



Pinellas Park Rotary - District # 6950
Thursday Feb 23rd -2017—12:15 P.M.
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This Week's Agenda:

- ✿ Pledge of Allegiance
- ✿ Singing of *God Bless America or Let There Be Peace on Earth*
- ✿ 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: ABRAHAM LINCOLN

1. How old was Abraham Lincoln this week?
2. What position did he hold in the restaurant business?
3. What sport was he proficient at?
4. What was his match record?
5. In what Hall of Fame was he honored in?
6. What name did he hate?
7. What number President was he?



Upcoming Programs & Events:

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| Mar 2nd | Tami Scheele P/C |
| Mar 9th | PP Employee of the Year |
| Mar 11th | Rotary goes to the Races |
| Mar 14th | Board Meeting |
| Mar 16th | Wendy Sideri, P/C |
| Mar 18th | Country in the Park |
| Mar 23rd | Ken Bray P/C |
| Mar 30th | Students of the Month |
| Apr 6th | Tom Stewart P/C |
| Apr 8th | ROTARY BOWL-A-THON |
| Apr 11th | Board Meeting |
| Apr 29th | Rotary Road Cleanup |

Visiting Rotarians:

Pete Hervey.....Oscoda, MI.
 Al Valk.....Waldon, NY

Guests of Rotarians:

Pamela RobertsSusan Walker

Wedding Anniversaries:

Kevin & Liz Burkart.....2/1.....20 Yrs.

Club Anniversaries:

David Sideri.....2/4.....7 Yrs
 Wendy Sideri2/95 Yrs
 Buddy Brown2/251 Yr
 Richard Breske2/2629 Yrs
 Tami Scheele3/15 Yrs

Missed Last Week:

Kevin Burkart	Phil England
Josh Astarita	Tami Scheele
Pal Nanda	Christine Patel
David Sideri	
Kenny Krauss	Jerry Wennlund
Ken Bray	Don Vauiso
Bill Ashcraft	Wendy Sideri
Bob Dobson	

Rotarian Birthday's:

Phil England.....2/12.....54 Yrs



February Students of the Month



Dixie Hollins High School

Garrett Harris currently holds a GPA of 4.74. He has received Academic Honors in Pre-AICE Biology, Pre-AICE Chemistry, and AICE Biology and, as a member of NHS, he currently serves as their Secretary. He volunteers at beach cleanups, tutors after school, and helps with the blood drives at school. He has been on the Tennis and Swim teams and currently serves as their Swim Team manager. He plans to attend Oregon State University to gain a Masters Degree in Nuclear Engineering. While there, he plans to complete an undergraduate thesis to further his knowledge and take advantage of the amazing opportunities at Oregon State University. His determination defines him as he never stops trying until he succeeds.

Hunter Dylan Becker looks for challenges to take, people to meet, goals to accomplish and corners to cover in when all of that gets too stressful. Currently holding a 4.65 GPA, he is 6th in his class of 351 seniors. He has received the American Legion Scholastic Excellence Award and the Scholastics Golden Key Award in Writing. He has over 250 volunteering hours with NHS and Cambridge. In his free time, he works at *Chipotle* and builds computers. His newest project is developing his own board game, called *Kings and Queens*. After high school, he plans to study Biochemistry and Computer Science in New Jersey, hopefully receive his doctorate and then hopefully find a cure for cancer.

Pinellas Park High School (all three in the Criminal Justice Academy)

Holleigh Bohannan has a 4.3 weighted GPA and is the V P of both the Law Honor Society and the Executive Board of Student Government and is a member of National Honor Society, English Honor Society & Rho Kappa. She is a Corporal in the Pinellas Park Police Explorers Post 912, in the Executive Internship Program, and in Duel Enrollment Classes through St. Petersburg College. She is interning at the Pinellas Park Police Department with the Youth Services Detectives. After graduation, she will be attending St. Petersburg College for her A.A. and then transferring to one of the major universities. She would like to be a Forensic Science Technician.

Maccov Monroy is a member of the Law Honor Society, RHO Kappa, English Honor Society, Cummings Commission, Key Club, serves as treasurer of the National Honor Society and is on the Parliamentary Executive Board of PPHS. He has also been a member of their Varsity Soccer team throughout all four years of high school and has scored many goals! He has mentored middle school students at Oak Grove Middle school and also serves as a coach for the Robotics Team. He also enjoyed volunteering for the campaign for **Alex Sink** for Florida's 13th Congressional District Seat last year. Working 35 hours a week in addition to school work, he also has an internship with Carey Leisure & Neal, P.A., his sports obligations, and volunteer work, so there is very little free time for him. He hopes to advance his education at Florida Atlantic University, studying International Business and Affairs.

Jennifer Diaz currently holds a 4.5 weighted GPA and is a member of the Art Honor Society, Spanish Honor Society, Law Honor Society, Math Honor Society, English Honor Society, Science Honor Society, Rho Khappa, Key Club, and is currently the president of *LiveFree!*, promoting a healthier and safer lifestyle. She has volunteered for four years now at **Morgan Fitzgerald M.S.** and with Key Club at fairs and at thrift shops. She has logged in almost 300 hours. She will be attending **Florida International University's College of Business** and studying International Business. She hopes to pursue a career as an International Management Consultant.



This Week's Program:

Program Chairperson **Theresa Pinnix** will present her speaker, **Pat DePlasco**, the Executive Director of *Keep Pinellas Beautiful*. She will tell us about and show us some of the projects that they have done and some that they are planning to do around Pinellas County to keep our beaches, roadways and waterways clean and beautiful.



Next Week's Program: Chairperson **Tami Scheele** will present **Keith Long**. Keith is a freelance journalist, a collaborative writer and a speaker who has published books on financial and legal subjects. He has a Finra Series 3 {commodity Broker} certification and for five years he was a money manager for investors in the international currency markets, serving as an introducing broker. He has a license in insurance and annuities.



Ronald McDonald House Breakfast—Saturday Feb 18, 2017



The Expert crew prepped & served bacon, eggs, French toast, sausage and home fries. They also brought fruit, Danish, doughnuts, bagels, cream cheese, juice and milk to serve to the parents and their families who are staying at the Ronald McDonald House while their children are recuperating in the hospital. Many hands made light work for all and we were finished by 10am. Many thanks to all !!!



Happy Events:

Yvonne Fay: Happy \$5 to say she had a great time on the Valentine Cruise.

Richard Breske: Enjoyed the Valentine Cruise and was out the night before so he enjoyed 2 sunsets. He and **Bev** enjoyed a dinner out on Valentine’s Day also.

Don Higgins: Enjoyed a great evening and dinner at the Yacht Club with friends last night, listening to Elvis who was “back in the building”!

Theresa Pinnix: Valentine Cruise was lots of fun. Thanks to **Yvonne** and **Wendy** who set it all up!

Pete Hervey: Glad to see the students here today.

Hope Peterson: A happy \$31 – \$1 because she has to leave early today and \$30 since she just closed on 30 acres in North Florida today.

Susan Walker: Happy \$2 – One for the students and one for her friend and co-worker **Pam Roberts** who joined her at the meeting today.

Jim Fikkert: Happy that **Starlyn Fikkert** and **Joe Kolodziej** made it in time for the meeting today.

Jim Plunkett: Happy \$5 that the house finally closed ! ! ! !

Jerry Krauss: Felt like he would be Seasick after posing for Theresa’s many pictures.

Student Maccoy Monroy from PPHS: Happy \$5 to be here today.

Janet Waddell: A Happy \$5 for the Valentine Cruise, for the students and for bowling friends, **Eddie** and **Cynthia Harris** whose son is one of the **DHHS** Students of the Month today!

DHHS Guidance Counselor, Cynthia Burnett: Happy to be here and her **DHHS** students and with **Pete** and **Janet** .

Tom Stewart: Happy to have gone to the State Fair in Tampa. He ate corndogs, fried bacon and chocolate and had forgotten how good Fair junk food tasted!

Janet Waddell: paid a Happy \$20 to have the club sing nicely for her birthday! (and they did)

50/50 Winner: Janet Waddell won the **50/50** for **\$13** and donated it back to the club. No **Ace of Diamonds** today! Next week, the **Grand Jackpot** is **\$287**.



Words of Wisdom!

“Sometimes all a person needs is a hand to hold and a heart to understand.”

Bulletin Staff

CLUB BUDDIES

David Allen	Richard Breske
Chantel Wonder	Jim Fikkert
Jana Vrettos	Theresa Pinnix
Jerry Wennlund	Kenny Krauss
David Sideri	Kevin Burkart
Janet Waddell	Joe Minarik
Tom Stewart	Kevin Krauss
Harry Alchin	Doug Oppenheimer
Susan Walker	Hope Peterson
Madison Valesky	Jim Plunkett
Ken Bray	Don Higgins
Buddy Brown	Josh Astarita
Joe Kolodziej	Phil England
Jimmy Hammond	Tami Scheele
Jerry Krauss	Yvonne Fay
Bob Dobson	Dr Pal Nanda
Bill Ashcraft	Paul Scheele
Christine Patel	Don Vauiso
Starlyn Fikkert	Wendy Sideri
John Donaghy	Barbara Todd
h Ann Carter	h Donna Cloud
h Dolores Caunitz	h Carolyn Burns