

**Happy Events: ..... March 31, 2022**

**Sally Hervey:** Great Rotarians, Great Bowl-a-thon  
**Phil England:** Happy to have paid off their camper today. Happy to be going to the last week of the Renaissance Festival.

**Yvonne Fay:** Happy \$17. Thanks to all for the hard work on the Bowl-a-thon. She enjoyed a weekend with son and granddaughter at Disney. Welcome Carolyn Burns back. Happy to be here today.

**Carolyn Burns:** Wow, what a great bowl-a-thon. Don't remember ever having 108 raffle prizes. Great job!

**Joe Minarik:** Happy the Bowl-a-thon went well. Thanks to all who made it happen.

**Chantel Wonder:** Happy for the successful Bowl-a-thon and happy to see Carolyn at the Bowl-a-thon and again today.

**Theresa Pinnix:** Thanks to Pete who took pics of the Golden Gate teams. Thanks to all who helped her with set-up for the bowl-a-thon raffle area, Chris, Tami, Janet and Mike. Happy to have the Students of the Month here today.

**Jeff MacKellar:** Congrats to the Students of the Month.

**David Allen:** Happy to be here today.

**Ken Bray:** Happy to see his old friend, Carolyn Burns, here today. He knows he sold more 50/50 tickets than Tom Stewart, but Tom sold both of the winning tickets!

**Janet Waddell:** Happy to see Carolyn here today and happy to have Wanda here as her new prospective member.

**Wanda Clevenger:** Blessed to be here today and looking forward to being a Rotarian where she can help the community.

**Steve White (Hollins):** Always look forward to each month coming to Rotary for Students of the Month.

**Kenny Krauss:** Happy to be of help at the Bowl-a-thon. They found something he could do - Guard the Money at the Raffles sales table.

**Christine Patel:** Thanks to Theresa for donating all of those wonderful baskets for the Bowl-a-thon.

**Cory Krauss:** Opened up his son's first bank acct at Regions

**Jerry Krauss:** Welcome to Wanda. Thanks to Theresa, Chris and all for a great Bowl-a-thon. Only 48 teams and made as much money as when 58 teams!

**Tom Stewart:** Great job on Bowl-a-thon. \$29,000+

**Debra Ellis-Abney:** Happy to have made the Bowl-a-thon and to be here today on *Zoom*.

**Lexophiles**

What do you call a dude who loves making jokes?  
**A Wise Quaker!**

**Words of Wisdom**

**“As I hurtled through space, one thought kept crossing my mind. Every part of this rocket was supplied by the lowest bidder!”**

**John Glenn**

**Club Buddies**

Chantel Wonder	Janet Waddell
Harry Alchin	Jeff MacKellar
Jim Andrew	Richard Breske
Theresa Pinnix	Kenny Krauss
David Sideri	Cory Krauss
Jim Plunkett	Christine Patel
Joe Minarik	Debra Ellis Abney
Caitlyn Peacock	Yvonne Fay
Phil England	Bob Kelzer
Tami Scheele	Jimmy Hammond
Jim Fikkert	Tim Hammond
Ken Bray	Don Higgins
Tom Stewart	Kevin Krauss
David Allen	Starlyn Fikkert
Paul Scheele	Alex Cruz / Nhi N.
Barb MacKellar	Wren / Brian
Wendy Sideri	Josh Astarita
Jerry Krauss	
	h-Priscilla Kolodziej
h-Dr Paul Nanda	h-Jerry Wennlund
h-Donna Cloud	h-Sandy Donaghy
h-Carolyn Burns	h-Dolores Caunitz

**50 / 50**

**Joe Minarik** won last week's prize for \$13 and donated it back to the club. The grand jackpot starts today at \$449.00 The card to draw is the Ace of Diamonds.



**Pinellas Park Rotary - District # 6950**  
**Thursday April 7, 2022—12:15 P.M.**  
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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 Intro's **Cory Krauss, Alex Cruz & Jim Fikkert**
- ☀ Sergeant at Arms Announcements: **Tom Stewart, Kevin K, David S.**

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**Trivia Questions:**

1. **What type of moustache did Hitler wear?**
2. **What was the name of the movie documentary about Ben Carson?**
3. **Excluding Alaska, what state has the farthest northern point in the US?**
4. **Where will the 2024 Summer Olympics be held?**
5. **By population, what is the largest city in the world?**
6. **In the United States, how many fluid ounces are in a cup?**

**Wedding Anniversaries:**

Jim and Starlyn Fikkert .....3/13 ..... 12 Years  
 David And Linda Allen .....4/10 ..... 40 Years

**Visiting Rotarian:**

Pete Hervey ..... Oscoda, MI  
 Carolyn Burns ..... Honorary

**Guests of Rotarians:**

Sally Hervey ..... Pete Hervey  
 Wanda Clevenger ..... Janet Waddell

**Rotarian Birthdays:**

Jim Andrew ..... January 24th

**Club Anniversaries:**

Jim Andrew ..... 2/20 ..... 2 Years  
 Phil England ..... 4/3 ..... 19 Years

**Upcoming Programs & Events**

<b>Apr 12th</b>	<b>Board Mtg - Seminole Lanes</b>
<b>Apr 14th</b>	<b>Debra Ellis-Abney P/C</b>
<b>Apr 16th</b>	<b>R McD House Dinner</b>
<b>Apr 21st</b>	<b>Students of the Month</b>
<b>Apr 28th</b>	<b>LAW DAY with KIWANIS</b>
<b>May 3rd</b>	<b>Sanders School Students</b>
<b>May 3rd</b>	<b>Board Meeting - Allen Ind</b>
<b>May 5th</b>	<b>Students of the Month</b>
<b>May 11th</b>	<b>Lockheed Martin Tour</b>
<b>May 12th</b>	<b>Phil England P/C</b>
<b>May 19th</b>	<b>HEROES AWARD LUNCH</b>
<b>May 26th</b>	<b>Yvonne Fay P/C</b>
<b>Jun 2nd</b>	<b>Jim Fikkert P/C</b>

**Missed Last Week:**

Wendy Sideri	David Sideri
Jim Andrew	Richard Breske
Kevin Krauss	Jim Plunkett
Starlyn Fikkert	Josh Astarita
Jim Fikkert	Caitlyn Peacock
Don Higgins	Alex Cruz
Wren Krahl	Tami Scheele
Barbara MacKellar	

**Questions to Ponder!**

How do you turn soup into gold?  
**Add 24 Carrots!**

**Serve to Change Lives**

### This Week's Program:

**Program Chairperson Alex Cruz** will introduce a representative from *CASA Domestic Violence Services*, a non-profit organization dedicated to helping combat against all forms of domestic violence through advocacy, prevention, intervention, and support services.



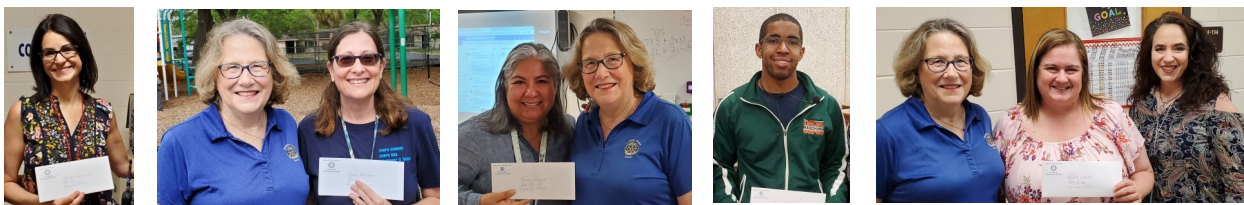
### Next Week's Program:

**Program Chairperson Debra Ellis-Abney** will present **Margaret Faulker** from *Dignity Memorial*. Margaret is in the Family Services Department and will talk about the importance of pre-planning and about *Dignity Memorial's* involvement in the community



### Teacher / Speaker Checks

Janet Waddell along with Volunteer Coordinator, **LoriAnn DiPenta**, delivered checks to five *Rawlings Elementary* Teachers last week. Congratulations to: **Christine Georgiadis-4th Gr; Heidi Fletcher - Pre-K; Fanny Bryant- 2nd Gr; Xavier Allen-Reddick - Music; & Richele Clark - 2nd Gr.**



### Upcoming Events—Save the Dates:

#### Rotary On The Road—Fun & Fellowship - District Conference

Sunday April 10th 10am - 2pm Eagle Lake Park 1800 Keene Road, Largo

Register at <https://rotary6950districtconference.eventbrite.com>

\$25 (see flyer) Guests are \$10 or bring 3lbs of protein food

#### Ronald McDonald House Dinner

**Yvonne has scheduled a Dinner on Saturday April 16th. She will have a sign-up sheet the first week of April. We will also be delivering 20 Easter Baskets for the children that day.**

#### Law Day with Kiwanis

Join us to celebrate Law Day as we host our joint meeting Thursday, April 28th here at Banquet Masters.

#### R L Sanders School Students of the Month - March & April

Please join us to celebrate with their students at the School, 5025 76th Ave N, on Tuesday May 3rd from Noon to 1pm.

#### Lockheed Martin Facility Tour

Wed May 11th 1 - 3pm 9300 28th St N Sign up with Chantel.



### Last Week's Program:

**Anastaija Pagano** is a senior at *Hollins High School* enrolled in Cambridge, Avid, and the Capstone Programs. She has a 4.18 WGPA and is ranked 36 out of 329 students. She has been involved in Student Council for all four years of high school, serving as Vice-President her Freshman year, and President her Sophomore through Senior years. A member of the Varsity Swimming Team all four years, she served as Captain her Junior and Senior years. She has also served as Secretary for the National Honors Society in her Junior & Senior years. Anastaija also enjoys the American Sign Language Honors Society where she has improved her hand speaking skills on a much deeper level. With the N H S, she enjoys doing beach and park cleanups, and blood drives. She volunteers at the *9 Lives Kitten Shelter* on Saturdays, and at *Feeding Tampa Bay* on Wednesdays. At school, she helps at their food pantry, and volunteers as the Jury Foreman within their *Teen Court Legal Diversionary Program*. She loves her job at Publix, she loves the beach, and enjoys visiting her favorite flea market in Oldsmar. Her favorite TV shows are ones with the study of anatomy like *Botched* and *Greys Anatomy*. She has been accepted at the *University of North Florida* and will major in bio-medical sciences, leading to her career goal of owning her own private practice of reconstructive plastic surgery. To make a difference, she would like to change the mindset of the world, making them more kind, She would also encourage others to believe that no matter what anyone says to you, you can do anything you put your mind to.



**Vo'shawn Baker** is a Senior in the Avid program at *Hollins High School*. He has been in the *Save The Promise* and the *Interact Club* all four years in high school, serving as President for both clubs for two years. He is actively recruiting new members to take over when he graduates. He has promoted a *Chill Lax Party* to meet new friends, *kindness grams* to brighten a person's day, a fundraiser to help pediatric cancer patients, and he encourages others to be an upstander, not a bystander! In his Junior year, he set a personal goal to become a state qualifier in wrestling. He accomplished his goal, and made it to the State Finals. He placed 5th at the state tournament. His goal in his senior year was to get his 100th win of his high school career. He finished his Senior wrestling season with a record of 44-7 with a high school career record, finishing 127-19. He also placed 5th again at the State tournament. He was awarded the *Martin Luther King Award* for his work in promoting peace and nonviolent problem solving among young people. He also won the National "*Start with Hello*" contest for the *Sandy Hook Foundation* with his poetry slam on what it means to "*Start with Hello*". He would like to spend an afternoon with Dr Martin Luther King Jr. to thank him for granting him the opportunity to be the young man Vo'shawn is today. He plans to attend Penn State to study business, to start up a family business managing group homes and helping families that need housing.

**Joseph Natal** is an Avid Senior at *Pinellas Park High School* with a WGPA of 4.3. He is a member of the Key Club who enjoys volunteering at Pinellas Park High School by tutoring fellow students after school in math subjects, specifically Pre-Calculus. Doing this makes one think of different ways to explain a process or problem since one student might not understand it the same way another does. It is also a great feeling when the people you helped, come back and say they did good on their tests. He also volunteers at Helen Howarth Park doing concession for Little League games. In his free time, he loves going to the gym, usually 5-6 times a week. Going to the gym has greatly helped his confidence and his physical health. He will be attending college at USF and plans to study Civil Engineering. If he could have dinner with anyone, it would be his mom who passed away 2 years ago. He would like to tell her how great he and his younger sisters are doing, that they are safe and have great people helping them.

**Caleb Reuter** is a senior at *Pinellas Park High School* in the Criminal Justice Academy who holds a WGPA of 3.8. Outside of school, he volunteers as a coach for a little league football team in the Pinellas Park Thunderbirds program. While coaching, he mentors children ages 10-13 years old. He also loves to play football, workout at the gym, and play video games. His favorite football team is the Chicago Bears. He works as a shift leader for a Dunkin' Donuts in the Pinellas Park area. After graduation, he plans to join the US Army as an intelligence analyst. After a stint in the Army, he would like to be an NFL General Manager for a football club. If he could spend time or have dinner with anyone, he would choose to spend time with former Chicago Bears linebacker, Brian Urlacher. He chose Brian's jersey number for his own during his playing years, as Brian is his favorite player of all time.