



Pinellas Park Rotary - District # 6950
Thursday June 18th, 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: All answers have their letters in alphabetical order:

1. Before "Hello" was common, what word did Alexander Bell suggest for answering the phone?
2. What French word for "Jewel" became the common name for American Movie Houses?
3. In 1990, what movie won the 1st acting Oscar for a black woman since 1939?
4. The "Ruby" celebrates how many years of Marriage.
5. What kind of Khaki cotton pants are so named because US soldiers first bought them in Asia during the Spanish-American War?

Upcoming Programs & Events:

June 25th	Jimmy Hammond P/C
July 2nd	Club Assembly
July 9th	Christine Patel
July 14th	Board Meeting
July 16th	Paul Scheele
July 23rd	Harry Alchin
July 30th	Bob Munch

Missed Last Week:

Joe Kolodziej	Bill Ashcraft
John Donaghy	Richard Breske
Christine Patel	Barbara Todd
Don Vauiso	Jerry Krauss
Phyllis Tellor	Bob Munch
Jayne Chancellor	Dorothy Gilbert
Josh Astarita	David Allen
Jim Fikkert	Ken Bray
	Jana Vrettos

Guests of Rotarians:

Charlotte Higgins Don Higgins
 Kim Snedeker Colleen Carson

Club Anniversaries:

Joe Kolodziej 6/14/08 7 Yrs

Rotarian Birthdays:

Dolores Caunitz 6/11 88 Yrs
 Dorothy Gilbert 6/16 71 Yrs

Visiting Rotarians:

Doug Oppenheimer Miami FL
 Bob Bailes Central Pinellas

Pinellas Park Rotary Club Installation Banquet

Pinellas Park Performing Arts Center
4951 78th Ave N, Pinellas Park



This Saturday - June 20th, 2015

\$40 per person

5:00pm Cocktails (open bar) & Appetizers

Entertainment— “City Groove” Band

6:00pm Dinner Buffet catered by “Quintessence Catering”

(Stuffed Grouper - Chicken Marsala)

Casual Business Attire - No Tie required



This Week's Program:



Program Chairman, **David Allen**, will present **Bobby Deskins**, Meteorologist with WTSP News-10. Bobby will speak to us about the weather and being a meteorologist at WTSP.



Next Week's Program:

Program Chairperson, **Rev. Jimmy Hammond** will present a speaker from the *Vincent House* who will talk to us about the *Vincent House*, why it was formed and who it serves. The *Vincent House* is located on 78th Ave & 49th St in Pinellas Park.



Habitat for Humanity:

President David Sideri presented Christine Sabo, Habitat for Humanity, with a shirt and hat that our Club received in thanks for our Club's donation to the Habitat for Humanity Project in India.



Last Week's Program:

Program Chairperson, **Colleen Carson** introduced **Judy Gates**. Judy gave a very informative talk about bee keeping and the community benefits of bees. Bees have been found as fossils 100 million years old. There were bees here in the Americas, but when the European Colonists came, they brought their European Bees with their plants in the 1600's. Mormons brought bees with them when they settled in Utah. Pioneers brought the bees along when they settled the Western US and brought them to California with the Gold Rush. Bees are a Cooperative



Brood Care community with overlapping generations in one hive. They have a definite division of labor and a complex system of communication. A Hive is composed of 1 Fertile Queen and 40,000 sterile female worker bees and a small number of Male Drones whose only job is to mate with the Queen and then die. Nectar is collected by the female worker bees with their sucking tongue and is regurgitated in the hive to become honey. Pollen is brought back to feed the larvae bees with pollen coincidentally being left on the plants to pollinate the plants they frequent. Bees only sting when they feel their life or the life of the hive is threatened as bees die after stinging. Modern Box Hives were invented in the 1850's.

Excerpt From the June 2015 Rotarian Magazine:

Rotarians are helping to build a brighter future for homeless students in San Diego. A few blocks from San Diego's shipyards, children start arriving at the *Monarch School* at 6 a.m. Some come early to take a shower, wash their clothes, eat breakfast or take a nap. Classes end at 3 p.m., but many students stay for afterschool programs. With about 400 homeless and transient students passing through its doors each year, *Monarch* is one of the few schools of its kind in the US. The state-of-the-art facility also provides students with clothing, health care, counseling, and career training. Their families can get trolley passes, money to pay for birth certificates and other documents, translation services, and parent coaching. **Sandra McBrayer**, an educator teaching at San Diego's juvenile detention facility and at a homeless shelter, felt that traditional schools were not addressing the needs of the kids she worked with, so she launched the "*PLACE*" (*Progressive Learning Alternative for Children's Education*) in 1987. Under the auspices of the juvenile court system, the *PLACE* opened in a two-room storefront in San Diego's urban core. Homeless teenagers braved a gauntlet of drug dealers, panhandlers, and prostitutes to get there. **Michelle Candland**, a commercial real estate salesperson, who has been working with the school for almost two decades now, started volunteering soon after joining the *Rotary Club of San Diego* in 1999. It changed her life. The *San Diego Rotary Club* entered the picture and, with Michelle Candland's help, found a 10,000-square-foot warehouse on the edge of Little Italy. The school's students voted to rename the school the *Monarch School*, envisioning a butterfly emerging from its cocoon. With help from fellow Rotarian Bink Cook, Candland set up a 501(c)(3) nonprofit called the **Monarch School Project**. Over the next two years, they raised \$1.4 million. "Rotary put together a group of contractors, donors, and volunteers who made things work," says Erin Spiewak, the school's CEO and head of the **Rotary Club's Monarch School** committee. (for more info, please see the June issue of the Rotarian Magazine)

Happy Events:

Don Higgins: Happy Event was having fun watching his grandkids last week and bowling with them at *Seminole Lanes*.

Jerry Wennlund: Paid a happy \$10.00 for his 10th wedding anniversary. He and Cheryl went on a great trip last weekend.

Kevin Krauss: Had fun pouring beer at *First Friday*.

Janet Waddell: Enjoyed listening to the band and pouring beer at *First Friday* event.

Kim Snedeker: Happy that her cousin's husband is retiring from the U.S. Air Force. Also Happy that she is learning how to sew. She made a beautiful dress for her 4 year old daughter that was enthusiastically received.

David Sideri: Happy about the *Tampa Bay Lightning's* future 2 wins. He has FAITH that they will win the Stanley Cup. He also had fun at *First Friday*.

Tami Scheele: Happy about *First Friday* & she thanked **David Sideri** for taking the board to dinner this past Tuesday evening.

Dr. Nanda: Happy that his buddy, **Phil England**, was at the meeting after missing several weeks.

Harry Alchin: Thanked **Theresa Pinnix** for buying pizza at *First Friday*.

Paul Scheele: Had fun at *First Friday*

& is happy that Captain **David Sideri** is taking his family fishing. He hopes they catch a lot of fish.



50/50 Winner: Our drawing was won last week by **Susan Walker** at \$8.00. She graciously donated it back to the club. The pot is now up to \$179 for the Ace of Hearts.



Words of Wisdom

“A government which robs Peter to pay Paul can always depend on the support of Paul.”

George Bernard Shaw

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 Bob Munch	a Bill Ashcraft