

# Pinellas Park Rotary - District # 6950

**Thursday Apr. 30th 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 April Rotarian!**

1. What is the name of the only Polio ward in India?
2. How many patients are treated in this ward each year?
3. What year was oral polio vaccine introduced in India?
4. In what year was polio last reported in India?
5. In what year was polio last reported in Southeast Asia?

**Upcoming Programs & Events:**

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| May 7th  | Law Day at Kiwanis Mtg. |
| May 12th | Board Meeting           |
| May 14th | Jana Vrettos P/C        |
| May 21st | Students of the Month   |
| May 28th | Joe Minarik P/C         |
| May 28th | Poker Night             |
| June 4th | Susan Walker P/C        |
| June 5th | First Friday St.Pete    |
| June 9th | Board Meeting           |

**Missed Last Week:**

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| Joe Kolodziej   | Phyllis Tellor   |
| Bob Munch       | Paul Scheele     |
| John Donaghy    | Pal Nanda        |
| Barbara Todd    | Phil England     |
| Dorothy Gilbert | Christine Patel  |
| Yvonne Fay      | Jayne Chancellor |
| Kevin Krauss    | Wendy Sideri     |

**Rotarian Birthdays:**

John Donaghy.....4/11.....84 yrs

**Club Anniversaries:**

Bob Munch.....4/12.....3yrs

# Rotary is Great when YOU Participate!

**Last Week's Program:** Program coordinator, **Tami Scheele**, presented Corporate Entertainer **Joshua Seth**. **Joshua** is an expert on relaxation and stress reduction in our noisy and busy world. He just completed a book entitled ***Finding Focus In a Busy World: How To Tune Out The Noise and Work Well Under Pressure***. You can check out his website at [www.joshuaseth.com/speaking](http://www.joshuaseth.com/speaking). He spoke to us about the benefits of focusing on a single task, not multi-tasking. He advised that one can be more productive choosing the most important task for the day, then focusing on completing that task.



**Next Week's Program:**

**Law Day Celebration**

**Thursday May 7th, we will celebrate Law Day with Pinellas Park Kiwanis Club at their meeting site - Quaker Steak & Lube - 10400 49th St at Noon.**



Please let **Janet Waddell** know if you will be attending, so that we will be able to give them a count for lunch.

**“Jack & Jill” Poker Night**

**Thurs May 28th 6pm at Dave & Wendy Sideri's House. Please let Dave know if you will be attending.**

**Save this date –June 20th, 2015**

**Pinellas Park Rotary Club Installation Banquet to be held at the Pinellas Park Performing Arts Center 4951 78th Ave N, Pinellas Park**

**This Week's Program:** Program Chairman **Phil England**, will introduce **Agnes Pujado**, **Gulf Beaches Rotary Club's** Exchange Student from Spain. Agnes has a wonderful program about Spain and her experience in the United States. She also plays the clarinet and may entertain us with a musical piece.



Thanks to the **Breakfast Optimist Club's** invitation, we will be working at the downtown St Petersburg "First Friday" event on **June 5th.**

We will need 20 volunteers to work the event: 2 at 5:00pm, 4 more at 5:30pm and 14 more by 6:00pm. We will need to "breakdown" the

booth at the end of the evening. Please Sign up with David or Janet if you will be able to work the event. We especially hope our new younger members will be in attendance.

On the first Friday of every month, the heart of downtown becomes "St. Pete's biggest block party". "First Friday St. Pete" is a showcase for the great bands, the great drinks, and the great food that make St Pete - Florida's most exciting city. "First Friday St. Pete" gets rolling on **Central Avenue between 2nd and 3rd Street.** The party starts at 5:30pm and goes until 10pm. Admission is free, the music is live, and vendors and restaurants offer a wide variety of food and drink. There are several parking garages adjacent to the event, including one just to the west on Central Ave. There is also limited on-street parking nearby.

## Happy Events:



**Janet Waddell:** Happy that her husband, Mike, received an award as Pinellas County School's Area III's Senior Volunteer of the Year.

**Joe Minarik:** Phyllis was Joe's buddy for many years, but he is happy to have Janet Waddell as his new buddy because she will not cost him any \$\$\$ each week.

**David Sideri:** Happy his daughter and grandkids are in town. Also happy his son just celebrated his 30<sup>th</sup> birthday.

**Jerry Wennlund:** Happy that the Rays had a comeback with their win against Boston. He is also happy that there are 2 good candidates who will be going to S4TL from Dixie Hollins High School.

**Kevin Burkart:** Glad to be back. He missed us. He had a great tax season, but glad it is over!

**Tami Scheele:** Happy that Kevin Burkart is back. Happy her son is celebrating his Birthday and she is appreciative to Club Rotarians who have been helping her with grant applications and installation banquet preparations.

**Jerry Krauss:** Happy that Kevin Burkart is back!

**Josh Astarita:** Paid \$3.00 for 2 happy and one sad event. The happy side was he was glad to see Kevin Burkart back and he took several of his employees fishing over the weekend. On the sad side, Theresa Pinnix didn't say hello today. That is a no-no, Theresa. :(

**50/50 Winner:** This week's drawing was won by Janet Waddell for \$7.00. She graciously donated it back to the club as she drew the 7 of Hearts. The pot is now \$124 for the Ace of Hearts.



## Words of Wisdom

"The two enemies of the people are *criminals* and *government*, so let us tie the second down with the chains of the constitution so the second will not become the legalized version of the first."

*Thomas Jefferson*

Club	Buddies
Jana Vrettos	Theresa Pinnix
Jerry Wennlund	Kenny Krauss
David Sideri	Kevin Burkart
John Donaghy	Barbara Todd
Janet Waddell	Joe Minarik
Tom Stewart	Kevin Krauss
Phyllis Tellor	
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	Richard Breske
a Jayme Chancellor	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