

"ROTARY OPENS OPPORTUNITIES"



Spoke 'n Wheel

The Weekly Broadsheet of the Winter Park Rotary Club

"Peace Wherever You're Planted"



Our Speak of the Week was Reverend Weaver Boldin, pastor of Mt. Moriah Missionary Baptist Church and chaplain to the WP Police Department. The Reverend addressed Peace and Conflict Resolution with a good sermon and a list of ten steps to move from conflict to peace. In turmoil a properly trained mind can proceed in logical steps to return to productivity.

The Ten Steps to resolve conflict:

1. **Talk directly to the person you have a conflict with**
2. **Choose a good time for conversation**
3. **Plan ahead**
4. **Don't blame others or name call**
5. **Give information, don't shout information**
6. **Listen**
7. **Show that your are listening**
8. **Talk it all through**
9. **Work on solution, not stay in conflict**
10. **Follow through**

If you follow these steps you have will have "Peace wherever you are planted."

Attendance allows members to get the full blast of a speaker's comments instead of relying on the President's "Reader's Digest" version. You don't know what you missed.If you would like to hear the full sermon, reach out and we will send you a link.

Director Butch starts Meeting #32 with a muffled strike of the Rotary Bell

No meeting can hit its best stride without a perfect strike of the opening bell. Our celebrated Chief Percussionist took leave to travel to Boca Grande for a birthday celebration leaving in his stead a pale shadow to do the clanging that summons us to attend to the business of Winter Park Rotary Club. Butch Margraf possesses a willing heart but lacks training and talent when it comes to striking a clarion call to battle stations. When all anticipated a clang, the best he could do - despite repeated cries to try again - was a muffled clunk.

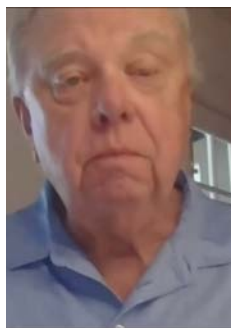
When it appeared his arm lacked strength to continue to search for a suitable tone, the President called off the ringing and announced the club was thereupon open for business.

First order of business: invocation and pledge both rendered by Jim Hardy without reason for criticism.



IS IT TRUE? FAIR? KIND? USEFUL?

HISTORIC FIRST-MEMBERS HUM AMERICA THE BEATIFUL!



Music usually falls into the jurisdiction of the Choirmaster Jeffrey who, as previously mentioned, absented himself from this affair to traipse off to the West Coast. The President is not only handsome; he is also resourceful. In the absence of a better alternative, he invited the members to hum "America the Beautiful". The critics raved. Kip Marchman teared up and said, "Had I known the club was capable of this sort of harmony I would not have been so harsh in my comments about its music."

A Grand Night at Winter Park Playhouse



ROTARIANS OF THE WEEK: DAVID JOHNSTON, DON HULSLANDER & BUTCH MARGRAF

David Johnston, Don Hulslander and Butch Margraf bought tickets to support the Winter Park Playhouse club event. They did not use the tickets for themselves but allowed them to pass into the hands of others who were able to enjoy Rodgers and Hammerstein's show tunes in "A Grand Night for Singing".

Those of us who attended enjoyed adult beverage and fellowship before curtain up and reinforced both during intermission. The show was a sell-out! The Playhouse not only filled its available seats, it received more than retail for each ticket.

Whether they sang together as an ensemble, performed as duos or solo numbers, they each stood out and had their highlights. Matt Rothenberg did an excellent solo version of the song "Maria" from The Sound Of Music, while Monica Titus, Courtney Cunningham and Caila L. Carter were in gorgeous harmony together in the South Pacific number "I'm Gonna Wash That Man Right Out-a My Hair." Dustin Cunningham was absolutely spectacular with a rousing version of the Oklahoma hit "Oh What A Beautiful Morning."

It was an irresistible night out because the talent at Playhouse (including music director Christopher Leavy who plays piano along with Sam Forrest on percussion and Ned Wilkinson on multiple instruments) fully captured what made those Rodgers & Hammerstein songs so popular to begin with.

Winter Park would lose a touch of its charm without the Playhouse. Patronize it for many reasons, foremost of which will be an evening of live entertainment that is very entertaining. And the cast couldn't be better.

Club Business

RI announces 2021-2022 theme



Please mute

Zoom Etiquette continues to cause distraction from the affairs under consideration. If you are not speaking or if you are not participating in the hum-along, mute yourself!! Barking dogs, miscellaneous household appliances, incidental conversations: who needs them? By the time all of us master Zoom, the time will have arrived to resume meeting in person.

Meeting in person

A brief questionnaire hit your email recently. If you have not responded, get with it. We have received 41 responses so far.

Morale suffered from the lack of personal contact over lunch. The officers and board are committed to resumption of pre-Covid practices when it is "safe to go back in the water" and when at least 35 members can participate. This issue continues to receive focus. The Woman's Club still provides a suitable venue.

With the new library/events center reaching the home stretch, preliminary discussions of its rental terms are underway.

UPCOMING PROGRAMS:

March 1st: Words from the DG of the Caribbean - Charles Sealy

March 8th: Hope and Healing Facility - Dr. Tucker, Director of Hope and Healing

March 15th: TBD

March 22nd: USTA National Campus - Brian Orminston

March 29th: Local News - Marshall Swanson

WPRC Supports Killarney Pantry During Covid



Due to increased caution to protect the students at Killarney, we moved the food pantry to the front office building. OCPS no longer allows Additions volunteers(all of us) on the campus except for the front office. Food will be delivered to the classrooms each week by school staff.

We have made necessary plans to provide large food bags for the families for Spring break beginning March 12th. We will continue to work with Dr. Wieckowski and the staff to provide food for the homeless children.

Thank you all for your continued support of this vital program.

Sincerely,
Ann Clement
Sent from my iPhone

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WP Rotarians Volunteering in the Community

KILLARNEY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, PLANTER BOX PAINTING PROJECT

WPRC and Rotaract members came out to paint the planter boxes. Thanks to the boxes are ready for the Spring planting. Thanks to Karen and Alex Gourlay, Duke Marsh, Ann Clement, Rick Frazee, Butch Margraf, and Bob Carrigan. Also Rollins Rotaractors.



ADVENT HEALTH: HUNDREDS VOLUNTEER TO SERVE AT VACCINE SITE

Volunteers to man the ancillary duties of vaccination at the Advent site on Tradeport Drive remain in demand. Let me know of your willingness and I will provide vectors for registering.



OPPORTUNITY TO SERVE: TUESDAY'S AT SALVATION ARMY

Salvation Army: Fred Jones continues to liaise to develop a volunteer platform. Stand by for updates and invitation to lend aa hand.



On-line Chili Order starts on March 1.

The link to the website to order dinners and auction items will be emailed to you on or about March 1. In the coming weeks we will be previewing the Silent Auction and Raffle Items.

Help us support Winter Park Not-for-Profits!

10th ANNUAL

Chili for Charity
PLEASE EAT WITH EXTRAORDINARY CARE

CHILI At Home CHARITY

MARCH 26, 2021 6:00 TO 9:00 PM

Dinners for Four \$150, for Six \$200
Dinner includes Chili, 2 sides and Dessert

RAFFLE & SILENT AUCTION & ENTERTAINMENT

Rotary Club of Winter Park

Chili for Charity
PLEASE EAT WITH EXTRAORDINARY CARE

THE RAVENOUS PIG

Chili for Charity
PLEASE EAT WITH EXTRAORDINARY CARE

George's Cafe
Cafe & Catering
Est. 1985

Chili for Charity
PLEASE EAT WITH EXTRAORDINARY CARE

THE GOURMET CUISINE
ROLLINS COLLEGE

sodexo

Chili for Charity
PLEASE EAT WITH EXTRAORDINARY CARE

Fiddler's Green
Irish Pub & Cattery
1000 W. Lake Ave.

Chili for Charity
PLEASE EAT WITH EXTRAORDINARY CARE

ARTHUR'S
CREATIVE EVENTS & ENTERTAINMENT

Chili for Charity
PLEASE EAT WITH EXTRAORDINARY CARE

4 RIVERS BBO

C4C: sponsorship still open and needed. There is nothing to be lost by asking! Don't be shy. If know of a likely target for check stroking, speak up. Bold warriors in the battle for funding await your guidance. If every member shares the burden, the \$100K goal will soon be in the rear view mirror.

RAFFLE

Our Zoom Raffle is changing! We're now doing a 50/50 raffle that pays out to the raffle winner when the cash prize totals \$100. You still participate in the same way as the previous raffle, with one entry for \$5! Congrats to our most recent winner, Butch Margra

MEMBERSHIP

MARLENE LINDERS, lacking only Firesiding before full membership, was introduced by her sponsor (that would be the PRESIDENT) and BOB HARTNETT introduced RAMAN NADJAFI, a prime prospect. All other members of the Recruiting Team took the week off (that would be any member not mentioned in this paragraph).

MEMBER ANNIVERSARIES:

Thank you for your continued Rotary service!

Butch Margraf: 22 years

Richard Weinman: 6 years

Jennifer Bloodworth: 13 years

District 6960 is launching Infinite Possibilities Series 2: Diversity, Equity & Inclusion. This four part webinar series offers vision, encouragement, enthusiasm and motivation to grow your membership. You can register for the remaining two parts which are:

- March 26, 2021 - Investing in Equity, hosted by District 6960 Governor Darryl Keys, with featured speaker Xavier Ramey, fellow Rotarian from Chicago.

Register NOW for Infinite Possibilities - Investing in Equity, 1:00 pm EDT March 26, 2021

- April 30, 2021 - Celebrate Diversity, with special guest speakers Rotary International President Holger Knack, Rotary International Director Peter Kyle and Anna Ekbäck.

Register NOW for Infinite Possibilities - Celebrate Diversity, 1:00 pm EDT April 30, 2021

Zoom Chat

Debbie Komanski: OOUCH!

Debra Backer: that was hilarious!!!

Kathleen Peters: ☺

Butch Margraf: Please mute yourself if you are not speaking.

Michael Baldwin: Good to see you Frank!!!

Butch Margraf: Thank you Dr Blondin

Debra Backer: Great conflict resolution info! Thank you

Rev. Dr. Weaver Blondin: Thank You ALL for the Opportunity! What a Blessings!

kklein: Great message Dr. Blondin! Thank you.

Jan and Curley Bowman: Is there a brochure for C4C that we can send to our friends

Michael Baldwin: Happy birthday Jeff!!!

Jan and Curley Bowman: Can we get out t-shirts for the drivers



MARCH

- 1st: Pitt Warner
- 6th: Kathleen Peters
- 8th: Natu Sanghrajka
- 9th: Lauren Cooper
- 19th: Pete Lemieux
- 21st: Kim Groves
- 23rd: Clyde King
- 26th: Fay Dallas

MEETING ADJOURNED!

There being no additional open items to bring to the attention of the assembly and Mickey's big hand pointing in the general direction of nine, the percussionist pro tem was invited to ring us out following recitation of the four word four way: true, fair, kind, useful. A dull clunk sent us on our way until next week.

CLUB MEMBERS

Backer, Debra	King , Clyde
Baidenmann, Shannon	Klein, Kelleigh
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Bangs, Terry W.	Komanski, Deborah Jones
Bartolomei, Matt	Kramer, Steve
Beck, JoAnn	Lazar, Jody M.
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Blitch, Gordon H.	Lemieux, Emily
Bloodworth, Jennifer	Lemieux, Peter
Blydenburgh, Jeffrey	Levy, Justin
Bowman, Carter (Curley)	Mackey, Kirk
Bowman, Jan M.	Maisenholder, Rosemary
Brenner, David	Manuel, William H.
Brewer, Gary A.	Marchman, Kenneth R
Clement, Ann	Margraf, Wayne
Collis, David	Marlowe, Michael L.
Cooper, Lauren	Marsh, Duke
Cornwell, Marguerite	McGann, James K.
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Culpepper, Diane B.	Munns, Jane T.
Dallas, Fay	Neill, Rob
De Armas, Nestor M.	Parker, Jessica
Deal, Mike	Peters, Kathleen
DeCiccio, Shelia Gupta	Pohlig, Holly
DeMaria, Ali	Prather, David D.
Edwards, Ted	Price, Alan D.
Filliez, Tris	Prill, Larry
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Fuhrman, Jean Marie	Roberts, Wayne P.
Gourlay, Alex B.	Roesch, Clay
Gourlay, Karen	Sacha, Thomas C.
Groves, Kim	Salerno, Frank A.
Habas, Leonard	Sallee, Anne E.
Hardy, James M.	Sanghrajka, Natwarlal
Hartnett, Bob	Shaheen, Dean
Hughes, John I.	Sprinkel, Sarah
Hulslander, Donald Kurt	Sullivan, Eugene
Hurlburt, John C.	Tabor , Christopher
Infantino, Thomas V.	Terranova, Joe
Jallad, Johnny	Thomas, Bryan M.
Johnston, David A.	Walker, William A. II
Jones, Frederick W.	Warner, Pitt
Keena, Tony	Weinman, Richard
	Woodall, Woody
	Yount, Richard

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President Nominee: Justin Levy
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Secretary: Jeffrey Blydenburgh
Frank Salerno: Sergeant at Arms

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Rosemary Maisenholder	Butch Margraf
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