



Pinellas Park Rotary - District # 6950
Thursday June 22, 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 & Guest Introductions: **David A, Susan W & Doug O.**
- ☛ 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 Pursuit!

1. What is the main boulevard in Paris?
2. What is the name of Donald O'Connor's co-star?
3. Who was executed for the kidnapping & murder of Charles Lindberg, Jr.?
4. Who is Queen Aleta's husband?
5. What pill's name translated from the Latin means "I will please"?
6. Who meets at World Jamborees?

Upcoming Programs & Events:

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| June 29th | Yvonne Fay P/C |
| July 1st | Installation Banquet |
| July 6th | Jerry Krauss P/C |
| July 11th | Board Meeting |
| July 13th | David Allen P/C |
| July 15th | R McDonald House |
| July 20th | Harry Alchin P/C |
| July 27th | Ken Bray P/C |
| Aug 3rd | Richard Breske P/C |

Guests of Rotarians:

Conor BurkartKevin Burkart
 Marc Delia Jim & Starlyn Fikkert

Missed Last Week:

Wendy Sideri	Phil England
Joe Kolodziej	Teresa Pinnix
Christine Patel	
Richard Breske	Don Higgins
Don Vauiso	

Visiting Rotarians:

Jonathan Brewer.....Asst District Governor

Club Anniversaries:

Don Higgins.....6/11..... 33 Yrs
 Joe Kolodziej.....6/14.....9 Yrs

Honorary Members:

Donna Cloud

Rotary Serving Humanity

Last Week's Program:

Program Chairperson Chantel Wonder introduced **Ruel Smith**, an attorney with the law firm of Hinshaw and Culbertson, LLP. A graduate of *Stetson University College of Law*, he is a former U.S. Army officer who served in Iraq. He is versed in representing property owners, developers, general and trade contractors, and material suppliers in construction defect litigation. He provided a presentation about the *Telephone Consumer Protection Act (TCPA)*. The Act was passed in 1991 to help protect consumers from receiving unsolicited and unwanted telephone calls, fax transmissions and text messages generated by collection agencies, telemarketers, non-profit organizations (since 2006) and state and local governments using automatic dialing aids and SMS text messages. The Federal government and the private contractors working on its behalf are exempt from the Act. The Act also led to the establishment of the "Do Not Call" list by the FCC. The Act provides for a fine of \$500 per violation (text, fax or call), but does not provide for recovery of attorney fees. There is a provision for the court to treble (\$1,500) damages in cases of repeat and deliberate violations. He explained that a consumer's availability to opt out must be clear and conspicuous in the fax or text. E-mails are not covered.



By Rotarian Jim Plunkett

Pinellas Park Rotary Board of Directors

Last Board Meeting of 2016-17

Many Thanks to **President Yvonne Fay** for a fantastic 2016-17 Rotary Year. Last Tuesday, she treated the Board of Directors to delicious cuisine (Chicken Parmesan, Lasagna & Cannolis) at **Bellissimo Italian Restaurant** on Belcher Road, just south of Ulmerton Road. It was an incredible evening of fellowship and great food.



This Week's Program: Program Chairperson **Josh Astarita** will present **Joe Alsobrook**, Agency Development Manager for *Colonial Life*. He helps Small Business Owners grow their business by providing value and service through strong work ethic and dedicated service. *Colonial Life* provides financial protection for America's Workers, applies tools and resources to help their businesses grow, as well as assist in servicing them throughout the year at no cost to their business.



Next Week's Program:

President Yvonne Fay will present a Club Assembly, end-of-year wrap-up meeting on June 29th. She will have a special report with surprises for the Club. Please plan to be there to help Yvonne close out her Rotary Year!



SAVE THE DATE:

Please plan to attend the
2017-2018 Installation Banquet
to usher in another great Rotary Year with
2017-18 President JOSH ASTARITA

**Bayou Club 7979 Bayou Club Blvd, Largo FL
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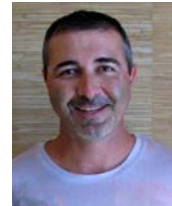
Saturday July 1, 2017 Cocktails - 5:30pm Dinner - 6:30pm

**Prime Rib, Chicken Piccata, Grouper Thermidor
Garlic Potatoes, Rice Pilaf, Grilled Vegetables, Caesar Salad
Rolls & Butter, Tea & Water, Ice Cream Sundae Bar**

\$55 per person LIVE MUSIC

Members being inducted at the banquet are:

**Josh Astarita, Joe Minarik, Janet Waddell, Harry Alchin, Chantel Wonder,
Tami Scheele, Tom Stewart, Jim Fikkert & Kevin Burkart**



**Ronald McDonald House Breakfast
Saturday, July 15, 2017 7:30am**

Josh Astarita has secured another date for a **Ronald McDonald House Breakfast**. If you are available to bring food for the breakfast and participate in this community service project, please sign up with **Josh**.



Happy Events:By: Rotarian Jana Vrettos

Josh Astarita – Congratulations to **Yvonne Fay** for an awesome year! Great turnout today!

Yvonne Fay – Thank you to **Jonathon Brewer** for being a big support for the club and for her. Thank you to the club – their support really means a lot!

Susan Walker – Her middle son spent a month in the desert in California. She and Jimmy will be grandparents for the 5th time to a little girl to be named “Denali”

Donna Cloud – Happy \$ as she enjoyed a cruise to Alaska. Congratulations to **Yvonne Fay**. Happy/Unhappy \$1 because she went to a **Tampa Bay Rays** game in Seattle and the Mariners won, but they enjoyed the game. She is happy to be here today.

David Sideri – Congratulations to **Yvonne Fay** on her award. He had a great time at the **Ready for Life “Mommy and Me”** picnic Saturday.

Paul Scheele – Congratulations to **Yvonne Fay**. Thank you to **Dr. Pal Nanda** for showing up today! Saved him a buddy \$.

Tami Scheele – Great year for **Yvonne Fay!** She is so proud of **Yvonne!**

Kevin Burkart – Happy to see **Tom Stewart**; Happy to be here and happy that his son, **Conor**, is here with him today.

Hope Peterson – Great job **Yvonne Fay!** **Hope** loves the camaraderie of our club!

Janet Waddell – Congratulations to **Yvonne Fay!** Thank you to all who helped with “**Mommy and Me**” picnic. She enjoyed the board meeting dinner and the District 6950 Convention events.

Jerry Wennlund – Proud that our club sent 2 students to S4TL this year. Congratulations to **Yvonne Fay!** He and **Cheryl** are celebrating their 12th Wedding anniversary !

David Allen – Looking forward to the grandkids coming to stay with him. Congratulations to **Yvonne Fay** on a great year.

Starlyn Fikkert – Looking forward to a trip to see the family. Happy Father’s Day to all of the fathers!

50/50 Winner: Tami Scheele won

the 50/50 for \$20 & donated it back to the club. No **Ace of Diamonds** today! Next week, the **Grand Jackpot** is \$545.



Words of Wisdom:

“If you don’t paddle your own canoe, you don’t move”

Katharine Hepburn

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
Christine Patel	Jim Plunkett
Ken Bray	Don Higgins
Buddy Brown	Josh Astarita
Joe Kolodziej	Phil England
Jimmy Hammond	Tami Scheele
Jerry Krauss	Yvonne Fay
Paul Scheele	Dr Pal Nanda
Don Vauiso	Bob Dobson
Starlyn Fikkert	Wendy Sideri
John Donaghy	Barbara Todd
h Ann Carter	h Donna Cloud
h Dolores Caunitz	h Carolyn Burns