



Pinellas Park Rotary - District # 6950
Thursday Jan 21st 2016 - 12:15 P.M.
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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:

Hydroponics STEM project.

1. What is the name of the school our Club has helped on this project?
2. What is the name of the teacher that heads the project?
3. What are some of the products grown?
4. What are the students doing with the products that are grown?
5. How many harvests have the students had?
6. What is the name of the company that our Rotary Club purchased the Hydroponic STEM system from?

Upcoming Programs & Events:

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| Jan 22nd | Men's & Ladies Nite Out |
| Jan 28th | Richard Breske P/C |
| Feb 4th | Suzanne Hester P/C |
| Feb 9th | Board Meeting |
| Feb 11th | Kevin Burkart P/C |
| Feb 12th | Valentine Party |
| Feb 18th | Students of the Month |
| Feb 20th | R McD Breakfast |
| Feb 25th | Phyllis Tellor P/C |

Missed Last Week:

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| Suzanne Hester | Coleen Carson |
| Dorothy Gilbert | Chantel Wonder |
| Christine Patel | Wendy Sideri |
| Bill Ashcraft | Paul Scheele |
| Starlyn Fikkert | Jimmy Hammond |
| Jayne Chancellor | Dr. Pal Nanda |

Rotarian Birthdays:

Bill Ashcraft.....12/11.....76 Yrs.
Don Higgins.....1/22.....61 Yrs.

Club Anniversaries:

Dorothy Gilbert.....1/8.....7 Yrs.
Jerry Krauss.....1/15.....52 Yrs.

Be a Gift to the World!

Club Assembly !!!!

Last Week's Program:

President **Tami Scheele** conducted a Club Assembly. **Jana Vrettos** and **Theresa Pinnix** discussed our plans for our Feb 25th membership drive. Please plan to bring a prospective member. **Mistie**

Meditz gave a presentation showing the *Skyview Elementary* Hydroponics STEM project and its progress so far.



This Week's Program:

STUDENTS OF THE MONTH



DIXIE HOLLINS HIGH SCHOOL
Martin Carr & Hony Pung Keoudom

PINELLAS PARK HIGH SCHOOL
Madison Valesky & William Ferguson

We look forward to having them join us!



Upcoming Events: Mark Your Calendars - Save the Date

Rotary Men's Night Out - Poker Nite - Fri Jan 22nd - 6:00pm

Dave Sideri's House - Please let him know if you will be joining in

Rotary Ladies Night Out Friday Jan 22nd—6pm

Tsunami Japanese Steakhouse - Crossroads Shopping Center

Please let Janet know if you will be attending so we can make reservations.

Valentine Party - Friday Feb 12th

Send your reservation sheets back to Phyllis ASAP

Ronald McDonald House Breakfast - Sat Feb 20th - 8am

Let Josh Astarita know if you will be able to work and what you will bring

2016 Bowl-A-Thon Sat. April 16th !

1. Secure Bowlers to bowl on your team(s)!
2. Ask for \$\$\$ donations as lane sponsors!
3. Ask for prize item donations for the Raffles!

Mark Your Calendars in Green for \$\$\$!!!!

Next Week's Program:

Program Chairman Richard Breske will introduce the **Burkart family**. The whole family went on a mission trip to Kiu, Kenya last November 19th



through 29th. The organization was called the **410 Bridge**. The entire family will join us to give the presentation.



Food for Thought!

This is a story about four people—**Everybody, Somebody, Anybody and Nobody**.

There was an important job to be done and **Everybody** was asked to do it. **Everybody** was sure that **Somebody** would do it. **Anybody** could have done it, but **Nobody** did it. **Somebody** got angry because it was **Everybody's** job!

Everybody thought **Anybody** wouldn't do it. **Nobody** realized that **Everybody** wouldn't do it. It ended up that **Everybody** blamed **Somebody** when actually **Nobody** blamed **Anybody!**

Sound Familiar?



Paul Harris Pins:

Richard Breske presented a Paul Harris "2 blue stone" pin to Tami Scheele and a "4 Blue stone" pin to Jerry

Wennlund. Jerry Krauss received a sponsor pin from Jana Vrettos for sponsoring a new member, Bob Dobson!



Happy Events:

Josh Astarita: Proud to say he is here and feels good!

Ken Bray: Unhappy \$\$\$\$ since he had to pay \$1528 to fix his Hyundai !

Tami Scheele: Thank you to **Mistie Meditz**, STEM teacher from *Skyview Elementary*, speaking to us today about the Hydroponic towers and the work her students are doing.

Don Higgins: Happy for the 1.5 Billion \$\$\$ Powerball Jackpot that someone in Florida won.

Kevin Burkart: Happy to be here today as Tax season starts

Kevin Krauss: Happy his whole team (**Joe Minarik, Harry Alchin, Robin Hood & Drew Beierlein & himself**) bowled well last night.

Phil England: Paid a Happy dollar as he took his badge home last week, but remembered to bring it back. Happy that he completed a CWP class last weekend and is almost done with the roof project at *Seminole Lanes*.

Joe Minarik: Wished **Harry Alchin** well on his first Senior PBA tournament.

Jerry Wennlund: Participated in a Kiwanis sponsored run last weekend.

Harry Alchin: Thank you to **Joe** for helping set up the room today.

Jerry Krauss: Congratulations to his friend **Harry Alchin** who will be bowling on the PBA tour this weekend.

Don Vauiso: **Jerry** stole his thunder!– He also sends Congrats to **Harry!**

Janet Waddell: Happy **Mistie** is here today. Janet has been privileged to know **Mistie** since she was in grade school with Janet’s son, **Greg**. Also good luck to **Harry** – Have Fun!

Theresa Pinnix: Congratulations to **Harry**. She took her car in to get fixed last week and ended up buying a new car instead of fixing the old one!

50/50 Winner: Rotarian **Janet Waddell** won the 50/50 this week and graciously donated the \$5 back to the club. To win the **\$195 Grand Jackpot**, the card to draw is the **Ace of Spades!**



Words of Wisdom

“Giving money and power to government is like giving whiskey and car keys to teenage boys.”

P.J. O'Rourke, Civil Libertarian

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	Doug Oppenheimer
a Bill Ashcraft	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	