



Pinellas Park Rotary - District # 6950
Thursday Oct. 25th 2018—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 Allen, & Doug O.**
- ☛ Sergeant at Arms Announcements: **Tom Stewart & Kevin Krauss**

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Trivia Questions:

1. Where is the *Blue Grotto* located?
2. What was *Dirty Harry's* last name?
3. What U.S. President delivered Fireside Chats?
4. What U. S. President wrote 37 books?
5. What civilization invented the arch?
6. What is the most popular cocktail in the United States?
7. What is the name of President Donald J. Trump's Father?



Upcoming Programs & Events:

Oct 30th	Sanders' School Students
Oct 31st	Halloween Candy Give-away
Nov 1st	Kevin Krauss P/C
Nov 8th	Jeff MacKellar P/C
Nov 13th	Board Meeting
Nov 15th	Students of the Month
Nov 17th	Road Clean-up
Nov. 22nd	Thanksgiving—no meeting
Nov 29th	Joe Minarik P/C
Dec 6th	Dr. Pal Nanda P/C
Dec 8th	Christmas Party-Yacht Club
Dec 11th	Board Meeting
Dec 13th	Doug Oppenheimer P/C

Guests of Rotarians:

Alex Patel Rankin,...daughter of...Christine Patel
 Jim Dusil.....of the.....Kiwani's Club

Wedding Anniversaries:

Richard & Beverly Breske....10/28.....51 Yrs

Rotarian Birthdays:

Rev. Jimmy Hammond.....9/30.....88 Yrs
 Theresa Pinnix.....10/2.....50 Yrs

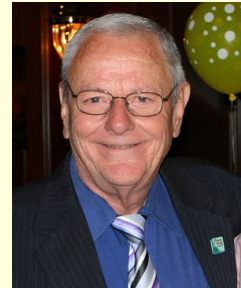
Missed Last Week:

Kevin Burkart	Kevin Krauss
Jimmy Hammond	Jerry Wennlund
Theresa Pinnix	Wendy Sideri
Ken Bray	Joe Kolodziej
Yvonne Fay	Starlyn Fikkert
Jim Plunkett	
Don Vauiso	Bob Dobson

MAKING A DIFFERENCE!

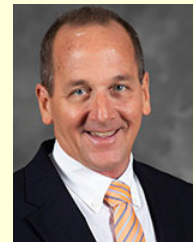
This Week's Program:

Workhorse Program Chairman **Kenny Krauss** will present **Danielle Husband** from *Catholic Charities Pinellas Project Hope*. She will enlighten us on the services they provide for the homeless at the shelter in Northern Pinellas Park.



Next Week's Program:

Program Chairman **Kevin Krauss** will present **Rotarian Richard Breske** as his Guest Speaker. Richard will discuss the issues with the Red Tide in Pinellas County and elsewhere.



SAVE THE DATES!!!!!!!!!!!!

Our main Community Grant Projects for this year:

Saturday, January 5, 2019: Rotary Camp Florida Autism Camp—Expo
Held from 10 am to 2 pm. (We will need everyone there from 9 am to 3 pm.) We will provide food for Autism students and their parents and families, as they decide whether the Autism Camp Weekend will meet their needs.

This is the first Rotary Camp held exclusively for Autism students.

Friday, April 5th through April 7th, 2019: Autism Camp Weekend. We will provide dinner on Friday, breakfast, lunch & dinner on Saturday and breakfast on Sunday.

Sanders' School Students of the Month:

October 30, 2018—(Tuesday) 11:45am - 12:45pm. R L Sanders' School - 5075 76th Ave. N. Pinellas Park, FL We provide pizza, sodas and cookies for the students and their family members. We also present the student with a certificate and a \$50 Walmart Gift Card. Anyone who is interested in going, please contact Janet Waddell.



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Last Week's Program:

Students of the Month

Jacquelyn Doan is a Senior at **Pinellas Park High School**. She is in the AVID program, and has a 4.3 GPA. She takes great pride in holding leadership positions in the National Honor Society, Key Club and French Honor Society. She is also active in tutoring and mentoring. She also volunteers with Habitat for Humanity and at a thrift store to help raise money for Community Action Stops Abuse (CASA). She enjoys writing poetry and writing letters to pen pals in China, Korea, Michigan, and France. As of next fall, she will be the first person in her family to attend a university.

Oliver Du Bois is a Senior at **Pinellas Park High School**. He is the Criminal Justice Academy, and has a 4.2 GPA. He is the President of the Pinellas Park High School National Honor Society, the Social Studies Honor Society and the Gay-Straight Alliance. He is also a member of the Key Club, FFEA and Criminal Justice Advisory Board, and the Law, Math, English, French and Science Honor Societies. He works tirelessly as a youth Lacrosse coach. He plans to study planetary science at the University of Pittsburgh, and hopes to become a Mission Specialist for NASA. He greatly admires former U.S. President **John F. Kennedy**, as a man of great heart and integrity.



Ronald McDonald House Dinner Thursday October 18, 2018

Thanks to all of the volunteers who made a fantastic dinner last Thursday evening. Chairperson Josh and Stephanie Astarita, Doug Oppenheimer, Yvonne and Kevin Fay, Joe and Joey Minarik, Barbara and Jeff MacKellar, Charlotte and Don Higgins and Alex Brodsky. Not Pictured is Photographer, Paul Scheele.



Happy Events:..... By Jana Vrettos

Don Higgins – Happy to be here today! Had a piece of meat stuck in my throat from last week’s lunch and had to go to the hospital to get it out!

Dave Sideri – Happy to be here and not at work!

Josh Astarita – Happy to be here! I have new flooring at the house! Thank you to **Dave Sideri** for allowing me to dock my boat.

Dr. Pal Nanda – Happy to be here!

Phil England – Had a scare on Wednesday, but I am okay and happy to be out of the hospital.

Joe Minarik – Went to **Richard Breske’s** church bowl-a- thon last week and didn’t drink at all! Also, my granddaughter had a Halloween party and it didn’t start until 11 PM!

Paul Scheele – Thank you **Dr. Pal Nanda** for showing up!

Janet Waddell – Glad to see Jim Dusil here today. I have known him for a long time! Also happy to see the Students of the Month and happy that we survived 18 hours of eight foot swells from Hurricane Michael on our cruise. Rest was great!

Christine Patel – Happy that my daughter, Alex, and s on-in-law are officially back in Pinellas County!

Jerry Krauss – Happy that my granddaughter, Alex, is here today. She is 33 weeks pregnant!

Tami Scheele – Sad to hear about **John Donaghy**, and happy to hear that **Don Higgins** and **Phil England** are okay. We also attended **Richard Breske’s** bowl -a- thon!

Doug Oppenheimer – Happy that my sister evacuated from Mexico Beach – her house had five feet of seawater in it!

Barbara MacKellar – Happy to see my Granddaughter from college, and had visitors from Arizona!

Jeff MacKellar – Thank you to **Phil England** for telling me the road cleanup was rescheduled. Also happy to hear that **Phil** is okay and that Michigan won!

Richard Breske – Because of Hurricane Michael, I bet that within one year, we will see building codes change drastically!

David Allen – Happy that Gators, Bulls and Bucs won!

Kenny Krauss – Went to have my teeth cleaned and met someone in the lobby who spoke highly about my niece,

Christine Patel!

Words of Wisdom:

“May your choices reflect your hopes and not your fears.”

Nelson Mandela

Club Buddies

David Allen	Richard Breske
Chantel Wonder	Jim Fikkert
Jana Vrettos	Theresa Pinnix
Jerry Wennlund	John Donaghy
David Sideri	Kevin Burkart
Janet Waddell	Joe Minarik
Tom Stewart	Kevin Krauss
Doug Oppenheimer	Harry Alchin
Kenny Krauss	Hope Peterson
Christine Patel	Jim Plunkett
Ken Bray	Don Higgins
Buddy Brown	Jeff MacKellar
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
Josh Astarita	Barbara Todd
h Ann Carter	h Donna Cloud
h Dolores Caunitz	h Carolyn Burns

50/50 Winner:

Jim Dusil won the prize for \$10 and donated it back to the Club.

No Ace of Clubs today.

Next week, the Grand Jackpot starts at \$249.

