

Happy Events: by Janet Waddell

Joe Minarik: Happy his daughter, Holly, took him to breakfast on Father's Day.

Cory Krauss: Happy his wife, Katelyn's family is in town.

Kevin Krauss: Happy he bought a new boat.

Jerry Krauss: Happy that Kevin and Mary Ann took them for a ride on the new boat.

Kenny Krauss: Happy his granddaughter, Kailey, found a job now that she has moved back to town.

David Allen: Happy to have the District Governor, Allen Collins, with us today for our 100% Club Paul Harris Fellows award! Happy also to have District Foundation Chair, Mike Chapman, on **Zoom** with us today.

Allen Collins: Happy to be back visiting with his original Rotary Club where it all began.

Richard Breske: Happy to have his wife, **Bevie**, here today. She is celebrating another anniversary of her 39th Birthday tomorrow!

Jeff MacKellar: Happy to have his family visiting again this week.

Barbara MacKellar: Enjoying having Jeff's wonderful family visiting with them.

Theresa Lynn Collins: Happy for all of the incoming officers for Rotary Clubs and for the District and hopes they all have a great year.

Another Lexophile

Huge fight at a Seafood Restaurant,
Battered Fish Everywhere!

From the June Rotarian:

"As Covid-19 reached around the globe, we found ourselves in a world transformed. We have been forced to connect in ways we could never have imagined, testing our ability to adapt."

Mark Daniel Maloney
President, Rotary International
2019-20



Words of Wisdom

"We gain the strength of
the temptation we resist"

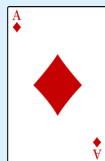
Ralph Waldo Emerson

Club Buddies

Harry Alchin	Jeff MacKellar
Jim Andrew	Richard Breske
Theresa Pinnix	Kenny Krauss
David Sideri	Cory Krauss
Jim Plunkett	Christine Patel
Janet Waddell	Joe Minarik
Jerry Krauss	Yvonne Fay
Phil England	Joe Kolodziej
Tami Scheele	Jimmy Hammond
Jim Fikkert	Chantel Wonder
Ken Bray	Don Higgins
Tom Stewart	Kevin Krauss
David Allen	Starlyn Fikkert
Paul Scheele	Nhi Nguyen/Alex Cruz
Josh Astarita	Barbara MacKellar
Wendy Sideri	Jerry Wennlund
	H - Dr Paul Nanda
H - Donna Cloud	H - Sandy Donaghy
H - Carolyn Burns	H - Dolores Caunitz

Weekly 50 / 50

Harry Alchin won last week's \$8 prize and donated it back to the club. The Jackpot will start at \$224 next week.
The Ace of Diamonds will win it!



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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, Alex Cruz, Jim Fikkert**
- ✻ Sergeant-at-Arms Announcements: **Kevin Krauss, David S & Phil E**

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Trivia Questions:

1. In what country is the Great Bear Lake located?
2. In what city was the Bill of Rights written?
3. What quarterback threw the most interceptions in a Super Bowl?
4. What baseball pitcher threw the fastest pitch ever officially recorded?
5. The highest waves in the world are found in which ocean?
6. Mount Tate is located on which Continent?

Upcoming Programs & Events:

July 9th	Jim Andrew P/C
July 16th	Alex Cruz P/C
July 23rd	Jerry Krauss P/C
July 30th	Jim Fikkert P/C
Aug 4th	Tom's First Board Meeting
Aug 6th	Jeff MacKellar P/C
Aug 13th	Chantel Wonder P/C
Aug 20th	Jimmy Hammond P/C

Guests of Rotarians:

Bevie Breske Richard Breske

Visiting Rotarians:

Mike Chapman..Rotary 6950 Foundation Chair
Allen Collins.... Rotary 6950 District Governor
Theresa Lynn Collins ... St Petersburg West

Rotarian Birthdays

Jerry Wennlund7/171 yrs
Joe Minarik7/675 yrs

Wedding Anniversaries:

Jerry & Cheryl Wennlund.... 6/10 ...15 yrs
Josh & Stephanie Astarita7/713 yrs

Missed Last Week:

Wendy Sideri	Jerry Wennlund
Joe Kolodziej	David Sideri
Josh Astarita	Jim Fikkert
Jim Hammond	Ken Bray
Starlyn Fikkert	Theresa Pinnix
Phil England	Chantel Wonder
Paul Scheele	Tami Scheele
Alex Cruz	

Red Skelton's tips for a Happy Marriage

My wife told me the car wasn't running well because there was water in the carburetor.
I asked where the car was.
She told me, "In the Lake".

Rotary Opens Opportunities!

Last Week's Program:

Club President David Allen presided over his final Club Assembly as he completed his year as President, transferring the Gavel to incoming President **Tom Stewart**.



District 6950 Foundation Chair Mike Chapman, who attended via *Zoom*, and **2019-20 District Governor Allen Collins**, who attended in person, presented our club with a



100% Paul Harris Fellows Banner, and recognized **Harry Alchin** and **Richard & Bevie Breske** as **Major Donor Club Members**. A special thank you to all of them for their generosity to Rotary. David presented his



Power Point recap of his last quarter as President. Most of the last quarter was held on *Zoom* which allowed us to host speakers from all over the world, literally. We had a speaker, Kaanaeli Kanuya, live from Africa, at one meeting, and we were joined by former Youth Exchange Student, Marie Hacker, from Germany at two others.

This Week's Program:

2020 - 2021 Pinellas Park Rotary Club President, Tom Stewart, will host his first meeting as our current year President. We will also continue to have our Hybrid meetings, hosted by **Don Higgins**, as we include our *Zoom* attendees at the in-person meetings. We look forward to a fun-filled year as our long-time Sergeant-at-Arms takes over the reins for his second term as President! (First was 2004-05)



This Week's Program:

Program Chairman Jim Andrew will introduce his Granddaughter, **Jennifer Stowers**, a *Speech Language Pathologist Mentor for Pinellas County Schools*. Her office and direct case load is at Bauder Elementary School, where she supports students with disabilities from 3 years of age though students in the Fifth Grade. Additionally, she provides development and support to the 140+ Speech Language Pathologists in our county, as well as their Specialized Services Department.



CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR ROTARIANS OF THE YEAR!



President David Allen presented two **Rotarian of the Year** awards. One was presented to **Harry Alchin** for his work behind the scenes and for his dedication to Rotary. The other award was presented to **Don Higgins** who has gone above and beyond this year, setting up a new website, and working with David to set up and run weekly *Zoom* meetings.



Paul Harris Lottery

Rotarian **Joe Minarik** held our quarterly *Paul Harris Lottery* drawing last week. **Don Higgins** was the Lucky Winner who earned a **\$1000 Paul Harris Fellow**. Thanks to the other nine entrants, **Tom Stewart**, **Cory Krauss**, **Jeff MacKellar**, **David Sideri**, **David Allen**, **Tami Scheele**, **Harry Alchin**, **Yvonne Fay** and **Janet Waddell**, who made a \$140 donation. \$100 will go to each entrants' credit. The other \$40 from the 9 "losers" along with Don's \$140 and the Club's matching \$500 will provide the funds needed. Joe reported that over the last **26 years of holding our lottery**, our club has donated **\$186,200 to RI** for the Paul Harris Fellows Foundation.

