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Club Meeting

Mandarin
Ramada Inn Conf. Center Mandarin. I-295 @ SR 13

Jennifer Mitchell, St Johns Water Management District, August 20

By Rita F. Story on Friday, August 16, 2019

Jennifer Mitchell is a Public Relations Coordinator with the St Johns Water Management District. She is passionate about Florida's incredible water resources and hopes to spark your interest in what you can do to help protect Florida's waterways. After earning her Ph. D. in Forest Ecology from Auburn University, she completed a post-doc at the University of Florida in Soil and Water Science. Because she realizes that greater results will come from more community participation, she now works to spread the message of how individuals can reduce their impact on our waterways.

Andy Crosby, JFRD

By Rita F. Story on Friday, August 16, 2019



Jacksonville Fire and Rescue Department was represented at Mandarin Rotary by Andy Crosby. National Fire Safety Week is in October. He encouraged club members to plan and practice fire drills in the home. For more information he instructed members to go to the NFPA website. Although no safety system is 100% effective, Andy said that many systems fail to function due to age. Old smoke detectors (over 10 years in age) may still beep, but will not work well enough to save a family during a fire. He suggested that a smoke detector with a 10 years battery is the best option for homeowners to purchase.

JFRD has been practicing pre-planning drills for evacuation of building during an active shooter situation. He said that we should all be alert and report any blocked exits. Often shooters intentionally block exits prior to a shooting so that intended targets cannot escape and rescuers cannot enter.

Mandarin Rotary Paul Harris Society

By Rita F. Story on Friday, August 16, 2019

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PDG and District Foundation Chair for 2018-19 Art McQueen presented Mandarin Rotary with the Paul Harris Society Banner. This is an award that the club achieved during the term of Past President Jock Hart.

RYE Alejandra's First Day at MHS

By Craig E. Fertenbaugh on Friday, August 16, 2019



Alejandra has enrolled as a Junior at Mandarin High School. Please, remember to include her in your plans this year!

Minutarian, Week 7

By Rita F. Story on Friday, August 16, 2019

Two items this week:

First, a question for all of you: in the early days of Rotary, how did clubs measure whether a Rotarian was committed? Do you think clubs measured ATTENDANCE or DOING BUSINESS WITH ANOTHER ROTARIAN?

If you voted ♦Do Business with another Rotarian♦ you are right. And *Rotary Means Business* continues that strong tradition of connecting Rotarians for business.

The first RMB meeting is in Jacksonville, Thursday, August 15, from 530-730 pm. Sign up on the RMB6970.org website. RMB is coming soon to Gainesville and Daytona.

Second item:

Have you ever wondered what it♦s like to be a District Governor? According to District Governor Mike, it♦s fantastic♦you get to help clubs create value for members and their communities. If you♦ve been a president of your club, and you♦re knowledgeable about clubs and our district, consider being nominated by your club to be District Governor. All the information you need is on RotaryDistrict6970.org.



President



Dorrie R. Felder
Club Executive Director



James F. Register Jr.
Assistant Governor

Birthdays

- Hugh Harby
August 25th
- Brian J. Register
September 7th
- Nancy A Babineaux
September 9th
- Mark E. O'Connor
September 17th

Deadline is November 1.

Have a great week!!

Bring a Guest

By Rita F. Story on Friday, August 16, 2019



Mark Snitzer brought a guest last week, Shannon Bradford. Who do you know that you could invite to a meeting?

Membership Moment

By Rita F. Story on Monday, August 19, 2019

Growing membership is dependent on two factors, recruitment and retention. Retention is the responsibility of club leadership and implementing a process that engages new members from the start. The earlier a new member becomes involved and plugged in, the better chance for long term involvement and service to the club.

Recruiting is the responsibility of each member. People join Rotary for various reasons. Regardless of their motivation, it always starts with being asked by a current member. That is why we are encouraging each member to invite someone they know to a meeting. The more people we introduce to our club, the better chance for consistent membership growth.

Over the years many dedicated and valuable members have left the club for personal or business reasons. Just as changing circumstances lead to their departure, current circumstances may be right for their return. As we strive for every member to invite a friend to join, think about members who have left over the years. Perhaps the timing is right for them to re-engage. Perhaps they just need to be asked.

New Meeting Assignments

By Stephen Edmonds on Tuesday, July 9, 2019

Date	Greeter	Greeter	Introductions	Raffle	Invocation
20 Aug	Jim Johns	Al Kalter	Denny Lafer	Steve Lazar	Ken McCauley
27 Aug	Robert Meek	Max Zahn	Ladson Montgomery	Mark Mouro	Mark O'Connor
10 Sept	Ralph Parks	Neewa Phelps	Chris Phillips	Fred Pozin	Brian Register
17 Sept	Jim Register	George Robbins	Gale Ruskosky	Fred Schramm	Bennie Shaw
24 Sept	Liz Shaw	Wilson Smith	Gary Sneddon	Mark Snitzer	Rita Story

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Bowling for a Good Cause

By Maxwell C. Zahn on Friday, August 16, 2019



Here's a Classic shot of a Classic Team who went Bowling for the Special Olympics First Coast Dolphins Swim Team on Sunday August 11th. We had over 70 swimmers and donors attend for a super fun afternoon! The entire event raised over \$5,000 for the team which helps cover expenses for Swimming Suits, Parties, Awards, Year End Banquet and Team Trips. Thanks to all who donated and participated!!!

Jumbo Shrimp

By James M. Barker IV on Monday, April 15, 2019

This is the Final Opportunity to get your JUMBO SHRIMP tickets from Jim Barker: Friday evenings, August 23rd. Time is running out...get your tickets!

NAPA Auto Parts will provide fireworks at the end of every Friday night home game.

See Jim for tickets!

District Calendar

By Rita F. Story on Tuesday, July 9, 2019

[August 24, 2019](#) - 3 Keys 2 Success (Foundation, Membership and Public Image) at Thrasher Horne Center, Orange Park

[October 12, 2019](#) - Rotary Leadership Institute at Daytona State College, Palm Coast (cost will be paid by the club)

The Card

By Rita F. Story on Tuesday, July 9, 2019

The Jackpot is \$560. We are looking for the Jack of Spades.

Max's Corner

Tuesday, July 9, 2019



1. Man comes into the ER and yells . . . 'My wife's going to have her baby in the cab.' I grabbed my stuff, rushed out to the cab, lifted the lady's dress and began to take off her underwear. Suddenly I noticed that there were several cabs - - - and I was in the wrong one.

Submitted by Dr. Mark Mac Donald, San Francisco

2. At the beginning of my shift I placed a stethoscope on an elderly and slightly deaf female patient's anterior chest wall.

'Big breaths,' . . . I instructed.

'Yes, they used to be,' . . . replied the patient.

Submitted by Dr. Richard Byrnes ,
Seattle , WA

3. During a patient's two week follow-up appointment with his cardiologist, he informed me, his doctor, that he was having trouble with one of his medications.

'Which one??' I asked. 'The patch...

The Nurse told me to put on a new one every six hours and now I'm running out of places to put it!' I had him quickly undress and discovered what I hoped I wouldn't see.

Yes, the man had over fifty patches on his body!

Now, the instructions include removal of the old patch before applying a new one.

Submitted by Dr. Rebecca St. Clair,
Norfolk , VA

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Years of Service



[Harlan K. Eaton](#)
34 Years



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28 Years



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26 Years



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18 Years



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13 Years



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13 Years



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12 Years



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6 Years



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2 Years