

**Thursday, Aug 13th, 2009 - 12:15 P.M.  
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**This Week's Agenda:**

- ✿ Pledge of Allegiance
- ✿ Singing of *America the Beautiful*
- ✿ Today's Rotary Prayer: Rev. Jim Hammond
- ✿ Visiting Rotarian and Guest Introductions: Kevin Krauss
- ✿ Sergeant at Arms Announcements: Tom Stewart

\*Happy Events, Missed Last Week, Fines, Special Dates , Mystery Greeter & 50/50  
\*Rotary Trivia Questions for the week.

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**Trivia Questions:**

1. Rotary's Endowment Fund, the forerunner of the Rotary Foundation, began when?
2. Paul Harris said if he was upon a great stage, looking into the eyes of every Rotarian and could speak only one word, what would it be?
3. When did the Paul Harris fellow recognition program begin (within 10 Yrs)?
4. Who first took a Rotary banner into orbit around the moon?

**Upcoming Programs & Events:**

Aug 20th	Ken Bray (P/C)
Aug 27th	Bruce Cloud (P/C)
Sept 2nd	Ronald McDonald House
Sept 3rd	John Donaghy (P/C)
Sept 10th	A.M. Board Meeting with D.G.
Sept 10th	District Governor's Visit
Sept 17th	Students of the Month
Sept 24th	Dorothy Gilbert (P/C)
Oct 1st	Jimmy Hammond (P/C)
Oct 8th	Visit Military Museum

**Future Events:**

September 10th.....D.G. Visit  
October 8th ..... Military Museum  
December 5th.....Christmas Party

**Missed Last Week:**

Al Caunitz	Kent Clouser
Phil England	John Johnston
Ken Bray	Steve Murdoch
John Donaghy	Tom Stewart
Frank Torres	Michael Bohnet
Harvey Schultz	

**Guests of Rotarians:**

Nancy Krauss.....Jerry Krauss  
Grandchildren Ana & Morgen.....J.K  
Kelsey Krauss.....Kevin Krauss  
Emily Burns.....Phil Burns  
Carolyn Burns.....Phil Burns

**Rotarian Birthdays:**

John Johnston.....Aug 06.....56Yrs      Pete Molinaro.....Aug 09.....57yrs

**ROTARY IS GREAT WHEN YOU PARTICIPATE!!**

**Last Week's Program:**

Program Chairperson **Hope Peterson** introduced **Jinnie Kerdi**. She has been with Goodwill Industries-Suncoast since 1996. She has served as volunteer coordinator at Goodwill-Suncoast, managing an energetic volunteer group of 100+ volunteers. As Goodwill-Suncoast's Community Relations Coordinator, **Jinnie** spoke to us about a fascinating subject – Goodwill and its mission. Goodwill's mission is to help people achieve their full potential through the dignity and power of work. Goodwill was once again in the top ranking among all 170 Goodwill organizations nationwide for the number of people placed in jobs last year. They placed more than 28,000 people in competitive employment positions through their contact with WorkNet Pinellas; their own Goodwill temporary Staffing agency; their employment specialists in our community corrections programs and their employment programs for people with disabilities. 88% of Goodwill-Suncoast's revenue supports their programs and services. They are an equal opportunity employer that provides services without regard to race, spiritual beliefs, national origin, age, sex, sexual orientation, marital status, veteran status, socioeconomic status or disability. If you need accommodation or assistance in accessing any area of employment or program services, please let them know by calling toll-free 800-279-1988.



**Birthday Goodies from Phyllis and her wonderful committee**

**Dick Breske**  
Aug 9th - 67 years  
**Kevin Krauss**  
Aug 2nd - 49 years

**Wedding Anniversaries:**

Joe & Priscilla  
Kolodziej  
Aug 10th.....51Yrs



Theresa & Larry Pinnix  
Aug 11th .....20Yrs



**Visiting Grandchildren**

Emily Burns,  
Kelsey Krauss,  
Ana K Ingham,  
Morgen Ingham

**Ronald McDonald House Barbeque Reminder:**

**Wednesday Sept 2nd - 6pm**  
Please see Ken Bray to sign up!

**This Week's Program:** Program Chairperson **Hope Peterson** will introduce **Elliott Steele**. Elliott received his bachelor's degree in economics and political science from the University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee and a law degree from Drake University. Fifteen years ago, Elliott's life was dramatically changed with his younger daughter's diagnosis of schizophrenia. He became acutely aware of the stigma and the misunderstanding of mental illness as well as the inequities in both the public and private mental health systems. He therefore became an active advocate. Elliott became president of the Florida Alliance for the Mentally Ill from 1996-1998 with a goal of working in collaboration with agencies and other groups to improve the mental health system. After many years of advocating, Elliot was able to convince the state of Florida to invest in Clubhouses. In January 2003, Vincent House opened its doors. Vincent House participated in an ICCD certification review in December 2004 that resulted in a three year certification with no recommendations. Vincent House is Florida's first and only three year ICCD Certified Clubhouse. Elliot will speak to us about Vincent House.



**Next Week's Program:** Program Chairman **Ken Bray** will introduce **Sgt. Glenn Wilson**. Sgt. Wilson has been with the Pinellas County Sheriff's Office for over 21 years with 16 years of Marine enforcement experience and currently supervises the Environmental Lands Unit and Underwater Search and Recovery Team. The Environmental Land Unit is responsible for managing approximately 16,000 acres of preservation lands and waters spanning the county.



**Good News about Al Caunitz:**  
**Jerry Krauss** received a telephone call from **Dolores Caunitz** over the weekend. **Al** hopes to be discharged from the rehab center this week and be back home for the first time since February. I am sure it will be a big relief for both **Al** & **Dolores**. **Al** is looking forward to getting back to Rotary. Our thoughts, good wishes and prayers are with you.



### **Quotable Quotes**

**“A man is not old until regrets take the place of dreams.”**

**John Barrymore**

**He profits most who serves best !!**

**Happy Events:**

**Joe Minarik's** H/E was that he and Pat spent the weekend on the beach at the Tradewinds celebrating their 44th Wedding Anniversary. Three days without any kids or grandkids. **Joe Kolodziej's** H/E was he was sorry to say this past Monday he and **Priscilla** will be married 51 years. I believe it was worth \$45. **Theresa Pinnix's** H/E was that she and **Larry** will be celebrating their 20th Wedding Anniversary this week. **Jerry Wennlund's** H/E was he went to orientation with his daughters for two days at USF and had a great time. **George Carter's** H/E was that wife, Ann, is home from the hospital and doing pretty good. **Don Higgins'** H/E was that he is home from baby sitting grandchildren for a couple of weeks. **Dick Breske** paid the first \$5 for the Rays beating the crap out of the Red Sox and the second \$5 for our not singing for his birthday this week. **C.J. Crooks** paid \$2 for his team losing to the Rays. **Phil Burns'** H/E was that he had a safe trip down from N.C., spending two weeks in town seeing their friends and returning to their summer home until October. **Kevin Krauss'** H/E was that he and the family had an enjoyable family vacation in Costa Rica just relaxing, resting, reading and eating. They chartered a fishing boat one day that went out about 500' from shore and son, **Cory**, caught a 100 lb. sailfish that took him about 1/2 hour to land and release. **Kevin** also paid us \$5 not to sing for his birthday. **Jerry Krauss'** H/E was that his daughter, **Nancy**, and grandchildren, **Ana & Morgen**, from Palm Harbor joined him for our meeting. **Morgen** was fined \$1 for clapping for himself when introduced and when told it was improper to clap for oneself, he questioned the fine. He was fined an additional \$1, which he protested and was fined a 3rd dollar. His grandfather asked that he not argue anymore since Grandpa was paying the fine! **Carolyn Burns'** H/E was Granddaughter **Emily's** good driving habits.



Club	Buddies
CJ Crooks	John Donaghy
Jim Hammond	Kenny Krauss
Steve Murdoch	Joe Kolodziej
Harry Pfister	Kevin Burkart
Hope Peterson	Kevin Krauss
Richard Breske	Joe Minarik
Al Caunitz	Phil Burns
Ken Bray	Jerry Wennlund
Dorothy Gilbert	Theresa Pinnix
Don Higgins	Kent Clouser
Michael Bohnet	John Johnston
Tom Stewart	Bruce Cloud
Jerry Krauss	George Carter
Barbara Todd	Pete Molinaro
Phyllis Tellor	Phil England
Frank Torres	Marlo Provenzano
Harvey Schultz	

**50/50 Winner**  
**George Carter** was our weekly winner for \$11 and he donated it back to the club. Next week's pot will be \$178.50.++