

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

September 30, 2021

[Kia Fontaine, Lyric Theatre](#)

October 14, 2021

[Sam Carver](#)
2021 Air Show

Birthdays



Robert J Wesch
Jr.
September 29th



Richard P. Zurich
October 1st



Jeanette
Dechabert
October 4th



Linda Weiksna
October 16th

Club Member Anniversaries

No Years Of Service Found

Rotary News for September 23, 2021

By David Shoaf

Meeting called to order at 7:30 at Monarch. Pledge led by President Chris and Prayer offered by Valerie.

Announcements

Boys and Girls Club have rescheduled their golf outing at Lost Lake to November 6th. The event kicks off with lunch and golf and ends with dinner at the Manatee Island Golf Tournament for dinner. Entry is \$100 per player.

Roc Fiore was awarded his 2nd **Paul Harris** pin. The Sapphire pin he receives signifies a donation of \$2,000 during his Rotary career.

Donations for South Sudan water project totaled an additional \$700 dollars from members and friends. Sue W. announced a gift of \$1,000 from her god son William McVey. Go to www.waterforsouthsudan to see pictures of the wells built. The organization's goal is to build 50 wells a year. They have built more than 500 over the last 15 years.

Club Board Meeting will be held in October.

Guest was Sharon Dvir of PNC Bank Wealth Management.

Happy and Sad

John Robitaille and Sue W. were assisted in their fundraising by the presence of Tim Brown and Gator Al.

Robert Wesch announced he is planning on a new hip in October. Dave Geller visited his folks in New York for their 92nd birthdays. Beth reminded us that Thursday was National Pot Pie Day. John Fedorek is planning on a trip to New England to see the fall colors. Rex is off to Sedona to learn more about our pets. John R. hopes to be fishing in the Bahamas this weekend with his brothers. Sue is still cheering for the Hokies while others have moved on. Waitress Kathy still loves the Jets!

Jack Langhorne and Monica just returned from a 12 day cruise on the Celebrity Equinox. Harry Lerch is having surgery Monday on his right eye for a detached retina. Recovery time is estimated to be 3 weeks.

Treasure Coast Wildlife Center

By David Shoaf on Thursday, September 23, 2021

Gene introduced Susan Nash, Executive Director. The organization has been saving wildlife since 1974. The goal is to rehabilitate injured, ill or orphaned wildlife and release them back into their natural environments. The wildlife hospital treats between 2,000 and 3,000 patients annually. Treatment includes wound care, physical therapy and flight training and more.

Turning the house on the property into a hospital is an immediate goal. They are seeking to raise \$40,000 for this effort.

The volunteers are planning a



fundraiser at the historic Seminole Inn on Saturday, October 30th. The evening of Halloween fun, silent auction, music and an open bar, great food and palm readers, too! There will be at least 2 seatings for the dinner (6 and 7:15) and lots of information on TCWC goals. Tickets are \$175.

The TCWC is located at 8626 SW Citrus Blvd in Palm City. The area is open to the public for self-guided walking tours from Thursday to Sunday from 11 to 3 p.m. The hospital remains open 7 days a week and patient drop off is still available every day.

Go to www.TCwild.org or call [772-286-6200](tel:772-286-6200)

50-50

The pot was \$376 and the ticket drawn belonged to Rex Sentell. He selected the King of Hearts so the money rolls over. Rex gets to keep the ticket stub.

District 6930 Club News

Downtown Boca Raton:



AND...

This week's team of Tabitha Stambaugh, Zach Weygandt, Maurice D Plough Jr, Jeff Weber and Nikie Moraldo packed fifty bags of food as part of our C.H.O.W. Program. Making sure children don't go hungry on the weekend. Children's Health On the Weekend delivered this morning to the Florence Fuller Child Development Center.

Rockledge Club:

We were pleased to welcome several guests who were here to promote a special event for The Medal of Honor Memorial. Well-known singer Jack Smink (center) will be the featured entertainer at a dinner show to raise funds to construct and maintain the Memorial at the Medal of Honor Park on Merritt Island.

The special event, which will also include an auction, is scheduled for Saturday, Oct

2 at the Space Coast Convention Center. For more information, and to donate, sponsor, purchase tickets, call/text 321-604-1344.

Pictured along with Jack are (l to r) Rotarians Mark Turner and Mike Delli Santi, along with Don Flammio, USA

River Rats, and Donn Weaver, Brevard Veterans Memorial Center.

Cocoa Club:

Cocoa Rotary has been nominated for Business Champion of the year. They received this note - "Congratulations from the Cocoa



Beach Regional Chamber of Commerce! On behalf of the Business Champion of the Year Awards Committee, it is our pleasure to inform you that your company/organization has been nominated for the 2021 BUSINESS CHAMPION OF THE YEAR AWARD"

Vero Beach Sunrise Club:

Citrus Elementary Rain Garden gets a revamp... Thanks to Beth Ann, Pam O'Donnell, Gail Marcia DeRoy, Laura Kennedy, Christine Steinkrauss, Erica Hendley, Mike Murphy, Gene O'Donnell, David Kennedy and Tarik Kawi



Vero Beach Oceanside Club:

Something special happens at most of our club meetings! Last night, Tina Zayas (top center) was recognized as our newest board

/club approved member. Tina has the heart and hard working ethics to shine as a true Rotarian! Elaine Jones ADG (bottom right), was recognized for earning her 4th Paul Harris award, a true measure of her commitment to Rotary. We are blessed to have this caliber of members!

Jupiter Tequesta Club:

The club is now accepting registrations and sponsorships for their 1st Annual Charity Golf Tournament which will benefit the Busch Wildlife Sanctuary.

For over 30 years, Busch Wildlife Sanctuary, the largest such facility in Palm Beach County, has been rescuing, rehabilitating and releasing our native species by the thousands and



reintroducing endangered and keystone species back into our fragile ecosystems. Since their founding, over 1.7 million guests have participated in our free education programs on the need for environmental conservation and



protection.

South Florida's wildlife is being displaced by a growing population and encroaching development. Nearly 90% of the injuries treated at our wildlife hospital are directly related to man-made causes, which include collisions with automobiles, fishing line entanglement,

electrocutions, illegal gunshots, poisonings, and attacks by dogs and cats. In addition, the introduction of exotic species to the Everglades, Florida's crucial water and wetland resource, affects the life and health of hundreds of our native species. The increasing demand for services means they have outgrown their current leased space. They are now developing another 20 acres which will nearly double their space. The new property is located at Rocky Pines Road and Indiantown Road, just west of 1-95.

The Palm Beach Flagler Rotary Club:

This past year, they were able to award over \$15,000.00 in grants to other local, not-for-profit

THURSDAY, OCT 7TH
1PM SHOTGUN START - ABACOIA GOLF CLUB

Schedule of Events:	Sponsors:
11:00am Registration	Open Bar Reception Sponsor: \$2,500 Company name to appear in reception area as the official "Open Bar Host". Company name to appear in all communications, including day of, prior and all social media content.
12:00pm Lunch	On Course Beverage Sponsor: \$2,500 Company name to appear on the course and beverage areas throughout the course. Company name to appear in all communications, including day of, prior and all social media content.
1:00pm Shotgun Start	Hole Sponsor Each hole will have the company name and logo. Hole sponsors will also be advertised during social media communications. \$200 per hole.
Costs:	Registration:
Fluoresce \$1,200	Payment can be made via check sent to:
Hole Sponsors \$200 Price includes lunch, round of golf, buffet dinner, 1 hour open bar, an prize & raffle event.	Jupiter Tequesta Foundation Rotary Club of Jupiter-Tequesta Box 3118 Tequesta, FL 33469
Non Golfer \$60 Price includes buffet dinner, 1 hour open bar.	Or by Venmo: 
Registration:	
Team Name: _____	
Contact: _____	
Phone: _____	
Email: _____	
Player 1: _____ Handicap: _____	
Player 2: _____ Handicap: _____	



organizations. One of those grants was awarded to the Rehabilitation Center for Children and Adults in Palm Beach for the purchase of a new Rifton prone stander for their preschool.

AND

The Palm Beach Flagler Rotary Club participated for the 10th consecutive year in a local backpack and school supply donation project. Back To School Palm Beach County is a 501(c)(3) organization that serves disadvantaged students in Palm Beach County, grades Pre-K through 12, by supplying backpacks and school supplies, as well as offering each family lunch, free haircuts, and health screenings. These children are underprivileged, homeless, at risk of homelessness, or in foster care. They are pre-qualified to participate based on need. This project serves over 20,000 students locally.

Pictured (left to right) are: Club President Bruce Taylor, Jan Kranich, and Chad Layton.

Boca Raton Clubs:

All six Boca Raton area Rotary Clubs have partnered together over the years to host successful Toy Drives. As an annual family

event, the Toy Drive never fails to bring the community together for a common good. Families come out to enjoy free carousel rides, food, and Santa; all while bringing toys and donations for this Rotary Event.



Suntree Club:

The Suntree Club is sponsoring the 17th Annual Great Tastes at



Suntree. This signature fundraisers takes place on October 23, 2021 from 5:30 - 8:30pm at the Suntree Country Club. Attendees get to taste samples of food from over 20 local restaurants. There is live music and raffles to liven up the evening. Tickets are \$40 each and can be purchased [HERE](#). The funds raised from this event go to children's charities.

Eau Gallie:

The Eau Gallie Rotary club recently welcomed the Melbourne Police department for a Rotary meeting and luncheon and fun. They spoke about the Melbourne Police Kids Fishing Camp to be presented at Ballard Park in early October. *Pictured are Charles McClure, Brian Laughlin, Jeff Rau, and Christine Brainard*



Titusville Club:

On September 25, 2021, the Titusville Rotary Club is hosting its

annual Jazz n Space event from 6-10 pm at the Valliant Air Command, Vietnam Hangar at TICO Field. Tickets are \$65 each and include a plated dinner, and live music performed by the renowned jazz band Tony Wynn & Groove Factor, and the opportunity to win fabulous prizes! To purchase tickets please contact Carol Lee at 321-543-1144



or via email at clee9@cfl.rr.com.
 Proceeds raised from this event will fund youth programs, scholarships,

and other local projects as part of Rotary's mission to provide service to others, promote integrity, and advance world understanding, goodwill, and peace through our fellowship of business, professional, and community leaders. With tremendous help from the community, we are happy to report that our last event netted more than \$16,000 for these programs. For information on how you can become a sponsor and help to support your youth and community, please call Carol Lee at 321-543-1144.

Rotary Club of Northern Palm Beaches:

Submitted by Stanley Pearlman

The Rotary Club of the Northern Palm Beaches remembers 9/11 with an extraordinary woman. We invite all Rotarians to join us on Zoom on September 14th at 8 am.



featured these accomplishments.

Helen Reisler served in numerous positions including: District Governor, Ambassadorial Scholar, District Foundation Trustee, Community service Chair, Public Relations Chair, and as a Rotary representative to the United Nations.

If you plan on joining this important Zoom meeting, email: rotarybeaches@gmail.com for the sign on numbers.

Stuart Rotary Club:

The Stuart Rotary Club has collected books for Gertrude Walden Day Care Center so that when the children return to school an assortment of new books will be waiting to greet

In 2001 Helen Reisler became the first woman President in the 92 year history of the Rotary Club of New York and was unexpectedly faced with the greatest challenge -- the 9/11 terror attack on NYC. Her focused leadership kept up her club's spirit and helped to raise \$1.4 million which was efficiently disbursed to the neediest. She and her team arranged vacations for 45 rescue workers and inspired the article "Ground Zero" in the Rotarian Magazine, as well as newspaper coverage. She also spoke at District Conferences around the nation. The "100 Years" edition of the Rotarian Magazine also



them. This is just one of the many programs that the club supports in Stuart and all of Martin County. It is President Kathleen Crum's position that each member of the club contributes to a service project. Stuart Rotarians Mike McBride and Dave Bigler led the book effort.

Members of the **Suntree Club, Cocoa Club, Cocoa Beach Club and Merritt Island Clubs** gathered

at the warehouse of the Children's Hunger Project in Cocoa to help assemble the packs of food for children who are on free or reduced lunch programs. These packs of food are distributed to the children on Friday so they will have something to eat on the weekends.

Thanks to Suntree Rotarians - JoAnn Meaker (club President), Norm Meaker, Patti Dennison, Mike Malone (and his wife Leslie), Woody McDaniel (and his wife Linda); Cocoa Beach club members - Marcin Kubiak (club President), Leigh Wartella, Lee Romano and Patty Romano; Merritt Island Club member Bert Daniel; Cocoa Club members Paul Chinaris (club President), Erin Harvey, Nancy Brower, Erin Baird; and Eastern Florida State College Rotaract advisor.



Indialantic Club:

On 8/16/21, Bob Visconti, Literacy Chair of Indialantic Rotary, delivered 65 Brain Game books to Nurse Family Partnership of Brevard. Their registered nurses will now be bringing Brain Game books into the homes of their clients.

This was a first for Nurse Family Partnership of Brevard (NFP); they join Healthy Start of



Brevard and Healthy Families of Brevard, who have been Brain Game users for several years.

Bob is in discussions with the Healthy Start Coalition of Indian River County to put Brain Game books into use with NFP in that county. He has begun to raise funds from Rotary Clubs in Vero Beach to buy Brain Game books for that NFP chapter.

NFP is a free service for women who are pregnant with their first baby; it provides registered nurse support, advice and information to ensure a healthy pregnancy and a healthy

baby. NFP is in most Florida counties and more than 40 states. For more information, call Bob at 321-794-0330. *Bob is pictured with NFP head Cynthia Ramos of the Florida Department of Health in Brevard.*

Sebastian Club:

The Rotary Club of Sebastian is seeking golfers and sponsors for their Service to Community Golf Outing! This is a fun tournament with lots of prizes and raffle. Golfer sheets are also at the Sebastian



Municipal Golf course clubhouse. Call Marc Gingras 772-321-3916 for more information.

Let's Play Golf!



Rotary Club of Sebastian, Inc
Service to Community Golf Outing!

Proceeds benefit the club's college scholarship fund. Last year we were able to give 6-\$500 and 1-\$1,000 scholarships to our local graduates.

Saturday, November 13th, 2021

8AM Shotgun start

Sebastian Municipal Golf Course

Hole in ONE Grand prize \$10,000

Longest Drive, Closest to pin's, \$50/50 raffle and other great prizes

Scramble Format

Carts, range balls, buffet lunch are included!

Only \$ 80.00 per golfer or \$280 per team

Contact Marc Gingras 772-321-3916 for more information or stop in the shop and grab a registration form.

Make checks payable to Sebastian Rotary Club,
PO BOX 761763, Sebastian, FL 32976-1763
Donation to the Sebastian Rotary Club Scholarship Fund
For more information, please contact
Marc Gingras 772-321-3916 mgingras61@gmail.com

Okeechobee Club:

The Rotary Club of Okeechobee supported the Yearling Middle School Band program with a donation to purchase new music books.

