



Pinellas Park Rotary - District # 6950
Thursday Sept. 27th 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. What U.S. state is known as *The Last Frontier*?
2. What is the home of the *Rockettes*?
3. What building are British monarchs crowned in?
4. What was the real name of the *Hunchback of Notre Dame*?
5. What animal was revered by the ancient Egyptians?
6. Who captained the *Courageous* to the 1977 *America's Cup* championship?



Upcoming Programs & Events:

Oct 4th	Don Higgins P/C
Oct 11th	Jimmy Hammond P/C
Oct 18th	Students of the Month
Oct 23rd	Sanders School Students
Oct 25th	Kenny Krauss P/C
Nov 1st	Kevin Krauss P/C
Nov 8th	Jeff MacKellar P/C
Nov 15th	Students of the Month

Visiting Rotarians:

Sue & Bill Slovodkin.....Rotary Club of Seminole

Rotarian Birthdays:

Yvonne Fay.....	9/17.....	46 Yrs
Christine Patel.....	9/25.....	55 Yrs
Rev. Jimmy Hammond.....	9/30.....	88 Yrs
Theresa Pinnix.....	10/2.....	50 Yrs
Tami Scheele.....	10/3.....	59 Yrs

Club Anniversaries:

Ken Bray.....	8/26.....	14 Yrs
Yvonne Fay.....	9/30.....	8 Yrs

Missed Last Week:

Hope Peterson	Ken Bray
Don Higgins	Paul Scheele
Joe Kolodziej	Chantel Wonder
Jim Plunkett	Yvonne Fay
Christine Patel	Don Higgins
Wendy Sideri	Starlyn Fikkert

Don Vauiso Bob Dobson
 John Donaghy

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Last Week's Program:
STUDENTS OF THE MONTH:

Molly Dashney is a Senior at Pinellas Park High School in the Criminal Justice Academy. Her weighted GPA is 4.45. She is an officer in the Law Honor Society, Photography Club, and Model United Nations. She was given a grant to conduct research this summer at Columbia University, concentrating on human rights issues in Myanmar and the Philippines. Her goal is to work as a Human Rights Attorney, and help to develop universal free speech.



Pedro Garcia-Zaragoza is a Senior at Pinellas Park High School with a weighted GPA of 4.21. He was born in the states, but relocated with his family to Puerto Rico, before returning here for high school. He plans to pursue a degree in Biomedical Engineering. He has seen students give up on their classes and education due to language barriers, and has dedicated himself to helping others by tutoring those in need and inspiring them to make healthy changes that will benefit them in the future.

Guidance Counselor **Anna Kalinowska** introduced **Savannah Taylor** and **Polina Leger** from Dixie Hollins High School.

Our main Community Grant Projects for this year: [SAVE THE DATES!!!!!!!!!!!!](#)

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.

This Week's Program:

Club President **Joe Minarik** will hold a Club Assembly for all members.

Next Week's Program:

Program Chairman **Don Higgins** will introduce **Edward Ogiba**, the Chairman of the *HLAA Tampa Bay Advisory Board*, and the *Hearing Tech Expo & Healthy Hearing Expo Board*. His topic will be *The 10 Smartest Ways to Improve Your Hearing in Tampa Bay*, and what every Rotarian should know to support over 500,000 local neighbors.



Bruce Myers, the Dixie Hollins Special Olympics Bowling Chairperson, introduced two of his Special Olympic students, **Amberlynn** and **Kaitlyn**, who are both great bowlers who won awards at the District and State competitions.



Rotarian Club Awards were presented to **Kevin Burkart** and **David Sideri**



Happy Events:..... By Jana Vrettos

Josh Astarita – Happy to see the Students of the Month here, and happy to see **Kevin Burkart!**

David Sideri – Happy for the Students of the Month and to see **Kevin Burkart!**

Theresa Pinnix – Happy that my floors are going down in my new house, and just happy to be here!

Kevin Krauss – Happy that my mom **Joan Krauss** and my sister **Christine Patel** are celebrating birthdays next week!

Dr. Pal Nanda – I am always happy!

Jerry Krauss – We are having a special birthday party for my wife **Joan Krauss** and my daughter **Christine Patel** at Freedom Square!

Kevin Burkart – Happy to be here, and happy that **Dr. Pal Nanda** is always happy!

Joe Minarik – Had a great time with my family in Chicago for five days!

David Allen – Happy that the Bulls, Gators, and Bucs won this past week!

Richard Breske – Thank you to **Josh Astarita** for filling in for President last week, and for cleaning up after helping me with a project!

Barbara MacKellar – Thank you to the Students of the Month for being so inspiring!

Todd MacKellar – Happy to have helped with the Special Olympics on Saturday!

Tami Scheele – Happy to see the Interact Students and S4TL student here today as Students of the Month, and happy for the Special Olympics event!

Phil England – Happy for “FitzMagic”

Jim Fikkert – Met a family from Columbia who were also Rotarians!

Doug Oppenheimer – Happy to be back! Was visiting family in Maryland. Also happy to see the Students of the Month!

Sue (Guest) – Happy to be here! Was recently shopping with **Pat Minarik** and found out we both had tickets to the Rays only a few rows from each other!

Janet Waddell – Happy for the Students of the Month! Happy to see **Kevin Burkart** and **Doug Oppenheimer!**

Tom Stewart – Happy to have cups for Alzheimer’s Research for your car to collect change! Already got a \$100 donation!

Words of Wisdom:

“When you make a commitment, you build hope. When you keep it you build trust.”

Bulletin Staff

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: Richard Breske won the prize for \$9. and donated it back to the Club. No Ace of Clubs today. Next week, the Grand Jackpot starts at \$208.

