Happy Events: by Tim Hammond

In Person:

Beverly Breske: Originally from Wisconsin, but now lives here so she's pulling for the *Packers* AND the *Bucs*. Also glad she got the COVID-19 vaccine.

Richard Breske: Happy to have helped on the Bowl-A-Thon mailout. He and Bevie went to *Mamas Kitchen* last week and the owner gave him four \$25 gift certificates AND \$100 check for the Bowl-A-Thon. The *Bucs* are now known as the "*Brady Bunch*".

Jim Plunkett: Happy the house closing is finally over.

Jeff MacKellar: He's an American Terrorist and GO BUCS.

Jimmy Hammond: Happy to be here. Tim Hammond: Happy to be here.

Joe Minarik: Thought he would be working for the new company for a year, but they bought him out with six months of pay and four weeks of vacation. Now he has to stay home with his wife. Not happy that Richard Breske beat him 2 out of 3 games of bowling on Tues Morning.

Tom Stewart: Happy the Bucs took care of the Saints.

Phil England: Happy for the *Bucs* win and very happy that his annual colonoscopy was scheduled for the Monday before, not the Monday after, the Super Bowl.

Cory Krauss: When he found out that Joe Minarik was out of work, he offered him a job, but he said no thanks!

Janet Waddell: Happy for the Bucs win!

Jim Fikkert: Happy to be here. **Jerry Krauss:** Happy to be here. Kenny Krauss: Happy to be here.

Starlyn Fikkert: Happy that one of her granddaughters is texting with her.

Alex Cruz: Not happy that he had to replace his pool pump. Yvonne Fav: Happy \$5 she survived COVID-19 last week. Thanks for the prayers. This Rotary group makes her happy.

Barbara MacKellar: Happy \$2 that she has a daughter that is so protective of her over 65-year-old mother. She made her an appointment for the COVID-19 vaccine in Orlando and drove her there for an 8pm appt and then drove her home.

Donna Cloud: Happy to be here and to get her first COVID-19 shot on Tuesday.

On ZOOM:

Don Higgins: Happy \$20 because it is his birthday!

Debra Ellis-Abney: Celebrating her birthday for the last few days. Wren Krahl: Happy for the peaceful transfer of the Presidency.

David Allen: Happy that Don Higgins helped him get on the **Zoom** call today.

Chantel Wonder: Happy to be here.

Ken Bray: Happy to be on **Zoom** today because he was kicked off last week.

Chris Patel: 1st – Happy her Mom, Joan, is now walking well with a steel rod in her hip. 2nd- Two year old grandson can sing the ABC song. 3rd – Youngest grandchild is six weeks old on Sunday and smiling.

Words of Wisdom

"Victory is always possible for the person who refuses to stop fighting."

Napoleon Hill

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
Jerry Krauss	Yvonne Fay
Phil England	Joe Kolodziej
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 Krahl / Sean S.
Wendy Sideri	Josh Astarita
	h-Dr Paul Nanda
h-Donna Cloud	h-Sandy Donaghy
h-Carolyn Burns	h-Dolores Caunitz

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Jerry Krauss won last week's prize of \$10 and donated it back to the club.



This week, the Ace of Hearts will win the Jackpot that starts at \$206.



Pinellas Park Rotary - District #6950 Thursday Jan 28th 2021—12:15 P.M. Volume #28 Edition 2020-2021



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: Kevin Krauss, David S. & Phil E.

Trivia Questions:

- 1. In what year did Hank Aaron break Babe Ruth's all-time Home Run record?
- 2. What was the Beatles' first # 1 hit?
- 3. What is the main gas that makes up the air that we breathe?
- 4. Who won the Oscar for Best Actress in 2020?
- 5. Who holds the record for most passing TDs in a Super Bowl?
- 6. What was the main reason that Benjamin Franklin never became **President of the United States of** America?

Visiting Rotarians:

Robert (Bob) Kelzer St Pete Downtown Donna Cloud Honorary Member

Club Anniversaries:

Rotarian Birthdays:

Another Lexophile

She was only a whiskey-maker, but he loved her still.



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Upcoming Programs & Events

Jan 30th Road Cleanup Jan 30th Meals on Wheels 4 Kids Feb 2nd **Board Meeting** Tami Scheele P/C Feb 4th Feb 11th Janet Waddell P/C Feb 18th **Students of the Month** Feb 25th Wren Krahl P/C Mar 2nd **Board Meeting** Mar 4th City of P P's Employee of Year

April 17th

Rotary Opens

Opportunities

BOWL-A-THON April 29th LAW DAY with KIWANIS

Guests of Rotarians:

Bevie Breske Richard Breske's wife

Missed Last Week:

Wendy Sideri Jim Andrew Joe Kolodziej David Sideri **David Allen Paul Scheele** Josh Astarita Theresa Pinnix **Kevin Krauss**

Ouestions to Ponder!

"Why do "tug" boats push their barges?"

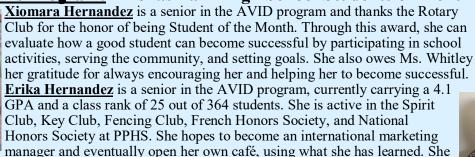
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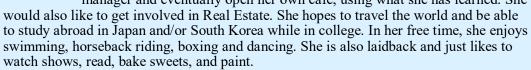
This Week's Program:

Program Chairperson Paul Scheele will introduce his wife, and fellow **Rotarian Tami Scheele**. Tami will present an informative program about President Tom Stewart's Grant project for the City of Pinellas Park's Barbara Ponce Library Technology Room. She will also talk about the Book Club that we will start up with the help of the Hollins High School Interact Club.



Last Week's Program: Pinellas Park High School Students of Month









Next Week's Program:

Program Chairperson Tami Scheele will introduce District 6950 Leader, and Lawyer, **Tim Schuler**, who will present a Powerpoint program on "Harassment".

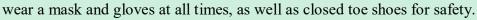


Mark Your Calendar!

Chairperson Phil England has set up a Rotary Road Cleanup for Saturday January 30th. We will meet at 6051 78th Ave N at 8am.



We will be volunteering again at **Meals on Wheels 4 Kids Saturday, <u>Jan 30th from 10am until noon-ish</u>. We have ten people signed up, but need two alternates. We will meet at Catherine Hickman Theatre, 5501 27th Ave So in Gulfport. Please**



2021 BOWL-A-THON

The 2021 Bowl-a-thon will be held at noon on Saturday April 17th at Seminole Lanes. Chantel will have a meeting THIS Sunday, Jan 31st, at 1pm at Seminole Lanes in the Lounge to discuss what we will be doing for the Raffles for those who want to be more involved in the planning, prep, and Covid strategies.



Students of the Month—R L Sanders School

Elementary:

<u>September</u>: Jareth Minyoung is continued his forward progress into this new school year and continues to have successful days at school. Jareth tries his best on academic assignments and is respectful towards his peers and adults. He encourages his peers in class to use their coping strategies and is always eager to participate in group counseling. <u>October</u>: Jermon Sampson is attending school virtually and is very successful doing so. He is focused and engaged 100% of the

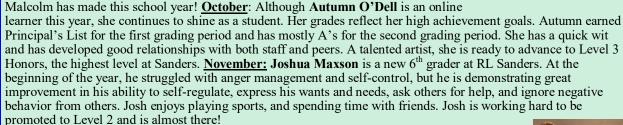
strategies and is always eager to participate in group counseling. October: Jermon Sampson is attending school virtually and is very successful doing so. He is focused and engaged 100% of the time. He is making progress in his reading and math content areas. Jermon is respectful and always willing to try without hesitation. Although they do not see Jermon face-to-face this school year, his sense of humor continues to brighten their days when interacting with him online. November: Keyen Gaines transitioned well to online learning and has demonstrated great success. He has completed all his classwork assignments and has increased his participation in all content areas. He is very respectful and is a hard worker. Learning in the online platform, Keyen has significantly increased his academic instruction time and improved his grades from F's to A's and B's.



<u>December/January</u>: Katarina Welsh is a thoughtful, sweet, and resilient student who is always willing to complete academic tasks, even when difficult. She tries her best in every subject and has excellent leadership skills. She frequently offers to help staff and her peers. Katarina has reached Level 3 Honors (highest accomplishment) on campus and has all A's and B's in her classes. She earns all of her points daily and encourages her peers to do the same. Katarina has big goals for her future and works daily to be her best to accomplish them.

Middle School:

September: Malcolm Danford is a smart and funny 7th grader who loves basketball and playing games with friends. This year, he has shown great progress academically and behaviorally. He is always on task and learning, a great role model for his classmates, and often encourages his peers to get back on task. Malcolm is learning new coping skills, and learning to trust others. We are so proud of the progress



December/January: Damien Chrismer, an online learner this year, has increased his participation in school and is very respectful toward staff and peers. Damien has improved his grades for the second grading period. Online, Damien is supportive of peers' efforts. Damien is future oriented, making plans to take extra classes to accelerate his graduation date.

HIGH SCHOOL:

September: Jakob Light has stayed engaged in learning while on-line and continues his success in-class this year. His grades are excellent. He has made improvements on his behavior, working to get along with staff and peers. He recently earned Level 3 and has turned his thoughts to re-integration. When Jakob does slip occasionally, he is quick to own up to his actions and make amends. Jakob sets a good example for other students. October: Robert Trout made the Honor Roll for the first Quarter of the school year. He actively participates in online classes, his behavior is good, and he shows a lot of enthusiasm for learning new things. He also has established positive relationships with staff and peers. November: James Peters started online and returned to campus for the second grading period. He tries hard to accomplish classroom tasks and has done well academically. He had all A's, B's, and 1 C for the 1st grading period and is on track for earning Principal's List for the second period. He is on track to complete his high school courses this year.

<u>December/January</u>: Taliyah Chance has improved her grades and behavior and has made a conscious effort to improve her academic performance so she can graduate in June. Taliyah has enthusiastically participated in school wide behavior programs and often asks how she is doing on her point sheets and her grades.