



Pinellas Park Rotary - District # 6950
Thursday September 5th 2019—12:15
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This Week's Agenda:

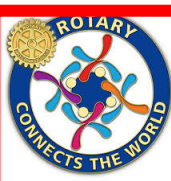
- ☼ Pledge of Allegiance
- ☼ Singing of *God Bless America* or *Let There Be Peace on Earth*
- ☼ Rotary Prayer: **Jimmy Hammond & Jim Fikkert**
- ☼ Rotarian & Guest Introductions: **Cory Krauss & Doug Oppenheimer**
- ☼ Sergeant at Arms Announcements: **Tom Stewart & Kevin Krauss**

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Trivia Questions:

1. The Bahamas are a territory of which nation?
2. What group sang “Louie, Louie”?
3. What U.S. President served the longest time in office?
4. What U. S. President served the shortest time in office?
5. What U. S. President was both the 22nd and 24th President?
6. How many U. S. Presidents have died in office?
7. What former First Lady was related to two U. S. Presidents?
8. How many times has President Donald Trump been married?
9. How many children does he have?



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Upcoming Programs & Events:

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| Sept 12th | Don Higgins P/C |
| Sept 14th | Ronald McDonald Breakfast |
| Sept 19th | Students of the Month |
| Sept 26th | District Governor visit |
| Sept 28th | Special Olympics Bowling at Seminole Lanes |
| Oct 1st | Board Meeting |

Missed Last Week:

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| Wendy Sideri | Hope Peterson |
| Dr. Pal Nanda | Jerry Krauss |
| Jana Vrettos | Josh Astarita |
| Chris Patel | Barbara MacKellar |
| Starlyn Fikkert | Phil England |
| Yvonne Fay | Jim Fikkert |
| Jerry Wennlund | Tami Scheele |
| Chantel Wonder | Jeff MacKellar |

Rotarian Birthdays:

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| Dr. Pal Nanda..... | 7/19 |
| Jerry Krauss..... | 9/10 |

Club Anniversaries:

Starlyn Fikkert.....8/14.....5 Yrs

Wedding Anniversaries:

Jana & Louie Vrettos.....7/02.....14 Yrs

Rotary connects the World!

This Week's Program:

Program Chairman Cory Krauss is working with Tami Scheele and Jana Vrettos to set up our Rotaract Group. His presentation will be information on Rotaract



Next Week's Program:

Program Chairman Don Higgins is also in the process of arranging a presentation of great interest to everyone.



September is Rotary Literacy Month:

Assistant Governor Troy Willingham suggested that we consider having members sign up for the Great American Teach-In (GATI) scheduled for November 11, 2019.

Sign up at: <https://www.pcsb.org/Page/22016>

Upcoming Meeting:

September 5th —After Meeting

Partnership Committee:

Jim Fikkert (Director in Charge);

Members: Barbara Todd MacKellar, Jeff MacKellar, Yvonne Fay

Groups:

Pinellas Park Chamber; Ronald McDonald House; St. Pete College scholarships; Girls, Inc.; Boys & Girls Club; Pinellas Hope; DHHS Interact Club; Ready For Life; Pinellas County Sheriff's Office Child Protection Investigation Division; plus any others added during the year.

Last Week's Program:

Program Chairman Joe Kolodziej introduced Pinellas Park Police Officer **Jason Gatti**, who frequently presents talks on the subjects of Crime Prevention and Active Shooter Preparedness, his most requested presentation. For our meeting, he gave a timely presentation on Hurricane Readiness and Preparation. Officer Gatti provided a "When Disaster Strikes" guide for emergency management and homeland security situations, as well as a Hurricane Readiness Guide.



World Polio Day

October 24, 2019

Thousands of Rotary clubs around the world will hold events and fundraisers to recognize our progress in the global fight end polio.



Details at <https://www.endpolio.org>

Ronald McDonald House Breakfast Saturday, Sept 14th, 2019 7:30am

Yvonne Fay has secured another date for a **Ronald McDonald House Breakfast**.

If you are available to bring food for the breakfast and participate in this community service project, please sign up with **Yvonne**.



Happy Events - by Janet Waddell

Tom Stewart: He will be happy to be the CART chair for our club. Joe Kolodziej has a huge water bottle full of coins that he would like to donate to CART. Kevin Krauss will store the huge water jar and Theresa Pinnix will start wrapping the coins.

Theresa Pinnix: Happy that David asked her to lead the Pledge of Allegiance and not the singing of the “God Bless America” today!

Don Higgins: Happy that the Gators won the game last week against Miami.

Kevin Krauss: Happy to say that his mom, Joan Krauss’, surgery went well today to fix three compression fractures in her back. Time will tell if it works.

David Sideri: Happy to be here today.

Richard Breske: Happy to be dry this week, but if we are not dry next week, he is keeping a bar of soap in his back pocket.

Joe Kolodziej: Sorry that Kenneth City Police Chief Riley is not here today because of the impending storm, but glad he was able to get Pinellas Park Officer, James Gati, to come in at the last minute to speak to our club.

Ken Bray: Happy to say that his grandson now has a job. However, now his grandson is looking for a reasonable place to live, if anyone knows of any places for rent.

Jim Plunkett: Happy that his wife, Linda, is at a Cancer Survivor event in Orlando

David Allen: Glad that the UF Gators beat Miami this past week.

Doug Oppenheimer: As a graduate of both Miami and UF, he was happy to say that ONE of his alma mater teams won!

Kenny Krauss: Happy to be back bowling again after a six-month sabbatical. He went and rolled one game yesterday and hopes to be able to come back for the Fall league.

Janet Waddell: Happy to have hubby, Mike, here at lunch with her today. Exactly 49 years ago today, at this time of day, they were being announced as husband and wife at their wedding reception.

Words of Wisdom

“People who work together will win.”

Vince Lombardi

Club Buddies

David Allen	Richard Breske
Chantel Wonder	Jim Fikkert
Jana Vrettos	Theresa Pinnix
Wendy Sideri	Starlyn Fikkert
David Sideri	Cory Krauss
Janet Waddell	Joe Minarik
Tom Stewart	Kevin Krauss
Doug Oppenheimer	Harry Alchin
Kenny Krauss	Hope Peterson
Christine Patel	Jim Plunkett
Ken Bray	Don Higgins
Buddy Brown	Jeff MacKellar
Joe Kolodziej	Phil England
Jimmy Hammond	Tami Scheele
Jerry Krauss	Yvonne Fay
Paul Scheele	Dr Pal Nanda
Barbara MacKellar	Josh Astarita
Jerry Wennlund	
h Sandy Donaghy	h Donna Cloud
h Dolores Caunitz	h Carolyn Burns

50/50 Winner: Theresa Pinnix won the prize for \$10. and donated it back to the club. Grand Jackpot starts at \$216.

