

# Rotary



# Club of Stuart-Sunrise

## Club Meeting

Stuart-Sunrise  
Meets at Monarch Country  
Club  
1801 SW Monarch Club Dr.  
Palm City, FL 34990  
Time: Thursday at 07:30  
AM

## Speakers

**August 19, 2021**

Elliott Paul  
Everything Auctions

**August 21, 2021**

Monarch (& Rotary)  
Charity Classic

**September 09, 2021**

Commissioner Doug Smith  
Parks & Trailways

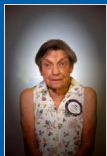
## Birthdays



Thomas Brownell  
September 3rd



Shannon  
Sumners  
September 6th



Jane M. Mills  
September 14th

## Club Member Anniversaries



Arthur C. Mills III  
08-13-2015  
6 Years



Jason Davis  
09-05-2017  
4 Years

## Rotary News for August 12, 2021

By David Shoaf

Meeting called to order at 7:30 by President Chris. We had 35 members and guests. Pledge was led by John Fedorek and the prayer was offered by Sue Whittington.

### New Members inducted!

Membership Chair Jason Davis stepped to the podium and invited 3 new Inductees to the front of the meeting!



He inducted Valerie Madigan, Shannon Sumner and Dr. Greg Bialak to be our new members for August! All 3 new members will get 2 minutes each to tell us about their careers, families, and their plans for the club.

### Happy and Sad

Sue and John collected bucks from members for the week. John Fedorek is heading on vacation next week. Jason announced that he is expecting a young golfer in 9 months, we welcomed new members, provided \$ for Alzheimer's research (CART), expressed joy for children returning to the classrooms; congrats to the Martin North youth baseball team for their play in the divisionals. There were a number of dollars to honor the Tykes and Teens organization for the good work they do in our community.

### Aug 21 golf event is 9 days away!

The golf committee is asking you to provide prizes for the silent auction as well as invite your friends to play in our joint event with Monarch. Gene VanCuren reminds us that the event raises money for our 3 annual scholarships for Martin County youth. Registration info is on the club website - [www.Stuart-SunriseRotary.Org](http://www.Stuart-SunriseRotary.Org). or at the golf pro shop at Monarch.

### Water for South Sudan

Roc Fiore announced that the effort to raise \$5,000 in matching funds toward the well to be drilled in South Sudan has received the first checks. Members have provided \$500 to kick off the fundraising. That is 10% of the goal, according to officials. More info later.

## Tykes and Teens Update

By David Shoaf

Tykes & Teens has been a leading provider of the highest quality evidence-based mental health services and programs for children and adolescents for 25 years. The agency began offering services in 1996 in Martin County with the goal of strengthening local families by ensuring that all children have access to high-quality counseling and mental health services, regardless of financial status. Since then, they have expanded services to St. Lucie, Indian River and Okeechobee counties as well.



CEO Eric Garza began as an intern in 2008 at the organization and is deeply committed to improving mental health services for our children and families.

The group works to provide community-based services including infant mental health programs, youth enrichment programs including parenting, family and individual counseling as well as ♦Wraparound services♦ to increase resilience and independence for high risk families. Tykes and Teens reaches more than 10,000 youth annually with direct care and prevention programs.

For more information on Tykes & Teens ♦ programs and services focused on prioritizing children ♦s mental health, visit [www.tykesandteens.org](http://www.tykesandteens.org) or call 772-220-3439.

To learn more about how you can support children ♦s mental health in our community, visit [www.tykesandteens.org/give-help/](http://www.tykesandteens.org/give-help/).

### **14<sup>th</sup> Festival of Trees and Lights Set**

This event kicks off the holiday season in Martin County. Beginning on November 14 the event takes over the Flagler Center in Downtown Stuart and benefits Tykes and Teens as well. It is free to the public and fills the Center with holiday beauty. There are 3 fundraising events climaxing in cocktail party and live auction of wreaths and trees. To learn more contact Courtney Nientimp (CourtneyN@tykesandteens.org.).

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### **50 - 50**

Bob Swan was the lucky ticket holder but failed to draw the Ace of Spades so he left \$240 on the table for next week ♦s meeting!

**See you next week at Monarch!**

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### **Foundation News**



Congratulations Rotarians - we are now down to just two countries with the wild polio virus, Pakistan and Afghanistan. Even though Covid-19 has significantly impacted the administration of doses of the vaccine to children, the good news is that the campaign has begun again. We are THIS close. Remember as you plan your activities for the year - October 24th is World Polio Day.



### New Area of Focus for Grants

Supporting the environment became Rotary's seventh area of focus, which are categories of service activities supported by global grants. It joined peacebuilding and conflict prevention; disease prevention and treatment; water, sanitation, and hygiene; maternal and child health; basic education and literacy; and community economic development.

Grant applications for projects with this new focus will be accepted beginning on 1 July 2021. Gifts and commitments from Rotarians and others will be sought to provide global grant support for the new area of focus.

More information about this new cause will be announced soon.

### Paul Harris Fellow Awards - Suntree Club

At their Installation and Awards dinner, several club members earned recognition for donation to the Rotary International Foundation. A member becomes a Paul Harris Fellow with the accumulated donation of \$1,000 and is recognized with a certificate and a pin from Rotary International. For each additional \$1,000 a gem is added to the pin.

The following Suntree Rotary Club members were awarded these recognition pins: Paul

Harris +1 to Chris Myers and Matt Nye; Paul Harris +5 to Norm Meaker and Woody McDaniel; Paul Harris+6 to Terry Neberhaus; and Paul Harris +7 to JoAnn Meaker.

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**Paul Harris Society:**

*by PDG Leo Phillips, District Paul Harris Society Chair*

As dedicated Rotarians, our charity should be The Rotary Foundation. The Foundation is a highly rated way of making the world a better place in which to live.

Most Rotarians are familiar with the requirement of being a Paul Harris Fellow, giving \$1,000 cumulatively over the span of one's Rotary membership. Now, Rotarians may ever greater reflect the promises we make to improve our communities and communities around the world by being members of the Paul Harris Society.

The Paul Harris Society, name for Rotary's founder, is made up of dedicated supporters who annually contribute \$1,000 or more to the Annual Fund, Polio Plus, or an approved Rotary Foundation grant.

Doing good has been made easy. To sign up for the program, simply Google "Paul Harris Society Form" to find a simple form for manifesting your giving intention and enrolling you in the Society. Further information may be found at [www.rotary.org/give](http://www.rotary.org/give).

Rotary's recurring giving program. Rotary Direct, also allows one to make monthly, quarterly, or other periodic payments to the Foundation by credit card. A monthly contribution of \$85, a quarterly contribution of \$250, or an annual gift of \$1,000 maintains eligibility. By giving from your heart each and every year, you will support families and change lives.

If you have any questions regarding your joining the over 23.000 Rotarians worldwide who have joined the Society, please contact PDG Leo Phillips, our District Paul Harris Society Chair. He may be reached at [philmack@aol.com](mailto:philmack@aol.com) or at 561-266-0831.

Thank you for your continued support of Rotary.

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