



Pinellas Park Rotary - District # 6950
Thursday June 23rd 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: I'm in charge here!

What office or position was first held by:

1. David Ben-Gurion
2. Steve Allen
3. Tom Landry
4. Caesar Augustus
5. John Adams
6. Kenesaw Mountain Landis

Upcoming Programs & Events:

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| June 30th | End of the year party ! |
| July 7th | Harry Alchin P/C |
| July 12th | Board Meeting |
| July 14th | David Allen P/C |
| July 21st | Bill Ashcraft P/C |
| July 23rd | Installation Banquet |
| July 28th | Josh Astarita P/C |

Missed Last Week:

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| Suzanne Hester | Janet Waddell |
| Bob Dobson | Kevin Burkart |
| Don Higgins | David Allen |
| Jana Vrettos | Kenny Krauss |
| Theresa Pinnix | Colleen Carson |
| Tami Scheele | Jim Fikkert |
| Bill Ashcraft | Starlyn Fikkert |
| Christine Patel | Wendy Sideri |
| Don Vauiso | |

Guests of Rotarians:

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| Tami Scheele..... | Alex Stewart |
| Kevin Krauss..... | Gary Smith |
| Kevin Krauss..... | Derek Ransom |
| Jerry Krauss..... | Jim Plunkett |

Club Anniversaries:

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| Kevin Burkart..... | 6/6..... | 7 Yrs. |
| Don Higgins..... | 6/11..... | 32 Yrs. |
| Joe Kolodziej..... | 6/14..... | 8 Yrs. |

Visiting Rotarians:

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| Charlie Hoffman | Seminole |
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Be a Gift to the World!

2016-2017 Installation

Installation Banquet

Location: American Legion Hall

American Legion Drive, Madeira Beach, FL.

Time: Saturday, July 23, 2016

Cocktail Hour 5PM to 6PM (Cash Bar)

Appetizers will be served

Cocktail Prices: Domestic Beer 2.75

Wine: Sangria, White Zin 3.00

Chardonnay, Pinot, Cabernet, Merlot 3.25

Entertainment: Frank Torres, Professional Disc Jockey

Choice of Dinners: To follow after Cocktails

*Beef Tips with Burgundy Sauce

*Key Lime Chicken

*Blackened Salmon with Orange Cilantro Sauce

\$50.00 per Person

Next Week's Program:

Don't miss the end of the year party!!!



Don't miss Guest Speaker July 7th!

Program Chairman **Harry Alchin** will introduce Past District Governor District #6890 **George Robertson-Burnett**. George was born in Aberdeen, Scotland, and is a member of the Bartow Rotary Club. He was a criminal investigator in Britain and he also owned and operated a hotel named "George". He wanted to immigrate to America and found that to be legally, most difficult, . So to get a green card, he purchased a Bed & Breakfast in Bartow and was invited to join Rotary by Rotarian **Anita Staciak** after his arrival in the U.S. The rest of the story is history and you must come to our July 7th meeting to enjoy his marvelous presentation on his views of Rotary's Past, Present & Future.

ion Banquet July 23

This Week's Program:

Program Chairman *Kenny Krauss* will be introducing *Steve Cox* from Tele-VolPs solutions and *Bob Truesdall* from GET IT Computers. They will be describing how and the Pros & Cons on receiving telephone calls through the internet.



Last Week's Program: Acting Program Chairman **Dave Sideri** introduced **Carrie Root**. Carrie has been a Rotarian and member of the *Tarpon Springs Rotary Club* since November 2011. She has been the District 6950 Foundation Scholarship Chair for the past three years. Her classification is Engineering Consultant and she resides in Tarpon Springs. Her program was about the different scholarships offered through Rotary International and district 6950. The Rotary Foundation has a history of funding scholarships for undergraduate and graduate study. There are 3 main scholarships offered which are, **District Grant Scholarships, Global Grant Scholarships and Ambassadorial Scholarships.**

District Grant Scholarships: District grants can be used to sponsor secondary school, undergraduate, or graduate students studying any subject, either locally or abroad. The district is responsible for all administrative support for district grant scholars.

Global Grant Scholarships: Global grants support scholarships for graduate students studying abroad in one of six areas of focus. Scholarships range from one to four years and therefore can include an entire degree program. Global grant scholars are expected to participate in club or district activities before, during, and after the scholarship.

Ambassadorial Scholarships: The ambassadorial scholarships program is to further international understanding and peaceful relations among people of different races, nationalities and religions while pursuing a program of study at an institution in a foreign country.

For more information go to the District 6950 web site.

The Object of Rotary

The Object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster:

FIRST. The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;

SECOND. High ethical standards in business and professions, the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations, and the dignifying of each Rotarians occupation as an opportunity to serve society;

THIRD. The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarians personal business, and community life;

FOURTH. The advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.

Happy Events:

Josh Astarita – Happy to be back. Happy that his son graduated!

Jerry Wennlund – Happy that he and **Cheryl** spent a few nights at *Guy Harvey Outpost* on St. Pete Beach to celebrate their anniversary. Also happy to escort the two students our Club sponsored to **S4TL** on Sunday.

Joe Minarik – Happy that his grandson left for a cruise and he didn't have to give him any money!

Kevin Krauss – Happy that his niece, on his wife's side of the family, is getting married.

Jerry Krauss – Happy that he and his wife are going on vacation, and thank you to **Dave Sideri** for the great job his company did re-chroming some of the bowling center's chairs.

Josh Astarita – Was happy again and appreciated **Buddy Brown** keeping everyone informed during his recent absence.

Dave Sideri – Happy to give the Club his last \$20 after returning from his vacation in Las Vegas!

Doug Oppenheimer – Happy to have vacationed in Washington DC this past week as a tourist, and was able to take in all the wonderful sites!

Flip England – Happy to learn that his newly married youngest son and his new daughter-in-law are expecting their first child, which will be his second grandchild!

Yvonne Fay – Happy that a young man noticed her husband, **Kevin**, needing help when his car died, and the young man turned around and went back and helped her husband.

Paul Scheele – Expressed happiness from **Tami Scheele** who is teaching this week and that Tami misses us!

Tom Stewart – Had a great time on vacation and is happy to be back.

50/50 Winner: Joe Minarik won the 50/50 this week was for \$27. To win the **\$576 Grand Jackpot**, the card to draw is the **Ace of Spades!** *There are only 10 cards left!!!*



Words of Wisdom

“When I was a boy I was told that anybody could become President; I’m beginning to believe it.”

Clarence Darrow

CLUB BUDDIES

Chantel Wonder	Jim Fikkert
Jana Vrettos	Theresa Pinnix
Jerry Wennlund	Kenny Krauss
David Sideri	Kevin Burkart
John Donaghy	Barbara Todd
Janet Waddell	Joe Minarik
Tom Stewart	Kevin Krauss
Harry Alchin	Doug Oppenheimer
Susan Walker	Colleen Carson
Suzanne Hester	Bob Dobson
Ken Bray	Don Higgins
Buddy Brown	Josh Astarita
Pal Nanda	Phil England
Jim Hammond	Tami Scheele
Jerry Krauss	Yvonne Fay
David Allen	Richard Breske
Joe Kolodziej	
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