



October 27th, 2016

Pledge was led by Rick Zurich and the prayer was offered by John Gonzalez.

Announcements

John Gonzalez coordinated a community donation to the Rotary Club of the Grand Bahamas. A local member of the community is providing \$2,000 to purchase foodstuffs for survivors of Hurricane Matthew. Members of our club added \$450. It will be wired to the Rotary Club on Monday by our Foundation.

Be A Tourist in Stuart.

Chris announced we had 55 tickets sold and we still had a lot of outstanding tickets. John Gonzalez announced that he had sold 3 and Sue announced she had just sold 5! Keep up the good work!

Air Show Tickets up for Auction!

We have 2 VIP Tickets and a VIP parking pass for the Airshow on the 5^{th} or 6^{th} . Opening bid is \$100. Call $\underline{772-323-1091}$ to bid. Bidding closes at 9 p.m. on Sunday.

Nominating Committee

Past President Sue Whittington will be chairing the nominating committee for 2017-2018 chairs and officers. Other past presidents serving with Sue are, Jenny Esler, Rick Zurich Dave Shoaf, and John Fedorek.

Happy and Sad

Dr. Brian's question of the day was what is the largest Rotary Club in the world? You probably guessed it – The Seattle Rotary Club with 642 members!

Keith had a happy buck for his new grandson in Cincinnati! John Gonzalez had a great time at his 40th High School Class reunion. (Some people remembered him from grade school!) Jane Mills attended her 65threunion!, Paul and Brenda had a happy buck for their wedding which was last Friday! Jim Taylor had happy bucks for the Penn State and the Eagles wins. Sue had a happy buck for the love of a six year old granddaughter. Rusty returned from Vermont and informed us that he and Kathy are moving back to the "Cold, Cold North" to be closer to their 11 grandchildren next Spring.

Thanks to all the Rotarians who helped distribute Dictionaries this month! The notes from the kids and the comments from the teachers are well worth the effort!

Port Salerno Ghost Tours

In honor of Halloween, Sue arranged for a visit by the two members of the staff of Mesmerized Paranormal Investigations. Trish Memer and Beth Mazzouccolo have been chasing spirits in South Florida for the last 10 years. They have investigated hauntings in homes, businesses and historical landmarks. Using dowsing rods, Electro Magnetic Field devices and other tools they track down and identify spirits and strange goings-on

They have found 3 key spirits hanging around Port Salerno - Pompano Chuck, Blueberry Pete and Dirty Freddy. Others may appear in the mists or be heard in areas identified as being near a vortex or residual energy.

The hour long tours are held in Port Salerno every Saturday night and last about an hour. Cost is \$15 per person. You walk to different locations during the tour so bring your walking shoes.

There are several good paranormal novels written for young adults by local author and paranormal researcher Patrick Mesmer . He authored the paranormal story of "Pirate Santos". His 4th book is " Ghost of the Treasure Coast" and will be published this Spring.

For more info please call the Port Salerno Ghost Tours at 772-223-5482.

50-50 was sold by Hap Mills and won by Jane Mills!