary Car Give-Away
at Crown Honda Thursday, April 2, 2015**

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

**We will hold our regular luncheon meeting at Crown Honda, 7671 US 19 N,
to present the Car to the Recipient, Thomas Villtos**



Many Thanks to **Tami Scheele, Jana Vrettos & Harry Alchin** who volunteered at **Skyview Elementary School's Garden Project** last Tuesday building planters, digging holes, planting Hibiscus & assembling wheelbarrows.



2015 District 6950 Annual Conference - "See You at the River" **Fri May 1st & Sat May 2nd - Plantation Inn-Crystal River Sign Up by Mar 31st**



Friday Afternoon
Foundation Lunch—PDG Russ Miller
Foundation Awards
Presidents Rep—PDG Jerry Venters
Friday Evening
Luau under the Stars & Awards

Saturday Morning
Breakfast with PDG John Capps
Saturday Afternoon
River Clean-up & Lunch
Saturday Evening
Banquet & Awards (not to be missed)

For More Info ... go to ... <http://governorted6950.com/see-you-at-the-river/>

our's BOWL-A-THON is over, A M E N !



PAUL HARRIS FELLOW

Richard Breske was honored to present the Paul Harris Fellowship Awards to **Jerry Wennlund's** daughters, **Alyssa, Kara & Erica**. Erica was able to make the meeting and she accepted the awards on behalf of her sisters.

Last Week's Program: Richard L Sanders School hosted March's STUDENTS OF THE MONTH CELEBRATION.



Cynthia Burnett, Guidance Counselor from Dixie Hollins HS, presented Dana Schachter & Kiara Cente-



no as Dixie's Students of the Month for March. Dana Schachter is a Cambridge University Program student at Dixie Hollins High School. She has 4.1 WGPA and is ranked 15 in her class. She has received many honors throughout high school and she has volunteered at Hospice of the Florida Sun Coast. Dana hopes to be accepted at FSU



where she plans to major in Biology. Her long-term goals are to become a Dentist and to travel to visit other countries. **Kiara Ceneno** was born in Nicaragua and moved to the USA five years ago. She has a WGPA of 4.09 and is ranked 17th in her class. She has won many scholastic awards and, as a member of NHS and the Multicultural Committee, she volunteers for *Cancer Society's Relay for Life* and *Great Explorations*. In her free time, Kiara enjoys playing tennis and soccer. She plans to attend FI International University with a double major in International Relations and International Business. She hopes to eventually work for the United Nations. In Nicaragua, women are encouraged only to marry and raise a family. She hopes to influence women around the world to choose to achieve a higher level of education for the betterment of their family and their countries.

Sanders School Students: Stacey DeJesus feels he earned the Student of the Month by "trying to have a positive attitude". Success feels good to Stacey. When he is focused and works hard, he knows his efforts are paying off!! Stacey enjoys reading and is good in math. **Noah Pesterfield** believes his success this year comes from listening to the teacher, following directions, taking care of his materials and being nice to the teacher. His teacher helps him to calm down and he is learning to put sounds together and create words. **Mateo Blanco** continues to impress all of his teachers and staff at Sanders, so much so that he is reintegrating to a General Education high school next year. Mateo has a GPA of 3.7. He wants to be a biologist & plans on attending college.

Stacey DeJesus (5th Gr)



Noah Pesterfield (1st Gr)

Mateo Blanco (9th Gr)



Happy Events:



Josh Astarita: Happy to be at Sanders School, happy to see Cynthia from DHHS and happy that the weather is good.

David Sideri: Happy to be at Sanders School.

Jerry Wennlund: Had a great time at the Golf Tournament and happy that his daughter, Erica, was accepted to Graduate School at USF.

Dorothy Gilbert: Thank you to the students that escorted her to the Media Center.

Janet Waddell: Congratulations to the Students of the Month and their proud Moms!

Pete Hervey: Thanks to all the Rotarians for sponsoring the 19 teams for the Bowl –A-Thon.

Phil England: Enjoyed the Renaissance Festival and happy that he is going to be a Grandfather!

Kevin Krauss: Thanks to all for the support for the Bowl-A-Thon; everything is coming together for Saturday.

Jerry Krauss: Enjoyed dinner with daughter, Nancy, for her 54th birthday.

Harry Alchin: Thank you to Tami and Jana for their help with Skyview Elem's garden this week.

Tom Stewart: Happy that the Golf Tournament was a success!

Ronald McDonald House Dinner

Ronald McDonald House — 401 7th Ave So

Wed April 8th.

Brats, Burgers, Dogs, Sides, Desserts & Drinks! Sign up with **Josh Astarita** & please be there by **5:30pm**



Many Thanks to **Tom Stewart, Jerry & Cheryl Wennlund** and **Ken Bray** who worked the **Valspar Golf Tournament** last weekend.

50/50 Winner: **Harry Alchin** won \$5 & donated it back to the club. The Jackpot is \$98 for the Ace of Hearts!



Words of Wisdom

“I’ve learned.....That to ignore the facts does not change the facts.”

Andy Rooney

Club	Buddies
Jana Vrettos	Theresa Pinnix
Jerry Wennlund	Kenny Krauss
David Sideri	Kevin Burkart
John Donaghy	Richard Breske
Janet Waddell	David Zanitsch
Tom Stewart	Kevin Krauss
Phyllis Tellor	Joe Minarik
Susan Walker	Colleen Carson
Jim Fikkert	Joe Kolodziej
Ken Bray	Don Higgins
Dorothy Gilbert	Josh Astarita
Pal Nanda	Phil England
Jim Hammond	Tami Scheele
Jerry Krauss	Yvonne Fay
David Allen	a Jayme Chancellor
Barbara Todd	a Wendy Sideri
h Donna Cloud	h Ann Carter
h Dolores Caunitz	h Carolyn Burns
a Harry Alchin	a Paul Scheele
a Christine Patel	a Don Vauiso
a Starlyn Fikkert	a Holly M. Collins
a Bob Munch	a Bill Ashcraft