



Pinellas Park Rotary - District # 6950
Thursday August 17th 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: **Jimmy Hammond & Jim Fikkert**
- ☼ 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 Questions:

1. What ocean does the Gulf of Panama lead into?
2. What TV comedian demanded: "Now cut that out!"?
3. What city saw 42 die and \$44 million in property damage in the summer riots of 1967?
4. What 1920 female writer is credited with the term: "*The Lost Generation.*"?
5. What is the most common color of *LAPIS LAZULI*?
6. Who won the Triple Crown leading Boston to the 1967 American League Pennant?

Upcoming Programs & Events:

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| Aug 20th | Rotary Rays Day |
| Aug 24th | Bob Dobson P/C |
| Aug 31st | Mtg At Girls Incorporated |
| Sept 7th | Phil England P/C |
| Sept 12th | Board Meeting |
| Sept 14th | Jerry Krauss P/C |
| Sept 21st | Students of the Month |
| Sept 28th | Club Assembly |

Rotarian Birthdays:

Jim Plunkett.....8/20.....64 Yrs

Missed Last Week:

Wendy Sideri	Theresa Pinnix
Jana Vrettos	Susan Walker
Kevin Burkhart	Starlyn Fikkert
Chantel Wonder	Chris Patel
Jim Fikkert	
Bob Dobson	Doug Oppenheimer

Club Anniversaries:

Jim Fikkert.....8/14.....3 Yrs
 Starlyn Fikkert.....8/14.....3 Yrs
 Joe Minarik.....8/21.....31 Yrs

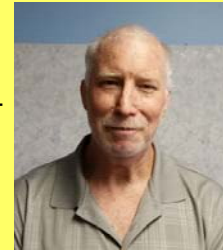
Wedding Anniversaries:

Teresa & Larry Pinnix.....8/11.....28 Yrs

August is Rotary Membership Month!

Last Week's Program:by:.....*Jim Plunkett*

DELTA AIRLINES retiree and fellow Rotarian **Buddy Brown** spoke about ways to make your check in and airport experience an easy, stress - free process for the next time you travel. He also presented a heart warming story of Project 767, where Delta Airlines employees came to the assistance of their employer in the Spring of 1982, at a time when the company was near bankruptcy. The employees showed their appreciation for their company's continued support during the economic downturn by raising \$30 million to purchase the first Boeing 767 for Delta Airlines. The plane was launched on December 15, 1982, and christened as "*The Spirit of Delta.*" It was retired after 23 long and successful years and currently sits in the Delta Airlines Museum located in Atlanta, Georgia.



August is Membership Month!

New Membership Club Development Month

While membership development is the responsibility of all Rotary members all year long, August has been designated as a month to celebrate Rotary's greatest asset—You.

Don't miss out on the many valuable resources that are available for perspective and current members. Using these tools allows clubs to improve their member's experience so that more perspective members join and more current members stay.

Clubs that want to promote their unique experience, including events and projects, can customize a **Club Brochure** available at the brand center.

Do You have a Prospective Member, someone you work with who might be interested in Rotary? Bring them to a meeting!!!!

Rawlings Elementary School - 6505 68 Street North, Pinellas Park **Our Pinellas Park Rotary 2017-2018 Pavilion Project.**



This Week's Program:

Program Chairman **Jim Fikkert** will present **Saroeup “Sara” Im**, a Holistic Wellness Consultant who grew up in Cambodia during four brutal years of the oppressive Khmer Rouge Regime in which over two million people (a quarter of the entire population) perished. She relocated to the United States in 1981, and became a U.S. citizen in 1987. Today she runs a business, **Smart Healthy Living**, which enhances peoples lives through natural nutrition and tox-



Next Week's Program: Program chairman **Bob Dobson** is unable to

attend next weeks meeting. He has asked Rotarian **Phil England** to introduce the speaker from **The Healthy Start Coalition of Pinellas, Inc.** Our speaker will be **Mary Jo Plews** who was a classmate of Phil's at **Dixie Hollins High School**. **Mary Jo**, their Executive Director, is a Licensed Clinical Social Worker. A native of Pinellas County, Ms. Plews has 27 years experience in social work, both as a clinician and as a non-profit administrator. She holds a Master of Social Work from **Florida State University** and a certificate in non-profit management from the **Sykes College of Business** at the **University of Tampa**. Ms. Plews has served as Executive Director of two Tampa Bay area Healthy Start Coalitions for 16 years, joining the company in 2014. She is a Past President and current Board member of the **Florida Association of Healthy Start Coalitions**, and has chaired the Association's Systems Committee, leading the effort to incorporate emerging research and best practices into the statewide Healthy Start Program.



Mark Your Calendars:

Thursday August 31st we will be having a Ribbon Cutting Ceremony at Rawlings Elementary School located at 6505 68th Street N Pinellas Park at 9am. We should be finished long before 10am

Our Noon Meeting that day will be at Girl's Incorporated!
11:30 —1:30 Lunch will be served at Girls Inc

Girls Inc. of Pinellas 7700 61st Street N Pinellas Park FL 33781

Happy Events:

by.....Janet Waddell

Paul Scheele: Happy \$5 – Had a great time with “The Wife” (Tami) this summer. They traveled 6500 miles in 25 days. Congrats (he thinks) to Tami for being appointed to the S4TL Board.

David Sideri: Happy \$5 because he knows he has the winning 50/50 ticket today!

Richard Breske: Happy \$5 ‘cause HE knows he has the winning ticket!

Hope Peterson: Happy to be going to a *Lionel Richie Concert* this Friday. Her birthday was back in April, but this was/is her birthday present!

Josh Astarita: Happy to announce that his Pavilion project to cover the lunch patio area at Rawlings Elementary has been completed. Happy that it was done before school started. We will have a **9am Ribbon Cutting Thursday August 31st at the School, 6505 68th St N, Pinellas Park.**

Tami Scheele: Happy \$5 Enjoyed their trip, but good to be back. Paul was awesome.

Joe Minarik: Great football game tonight on NFL channel. *Bears vs Broncos*

Joe Kolodziej: Happy \$10 to say thanks to all Rotarians who help him get to the meetings each week.

Don Higgins: Sorry David and Richard, he has the winning ticket!

Buddy Brown: Happy to announce that Harry Alchin had another 300 game at bowling on Tuesday. His 5th this year!

Harry Alchin: Happy \$5 to say that Buddy stole his thunder announcing his 300 game. He also wanted to thank Janet for helping him get up to speed on QuickBooks.

Jim Plunkett: Happy to say that he and Linda had a really good “Heart-to-Heart” talk recently.

Jerry Krauss: Happy to have Don Vauiso healthy & back at Rotary!

Kenny Krauss: Happy \$ to say that his wife, Carole, is MUCH better after her health scare on vacation.

Phil England: Happy to report that his LAST surgery is scheduled for Sept 1st!

Ken Bray: Happy to have attended 10 winning Rays games this year, but the game last week was his first losing game that he attended. He thought for sure that they would pull out a win.

David Allen: Happy that he is going to a Rays game this weekend.

Janet Waddell: Happy to have had a great summer of traveling. Sorry it is almost over.

Yvonne Fay: Happy that Tami has been appointed to *District S4TL*. Congratulated Josh on his Pavilion project. Pictures look great!

Tom Stewart: Half Happy/Half Sad that his daughter broke up with her boyfriend of 4 years.

Words of Wisdom:

“ Liberty cannot be established without morality, nor without faith.”

Alexis de Tocqueville

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

50/50 Winner: Harry Alchin won the 50/50 for \$40 & donated it back to the club. No Ace of Diamonds today! Next week, the Grand Jackpot starts at \$748. 6 cards are left.

