

Rotary



Club of Homestead

Club Meeting

Homestead
Meets at Capri Restaurant - Gallery
Room
Capri Restaurant 935 N Krome Ave
Florida City, FL 33040
Time: Wednesday at 12:15 PM



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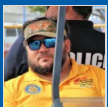
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Rotary Club of Homestead Stone Crab and Seafood Festival

SAVE THE DATE!
3rd ANNUAL HOMESTEAD
STONE CRAB &
SEAFOOD FESTIVAL

Saturday February 29, 2020 11 am - 8 pm
Sunday March 1, 2020 11 am to 5 pm
Homestead Sports Complex
1601 SE 28th Ave, Homestead 33035

[Homestead Rotary Website Link](#)

[Homestead Rotary Facebook Page](#)

[Seafood Festival Facebook Link](#)

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Call to Order

August 28, 2019

Today's luncheon meeting at the Capri restaurant was called to order by President Phil Marraccini

Invocation/Pledge/Song

Invocation: given by Terri Ellis
Pledge: led by Bob Houston
Song: Songmeister Tom Witherell led Rotarians
in God Bless America

Introductions/Guest/Visiting Rotarians

President Phil acknowledged today's guests:

Visiting Rotarians:

None

Today's Guests:

Frank Ruevulta guest of Larry Diehl

Councilman Julio Guzman guest of Benny Robaina

Douglas Reeves

Jeannette Varela



[Dr. Charles Thomas Witherell](#)
Sergeant-at-Arms
Past President



[Jeffrey Murray](#)
Past President



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Assistant Governor

Announcements

City news:

Homestead plans to finish the Cybrary before beginning work on Losner Park expansion; park to have fountains and a small restaurant Scheme to streamline business for introduction into the downtown area because largest complaint is too much red tape.

Announcements:

Rotary's World Polio Day is October 24, honoring Birthday of Jonas Salk who led the team that developed the polio vaccine. Rotary urges Club's to organize viewing parties for the Online Global Update; every \$1 raised is matched 2-to-1 by the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation. Current polio count for 2019 is 12 Type 1 cases in Afghanistan; still a few cases of type 2 in Pakistan (75% coverage); Afghanistan (60% coverage) and Nigeria (40% coverage).

County Adopt a Tree for southern County homeowners - Saturday September 14 9 - noon, South Miami-Dade Cultural Arts Center. Two free native trees with proof of homeownership (drivers license).

Treasurer Doc Richard Glosser is doing our own billing and collection system for dues until past accounts are settled. Next meal billing is for April, May and August. EREY dues to Foundation are postponed for now. Please try to use direct pay options on the online billing for credit cards, debit cards, or direct banking; system also provides receipts.

Roxanne Jeghers has a flyer for the Club's school supplies need for our project. Contact her for supplies pick-up at 305-793-8325 or roxannejeghers@bellsouth.net

ROTARY SEAFOOD FESTIVAL Saturday February 29 - Sunday March 1, 2020.

Upcoming Club Programs and Events: See Sidebar to the left. Contact Rotarian Mike Hart mhart@sunrisegroup.org for programs & speakers.

Events and Speakers

No Events found

Birthdays



[Thomas R. Jones Jr](#)
September 1st



[Dr. Charles Thomas Witherell](#)
September 2nd



[Quinton L. Dobbins](#)
September 10th

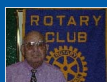


[William Emil Thibault](#)
Lcdr USCG (ret)
September 14th



[Peter Schnebly](#)
September 23rd

Years of Service



[William Losner](#)
05-01-1978
41 Years



[Robert B. Houston](#)
05-01-1985
34 Years



[Michael Hart](#)
06-01-1986
33 Years



[Richard S. Glosser](#)
08-01-1988
31 Years



[Chris Doherty](#)
05-19-2004
15 Years



[Moe M. Hakssa](#)
07-01-2006
13 Years

[Dale Machesic](#)
05-01-2011
8 Years

Today's Speaker/Program

Speaker cancellation today.

Next weeks speaker on the Jai Alai business on Palm Drive.

Anna Alvarez Rotary minute about what Rotary means. It was used to rotate meetings among the four first members, in 1905. Second Club was in San Francisco, third club was in Oakland, California. 1st International Club was in Dublin in 1914. Rotary has 1.3 million members but fewer than 600 employees worldwide to manage 33,000 Clubs. Club sings God Bless American written in 1918 by Russian immigrant Irving Berlin who died in 1989 at age 101.

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Presentations

President Phil presented Jeff Murray with his Past President's badge.

Councilmember Julio Guzman was inducted into the Homestead Rotary Club.

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Happy Dollars



Benito Robaina
07-01-2014
5 Years



Phil Marraccini
07-01-2016
3 Years



Kevin Moore
08-01-2018
1 Year



Roxanne Jeghers
08-29-2018
1 Year



Julio C. Guzman
08-28-2019
0 Years

Happy Dollars:

- \$1 Jeff Murray for Julio Guzman's Rotary membership
 - \$2 Bob Houston, for Julio
 - \$1 Terri Ellio, for Julio
 - \$5 Dale Machesic, for Julio's new membership
 - \$5 Moe Hakssa, for Julio's membership
 - \$1 Benny Robaina, for Julio's membership, finally!
 - \$1 Julio Guzman, for joining Rotary
 - \$1 Richard Glosser, that Julio used the online application!
 - \$1 Anna Alvarez, for Julio's membership
 - \$1 Michael Hart, for Julio + reminder of Seafood Festival
 - \$2 Phil Marraccini, For Julio + for Doc doing the books.
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Fines

Fines by Sgts at Arms Tom Witherell

Advertising: Bob Houston

Late to Meeting: Two fines for President Phil Marraccini
- starting meeting late and made poor introductions

Phone fines: \$2 to Julio for phones of two guests

Leaving early:

Not Signing in:

Not signing guest: Larry Diehl

Not wearing their badge:

Today's Raffle

Three tickets drawn for \$113 raffle,
but no joker drawn so Raffle rollover.

Adjournment

As there was no other business, President Phil adjourned the meeting
at 1:21 pm with recitation of the 4 Way Test.

Homestead Rotary Loves Your Business

Members of the Rotary Club of Homestead Listing Their Company Name, Website, and
Company Phone. (Send me your info drmendbone@aol.com)

Rotarian Terri Ellis - Residential Mortgages terris@centerstatebank.com (305)588-5348

Rotarian Richard Glosser-Orthopedic Surgery- www.Homesteadbones.com (305)248-6311

Rotarian Bill Thibault - Custom Auto www.greatpotentialautocenter.com

Rotarian Louis R Melara, CCIM, ALC - Commercial, Agricultural, and Residential Real
Estate for The Keyes Company - www.louismelara.keyes.com - (305)281-9472

Rotarian Philippe Mazure, DC - Homestead Chiropractic Clinic - www.homesteadchiro.com

- (305)247-2804

Rotarian Phil Marracchini, - Phil's Berry Farm, home of Red Barn Estates - www.philsberryfarm.com and www.redbarnestate.com - (305) 905-2284

Rotarian Anna R Alvarez - Private Spanish Tutoring - anna.r.alvarez@gmail.com (786) 280-2328)

South Dade Community Links

If any links throughout the bulletin don't seem to work with routine left clicks, try right mouse click which may allow you to open the link in a new window.

Redlandview.org/events/

SouthDadeChamber.org/

HomesteadCenterfortheArts.org/

[Old Town Hall Museum](http://OldTownHallMuseum)

New/Events From Our Interact Clubs

Where Clubs Meet in District 6990

District 6990 Meetings at: <http://rotary6990.org/index.php/club-locations/>

Also Worldwide Club Finder for Rotary Internation: <https://www.rotary.org/en/get-involved/rotary-clubs>
