



**Pinellas Park Rotary - District # 6950**  
**Thursday Aug 25th 2016 - 12:15 P.M.**  
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**This Week's Agenda:**

- ✿ Pledge of Allegiance
- ✿ Singing of *God Bless America*
- ✿ Rotary Prayer: **Jim Fikkert & Jimmy Hammond**
- ✿ Rotarian and Guest Introductions: **David Allen & Susan Walker**
- ✿ Sergeant at Arms Announcements: **Tom Stewart & Kevin Krauss**
  - \* 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: 2016 Olympics!!!**

1. What was Michael Phelps total career metal counts?
2. How many world records were broken at this latest Olympics?
3. What was the total metal count for the U.S.A.?
4. What is the record of the U.S.A. men's basketball team from the beginning?
5. What Caribbean nation won their first Olympic metal?

**Upcoming Programs & Events:**

Sept 1st	Jim Plunkett P/C
Sept 8th	Jerry Krauss P/C
Sept 13th	Board Meeting
Sept 15th	Students of the Month
Sept 22nd	Club Assembly
Sept 29th	Phil England P/C

**Missed Last Week:**

Suzanne Hester	
Colleen Carson	Kevin Burkart
Dave Sideri	Janet Waddell
Bob Dobson	Starlyn Fikkert
Wendy Sideri	Bill Ashcraft

**Wedding Anniversaries:**

David & Wendy Sideri.....8/2.....8 Yrs.  
 Joe & Priscilla Kolodziej..8/10.....58 Yrs.  
 Janet & Mike Waddell.....8/29.....46 Yrs.

**Club Anniversaries::**

Barbara Todd.....8/20.....18 Yrs.  
 Suzanne Hester.....8/20.....1 Yr.  
 Joe Minarik.....8/21.....30 Yrs.  
 Ken Bray.....8/26.....12 Yrs.  
 Chantel Wonder.....8/27.....1 Yr.  
 Josh Astarita.....8/27..... 7 Yrs.

**Guests of Rotarians:**

J.D. Alexander.....Yvonne Faye  
 Claire Kelly.....Yvonne Fay  
 Josh Estremera.....Janet Waddell  
 Beverly Breske.....Richard Breske  
 Madison Valesky.....Theresa Pinnix  
 Lori Hedstrom..... Hope Peterson  
 Debra Ellis-Abney.....Jerry Krauss  
 Dean Gunter..... Christine Patel

**Rotary Serving Humanity !**

# Welcome our Newest Rotary Member!

Past President **Tami Scheele** officially inducted former member of our Rotary Club **Hope Peterson** as a new member. Hope was sponsored by **President Yvonne Fay** and her Classification is Auto Repair. She was President of our club in 2010-2011 & President of the Pinellas Park Chamber of Commerce from 2013-2015. Her business is located in the city limits of Pinellas Park. When she divorced, she changed the name of her company to **New Hope Auto & Truck.**



## This Week's Program:

Program Chairman **Josh Astarita** will introduce **Twila Cole**. Twila is the Director of Community Relations of the Humane Society of Pinellas county. It is Pinellas County's Largest No-Kill facility.



**BRING A  
Friend!**



**Rotary**



*Rotarians and friends that participated in our "BRING A FRIEND MEETING" are pictured above. Top row from left to right, Rotarian Theresa Pinnix, Dean Gunter, Rotarian Christine Patel, Debra Ellis-Abney, Rotarian Jerry Krauss, Clair Kelly, Josh Estermera, Rotarian Yvonne Fay, Rotarian Richard Breske. Front row, Madison Valesky, Rotarian Tami Scheele and Beverly Breske.*

# Rotary is Great whe

**Last Week's Program:** Our guest speaker was **Jack Vigliatura**, a Safe Money Fiduciary who has been involved in the financial services business since 2002. He is a former member of the Palm Harbor Rotary Club. He began his talk with a review of the many major changes that have occurred over the past 70 years, with the advent of the automobile, television, the internet, and cell phones, just to name a few. He stressed the difference in high risk investment in the stock market as opposed to safe investment through a process called indexing, which guarantees a specified level of return. He explained the "Rule of 72," meaning that your money should double every 18 years, assuming an average predictable yearly rate of return of 4% per year. He also stressed that the high cost of procrastination, as even a one year delay in putting an indexing program in place can cost a considerable amount of accumulated value.



**Next Week's Program:**

**Dr. Linda S. Plunkett, Ph.D.**, is the wife of Rotary member **Jim Plunkett** and a former member of the Jacksonville Rotary Club. She is a Christian Psychologist who has operated *Hope for the Hurting*, a non-profit 501(c)(3) ministry for over 15 years. On 12/14/2012, she had brain surgery. The infamous school massacre in Connecticut occurred while she was undergoing an 8 hour surgery to remove a tennis ball sized non-malignant tumor. Following her recovery, she has authored a book called "Supernatural Rescue: From Broken to Beautiful." The book details her feelings of physical brokenness, spiritual abandonment and the subsequent shutting down of her ministry, followed by a supernatural rescue leading to her recovery and the reopening of her ministry. The book is available for purchase from Jim and Linda. Call Jim at 1-904-716-1385.



## Time for Poker Night !

How would Friday night, September 2nd work for a men's "Poker Night"?

It is the Friday of Labor Day weekend. Please let **Dave Sideri** know if you are interested!

It will be at Dave's House in Seminole! Call 978-397-4491 or 522-4653.

# en you Participate!!!!

**Happy Events:**

Paul Scheele – Happy to be back. In 22 days, he drove 5000 miles in the Front seat with the same woman and had a great time!

Josh Astarita – Great to see Josh Estremera from *Dixie Hollins High School*.

Tom Stewart – Moved his daughter, Jessica, to her apartment for college, so he only has \$1 happy dollar because it’s all he has left!

Yvonne Fay – Thank you to all of the guests here today; looking forward to initiating **Hope Peterson** into our club.

Beverly Breske – Happy to be back and see all of the prospective Rotarians.

ard Breske – Happy to be anywhere!

Scheele – Happy to be back.

Bray – Happy \$4 for 4 Rays wins in a row.

Higgins – Sorry to have missed last week’s meeting, but happy to be here this week to hopefully win the 50/50.

David Allen – will be gone for the next 2 weeks on vacation and business.

resa Pinnix – Happy \$27 for a Happy 27<sup>th</sup> Anniversary.

Happy to have Madison here. She attended a work event at *Sunrise Lanes* where everyone had a great time

Jerry Krauss – The *Rays* finally have a hitter who attacks the ball in Brad Miller from Clemson.

Kevin Krauss – Great to see Melanie Margalis win an Olympic gold medal in the Relay. She swam with Kelsey.

Christine Patel – Happy to be back in the states.

Buddy Brown – Jerry Krauss gave him a bowling lesson and he is glad he listened. He shot a 280, and in 2 games, 21 out of 24 frames were strikes.

Kenny Krauss – Thank you to **Joe Minarik** and **Hope Peterson** for participating in The Pinellas Park High School Career Fair.

**50/50 Winner:** Yvonne Fay won the 50/50 this week for \$75 & donated it back to the club. To win the **\$965.00 Grand Jackpot**, the card to draw is the **Ace of Spades!** *It is the only card left!!!*

Harry Alchin say’s:

*“Buy more tickets today!!!”*



**Words of Wisdom**

**“Every knock is a boost.”**

*Anonymous*

**CLUB BUDDIES**

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

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