

Happy Events: April 14, 2022

Theresa Pinnix: Happy to have her son, Aaron, over again. Before Covid, he used to be over all the time and many times with lots of his friends - up to 16 for dinner!

Tami Scheele: Happy to have enjoyed three days of District Traveling Conference - Amazing!

Yvonne Fay: Wishing everyone a very Happy Easter. Thanks to all who are helping with Ronald McD dinner.

Starlyn Fikkert: Happy \$ for Yvonne and for her work setting up the Ronald McDonald Dinner on Saturday.

Jim Fikkert: Just Happy to be here.

Wanda Clevenger: Also happy to be here again today.

Janet Waddell: Enjoyed the District Conference and had a great day in the Park in Largo.

Barbara MacKellar: Happy to have Janet in the club. She made last minute Heroes Award copies for her this morning.

Richard Breske: Happy \$2 - Glad to be back from GA. Left Sunday morning it was 42 degrees, GA/FL line it was up to 50 degrees, and a nice balmy 68 degrees when he got back home to Seminole.

David Sideri: Happy he will be 10 miles off the coast in his boat for Easter!

Joe Minarik: Happy to see his club buddy, Debra, here in person today instead of seeing her only on Zoom!

Tom Stewart: Thankful to be here alive and healthy.

Debra Ellis-Abney: Happy \$2 to be here in person and to have her friend and co-worker here today as our speaker.

Don Higgins: Happy to be back in person. He had nasal polyp removal surgery last week. Like a big wet vac for your nose!

Margaret Faulkner: Happy Don can breathe better today.

Jerry Krauss: Joan occasionally asks him where they will be buried. They have a "chair" (cremation bench) reserved at Dignity Memorial. Plans made years ago with Bruce Cloud.

Kenny Krauss: He just has a little "box" (urn)

Christine Patel: Has been bugging St Pete College about our funds in their Scholarship account to get them returned to us. She finally was told that a check will be cut on Monday. Believe it when she sees it! Also happy her daughter and son-in-law are having their house painted.

Kevin Krauss: From where he is standing, he sees the back of his Dad's head. He needs a haircut!

Lexophiles

I have a few jokes about unemployed people, but none of them work!

Words of Wisdom

"Life without Love is like a tree without blossoms or fruit!"

Khalil Gibran

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

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Barbara MacKellar won last week's prize for \$14 and donated it back to the club. The grand jackpot starts today at \$475.00. The card to draw is the Ace of Diamonds.



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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. Who holds the world record for most consecutive free throws?
2. What is the shortest hit song ever to reach Number 1?
3. What did Ukrainian President Zelensky do prior to being elected?
4. Who has won the most PWBA titles?
5. Who was Pro Boxing's the first ever Heavyweight Champion?
6. How many squares are there on a Scrabble board?

Wedding Anniversaries:

David And Linda Allen4/10 40 Years
Yvonne & Kevin Fay 4/17 18 Years

Visiting Rotarian:

Carolyn Burns Honorary

Guests of Rotarians:

Wanda Clevenger Janet Waddell

Rotarian Birthdays:

Jim Andrew January 24th

Club Anniversaries:

Jim Andrew 2/20 2 Years
Phil England 4/3 19 Years
Cory Krauss 4/14 3 Years

Serve to Change Lives

Apr 28th

May 3rd

May 3rd

May 5th

May 11th

May 12th

May 14

May 19th

May 26th

Jun 2nd

Jun 7th

Jun 9th

Jun 16th

Jun 23rd

Joint Meeting - LAW DAY with P P KIWANIS Club Sanders School Students

Board Meeting - Allen Ind Students of the Month

Lockheed Martin Tour

Phil England P/C

Sunset Cruise - Madeira Bch

HEROES AWARD LUNCH

Yvonne Fay P/C

Jim Fikkert P/C

Board Meeting - TBA

Tim Hammond P/C

Don Higgins P/C

Bob Kelzer P/C

Missed Last Week:

Wendy Sideri	David Allen
Jim Andrew	Cory Krauss
Jim Plunkett	Ken Bray
Josh Astarita	Phil England
Caitlyn Peacock	Wren Krahl
Chantel Wonder	Alex Cruz

Questions to Ponder!

What goes through towns, up and over hills, but doesn't move?

Roads!

Last Week's Program:

Program Chairperson Debra Ellis-Abney presented **Margaret Faulker** from *Dignity Memorial*. Margaret is in the Family Services Department and talked about the importance of pre-planning and about *Dignity Memorial's* involvement in the community. Margaret was born in So Florida, moved north for a few years and moved back to Pinellas County where she has worked for Dignity Memorial for eight years now. She has five children and one grand-child. She is involved with the Elks, is a Blue Star Mom, and enjoys Gardening. She stressed the need for pre-planning, to take the strain off of remaining family members at the time of a death. We should all have a plan in place as it will lock in today's prices and can be paid over time with a payment plan if desired. She handed out pre-planning guides for any who were interested. The current average funeral costs approximately \$10,000 and the current average cemetery lot is \$6,000.



Next Week's Program:

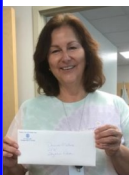


Join us at our annual Joint Law Day meeting next Thursday with our friends from the Pinellas Park Kiwanis Club. We will have an interesting Law Day program presented by Pinellas-Pasco Circuit Court Judge Keith Meyer



Skyview Elementary School Teacher Speaker Awards

Congratulations to Skyview Elementary Teachers **Denise Malone - VPK** and **Cristian Estruda-Roman - VPK** who each received a \$50 check for use in their Classroom



Upcoming Events—Save the Dates:

Law Day with Pinellas Park Kiwanis Club

Join us to celebrate Law Day as we host our joint meeting with Kiwanis Next Week, Thursday, April 28th here at Banquet Masters
Speaker is Pasco-Pinellas Circuit Court Judge, Keith Meyers



R L Sanders School Students of the Month - Feb, 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.



Sunset Cruise - Madeira Beach

Hubbard's Pier - Sat May 14th - Boat Boards promptly at 5pm.
\$35 per person includes cruise, food, beer and wine. Please let Starlyn Fikkert know by April 29th, if you will be joining in for the fun!

Lockheed Martin Facility Tour

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



This Week's Program:

Today we celebrate with the Students of the Month for April 2022



Allison Ramirez and Willesha Lee
Pinellas Park High School

and

Fernando Romero and Rowan Van Alsborg
Hollins High School.



Ronald McDonald House Dinner: Many thanks to **Yvonne Fay** who coordinated our Quarterly Dinner at R McD house this past Saturday. Thanks to Cooks, **Kevin Fay** and **Alex Cruz**, who braved the warm outdoors, and to the food prep crew, **Beverly & Richard Breske**, **Yvonne Fay** and **Janet Waddell**. Many thanks also to **Kevin Krauss**, **Chantel Wonder**, **Theresa Pinnix**, and **Pete & Sally Hervey** who donated items or \$\$\$ for the dinner. Our Club also purchased 20 Easter Baskets from *C2C Church's Ladies Group* who made baskets for their church fundraiser and we donated the baskets to the children at the Ronald McD Houses.

