



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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Events and Speakers

No Events found

Birthdays

Anna Rita Alvarez
October 8th
Dennis Maytan
October 10th
Louis R. Melara
October 11th

Years of Service

Robert S. Harris
11-01-1979
41 Years
Michael J. Marcus
11-01-1988
32 Years
Erik D. Tietig
11-15-2000

Call to Order

September 16, 2020

President Roxanne Jeghers called the Rotary meeting to order, in person and on ZOOM at 12:15 pm. Twelve Rotarians in-person with one guest and two Rotarians on ZOOM with the speaker.



Rotary Club of Homestead Stone Crab and Seafood Festival

By Richard S. Glosser



4th ANNUAL HOMESTEAD (We're Hoping)
STONE CRAB &
SEAFOOD FESTIVAL

Saturday February 27, 2021 11 am - 8 pm
Sunday February 28, 2021 11 am to 5 pm
Homestead Sports Complex
1601 SE 28th Ave, Homestead 33035

[Homestead Rotary Website Link](#)

[Homestead Rotary Facebook Page](#)

Invocation/Pledge/Song

INVOCATION by Phil Mazure

PLEDGE led by Tom Jones

12 members present + one guest; two members by ZOOM and speaker Peter Putnam

BIRTHDAYS: No Birthdays this week.

Introductions/Guest/Visiting Rotarians



Sunnyhills Nusing Home crowd on August 19th visited by Rotarians!

Announcements

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

The past Area Governor of the Grand Bahama Island Rotary sent an email followin gup on Hurricane Dorian relief in 2019-2020. Dorian was the worst hurricane in Bahamian history as a category 5 with 220 mph winds and 23 foot storm surges, "wrecking havoc on the second and third revenue-producing islands in the Bahamas. Past Governor Knowles praised Rotary District 6990's response - EIGHT containers of everything imaginable went to the islands immediately. The Robbin's Fund ultimately sent \$600,000 in direct relief from District clubs and around the world. Corporate Rotary partners gave another \$900,000. In all, repairs were made to more than 600 homes with Rotary relief monies. An additional \$184,000 was made as a Global Grant to repair 115 fishing boats, burying new boat engines. The Bahamas thanked Rotary Districts 6990 as well as 6970 and 7020 for all the substantial aid to recover from Hurricane Dorian.

CITY NEWS:

Rotarian Mayor Steve Losner talked about the Planning & Zoning meeting and tentative approval for "a large retail warehousing facility" that could ultimately bring 500 jobs to Homestead. Land to the south of the Speedway is to be developed. City approvals are on the September 23 Council agenda, along with the final budget hearing.



Sunnyhill residents with student 'Well Wishes', August 2020

Today's Speaker/Program

Peter Putnam has had a remarkable career including four graduate degrees and the chance to travel around the world. He is Louie Melara's "1st cousin once removed". Putnam most recently retired after teaching High School English courses for 21 years near his home in California. A gifted speaker, Putnam chose as his topic "Ethics", or more precisely, "lost without a compass". He raised several thoughtful issues and made reference to familiar writings to amplify his points. Putnam joined the Homestead Rotary meeting via ZOOM from his home near Oakland, California. [Read More](#)

Presentations

PRESENTATIONS:

Join the ZOOM Meeting with this link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83768715337?pwd=Zmdhb050TjBvWUJQNUJ3U2ZkdWlpUT09>

Meeting ID: 837 6871 5337

Password: 457708

[Read More](#)

Happy Dollars

Happy Dollars:

President Roxanne asked for Happy Dollars; Phil Mazure, Dale Machesic, Tom Jones, Manny Romero and Phil Marraccini responded. Rotarians can contribute to Club fellowship just by volunteering personal Good News!



Sunnyhills Nursing Home friend, age 101!

Today's Raffle

No Raffle this week

Fines

Fines : No fines today in absence of Sgt. at Arms.



Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 1:02 pm with recitation of the Four Way Test.

Next meeting: Wednesday Sept 23 at 12:15 pm. Capri opened its indoor facilities and ZOOM still available.



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[Where Clubs Meet in District 6990](#)

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

Also Worldwide Club Finder at Rotary International website for history, causes, programming, news, and membership issues (like Club Finder):
<https://www.rotary.org/en/get-involved/rotary-clubs>