



**Pinellas Park Rotary - District # 6950**  
**Thursday Oct. 29nd, 2015 - 12:15 P.M.**  
**Volume #17 Edition 2015-2016**



**This Week's Agenda:**

- ☼ Pledge of Allegiance
- ☼ Singing of *God Bless America*
- ☼ Rotary Prayer: **Jimmy Hammond & Jim Fikkert**
- ☼ Rotarian and Guest Introductions: **David Allen & Susan Walker**
- ☼ 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: Lou Holtz**

1. At which college did he play football?
2. What was his position?
3. Can you name two of the six colleges where he coached football over the years?
4. Which of his college programs went 12-0, won the Fiesta Bowl in 1988 and was the consensus National Championship team?
5. Which NFL team did he coach in 1976?
6. Who was he an analyst for in 2005?
7. In what year was he elected to the College Football Hall of Fame?

**Upcoming Programs & Events:**

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|----------|--------------------------|
| Oct 31st | Halloween Candy Trail    |
| Nov 5th  | Susan Walker P/C         |
| Nov 10th | Board Meeting            |
| Nov 12th | Don Higgins P/C          |
| Nov 18th | Great American Teach-In  |
| Nov 19th | Students of the Month    |
| Nov 26th | No Meeting -Thanksgiving |
| Dec 3rd  | Jim Fikkert P/C          |
| Dec 5th  | <b>Christmas Party !</b> |
| Dec 8th  | Board Meeting            |

**Rotarian Birthdays:**

Ken Bray.....10/16.....67 Yrs.

**Wedding Anniversaries:**

Georgia & Ken Bray.....10/23.....15 Yrs.

**Missed Last Week:**

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|-----------------|------------------|
| Starlyn Fikkert | Dorothy Gilbert  |
| John Donaghy    | Joe Kolodziej    |
| Jerry Krauss    | Barbara Todd     |
| Colleen Carson  | Christine Patel  |
| Kevin Krauss    | Jayne Chancellor |
| Ken Bray        | Bob Dobson       |
| Dr. Pal Nanda   | Wendy Sideri     |
| Tom Stewart     | Bill Ashcraft    |
| Jana Vrettos    | Phyllis Tellor   |
|                 | Don Vauiso       |

**Guests of Rotarians:**

Rebecca Furlong ..... Yvonne Fay

**Rotarian Guest:**

Neil Brickfield ..... Clearwater

**Be a Gift to the World**

### **This Week's Program:**

Program Chairman **Jerry Krauss** will present a Commencement Presentation by **Lou Holtz**. Lou Holtz is the only college football coach to lead six different College football programs to bowl games. The talk is enjoyable to watch. Lots of fun stuff and some good advice.



### **Classroom Teachers Awards**



**Don Vauiso** presented \$25 checks to **Donna Blanton**, 4th Gr Teacher, and **Cassie Whalen**, 5th Gr Teacher at **Pinellas Park Elementary School**.



**Janet Waddell** was accompanied by **Rawlings Elementary School** Principal, **Rebecca Moore**, as she presented \$25 checks to **Patricia Sullivan**, Kindergarten Teacher and **Shauna Russell**, Pre-K with Special Needs Teacher at Rawlings. All four teachers



were pleasantly surprised to have been chosen and very thankful for the gift for their

### **Next Week's Program:** Program Chairman **Susan Walker** will present

**Jan & Jason Young** from **Living Towers**. Their water based growing system (Hydroponic) creates its own highly oxygenated environment (Aeroponic) for the plant roots. The plants are grown vertically, using the latest "Tower Garden" technology and a proprietary "Tower Tonic" plant food. Their wide range of ionic minerals and plant nutrients allow them to grow strong, healthy, nutrient-dense produce. They will speak about the Hydroponics unit that we will be installing at **Skyview Elementary** that afternoon. **Our noon meeting next week will be followed by the Ribbon Cutting Ceremony at Skyview Elementary at 2:45pm. Please plan to be there.**



# Club Assembly !!

**Last Week's Program:** Tami Scheele updated our club members on our on-going projects including the *Hydroponics Towers* that will be installed soon at *Skyview Elementary School*. Jerry Wennlund related our new policy on *Sanders School* Students of the Month. Richard Breske gave an updated report on the *Pinellas Park Foundation* and our yearly giving to the *Rotary Foundation*.

**Skyview Elementary School Paver Installation and Garden Weeding:** This past Saturday, Richard Breske, Harry Alchin, Tami Scheele, Josh Astarita, Phil England, Yvonne Fay, Jim & Starlyn Fikkert, Suzanne Hester, Joe Minarik, Doug Oppenheimer, Janet & Mike Waddell, Susan Walker, and DHHS Interact Moderator, Brenda Hankin came out to install pavers for the *Hydroponic Tower* base and also to weed & mulch the *Butterfly Garden* that had been ignored over the summer! The results were very satisfying!





## Happy Events:

**Kevin Burkart:** Happy to see **Josh Astarita** again. **Josh** had just been in **Kevin**'s office.

**Yvonne Fay:** Happy to have her friend, **Rebecca Furlong**, here today and enjoyed **Bev & Richard Breske's** Bowling Fundraiser for their church.

**Josh Astarita:** Glad he was able to be here today. He came straight from work in Carillon and was glad to have his golf shoes in the car. They look better than what he wore for work! He was concerned for **Dorothy Gilbert's** granddaughter's passing and glad that **Dave Sideri** was here to cover for **Tom Stewart**.

**Suzanne Hester:** Happy to be here at a meeting and looking forward to the work day at *Skyview* on Sat.

**Theresa Pinnix:** Had a great vacation, sad to be back from vacation and congrats to **Josh!**

**Tami Scheele:** Happy to have **Suzanne Hester** here today and happy to have had a great time with **Yvonne Fay**.

**Harry Alchin:** Happy to be celebrating his one year club anniversary today!

**David Sideri:** Happy to have had a great weekend in Las Vegas with the family and happy that he came home EVEN!

**Tami Scheele:** Thanked **David Sideri** for the tour of his factory. It was fascinating.

**Paul Scheele:** Had a Happy \$5 for **David Sideri's** gift of Viking tickets. Many Thanks to **David!**



“Share” and “Like” our Rotary Club with Family, Friends and the Community. Have them “Like” us!

**50/50 Winner:** Drawing was won last week by Rotarian **Joe Minarik** who graciously donated \$7 back to the club. To win the \$116 Grand Jackpot, the card to draw is the **Ace of Spades!**



## Words of Wisdom

**Best Way to get rid of Kitchen Odors: “EAT OUT!”**

*Phyllis Diller*

## CLUB BUDDIES

Chantel Wonder	Suzanne Hester
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	Joe Kolodziej
Susan Walker	Colleen Carson
Jim Fikkert	Bob Dobson
Ken Bray	Don Higgins
Dorothy Gilbert	Josh Astarita
Pal Nanda	Phil England
Jim Hammond	Tami Scheele
Jerry Krauss	Yvonne Fay
David Allen	Richard Breske
Harry Alchin	Bill Ashcraft
Doug Oppenheimer	a Paul Scheele
h Dolores Caunitz	h Carolyn Burns
h Ann Carter	h Donna Cloud
a Christine Patel	a Don Vauiso
a Starlyn Fikkert	a Wendy Sideri
a Jayme Chancellor	