

**Happy Events ..... Janet Waddell In Person:**

**Joe Minarik:** Happy \$5 They celebrated his young wife's 75th birthday this past week and Go *Lightning!*

**Tom Stewart:** Happy \$5 for a great last board meeting on Tuesday. The *Break Room Bar and Grill* had Taco Tuesdays for 1/2 price and thanks to those who ordered Tacos since he picked up the tab.

**Phil England:** Happy \$ for the *Lightning* who are 2 & 0

**Christine Patel:** Happy to celebrate her daughter's birthday, but doesn't think she is old enough to have a daughter (Alex) who just turned 30!

**Jerry Krauss:** Has been looking for this pool leak for three months. Pool company says no leak just evaporation!. Was losing 1 1/2" per day. They finally found the leak around the light. He was right!

**Janet Waddell:** Hoping the Dr will fix Theresa's knee pain today so she can join us again at Rotary. She is missed.

**Yvonne Fay:** Happy \$ She is enjoying her above ground pool.

**Jim Plunkett:** Happy for the *Lightning*. Happy taking his Mom to the Dr.

**Alex Cruz:** Happy to have Becky as his guest speaker here today and his other guests, cousin Art and Speaker's hubby, Art. Also happy \$ to have finally fixed his sprinklers.

**David Allen:** He promised to take his son to a Hockey game this year. Finally able to make a game, unfortunately a Playoff Game. They are so expensive he only has one \$ left.

**Richard Breske:** Returning after Rotor cuff surgery. Happy to be here.

**Jim Andrew:** Returning after knee replacement surgery. Happy to be here.

**Starlyn Fikkert:** Also happy to be here.

**Jeff MacKellar:** Happy to see Joe and Jerry here today.

**David Sideri:** Happy \$5 as Phil England is using his Bowl-a-thon Raffle win and they will be going out on the boat fishing this weekend.

**Zoom attendees:**

Sorry Zoomers, the Sergeant-at-Arms forgot to ask!

**Another Lexophile**

Show me a piano falling down a mineshaft and I'll show you A-flat minor.

**Words of Wisdom**

**“Expect the things to which fate binds you, and love the people with whom fate brings together, but do so with all your heart.”**

**Marcus Aurelius**

**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    | 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 / Sean / Brian   |
| Wendy Sideri    | Josh Astarita         |
|                 | 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 50/50 for \$8 and donated it back to the club. Then he drew the Ace of Spades to win \$53! New jackpot with the Ace of Diamonds this week.



**Pinellas Park Rotary - District # 6950  
Thursday June 10, 2021—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: **Kevin Krauss, David S. & Phil E.**

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**Rotary Opens Opportunities**

**Trivia Questions:**

- 1. What is the world's largest spider?**
- 2. What NBA player has the most all-time assists?**
- 3. Who won the last America's Cup?**
- 4. What are the five basic types of chemical reactions?**
- 5. Who became a hero during the War of 1812?**
- 6. Who wrote and sang "American Pie"?**

**Upcoming Programs & Events**

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|------------------|---|
| <b>June 17th</b> | <b>Janet Waddell P/C</b>  |
| <b>June 18th</b> | <b>MOW4Kids Food</b>  |
| <b>June 24th</b> | <b>Packing Tom's Final Meeting /Club Assembly! Installation Banquet 6pm</b> |
| <b>June 26th</b> | <b>Yvonne Fay P/C</b>   |
| <b>July 1st</b>  | <b>Board Meeting</b>  |
| <b>July 6th</b>  | <b>Jim Fikkert P/C</b>  |
| <b>July 8th</b>  | <b>Debra Ellis-Abney P/C</b>  |
| <b>July 15th</b> |   |

**Club Anniversaries:**

Don Higgins .....6/11 .....37 Yrs

**Guests of Rotarians:**

Art (Alex's cousin).....Alex Cruz  
Art (Becky's husband) .....Alex Cruz

**Missed Last Week:**

|                       |                          |
|-----------------------|--------------------------|
| <b>Wendy Sideri</b>   | <b>Ken Bray</b>          |
| <b>Paul Scheele</b>   | <b>Don Higgins</b>       |
| <b>Theresa Pinnix</b> | <b>Kevin Krauss</b>      |
| <b>Tami Scheele</b>   | <b>Barbara MacKellar</b> |
| <b>Cory Krauss</b>    | <b>Josh Astarita</b>     |

**Questions to Ponder!**

*Why is it that people say they "slept like a baby" when babies wake up like every two hours!*

**Rotary Opens Opportunities!**

## Last Week's Program:

**Program Chairman Alex Cruz** introduced **Becky Dineen**, a State of Florida Apiary (Bee) Inspector. Apiary Inspectors advise Florida Beekeepers on honeybee health, certify bees for shipment and monitor ports, highways, and other high-risk areas for honeybee pests and diseases. Honeybees account for 30% of our food. A honeybee needs pollen, nectar, tree resin and water. The tree resin is used like glue to seal up areas of the hive. The hive is made up of three castes, the (female) worker bees (90-95%), the (male) drones (5-10%), and the queens. The queens are fed only royal jelly, whereas the others are fed primarily "bee bread." There is generally only one queen per colony. A queen lays 1,000-2,000 eggs per day. The hive can produce a new queen within 16 days by feeding an egg only royal jelly. It takes 21 days for workers to hatch and 24 days for drones. A queen can fly up to 100 yards to mate with drones from another hive. Drones and workers can only fly about 50 yards.

Alex is also an amateur beekeeper. His Grandfather had 5-6 hives and sparked Alex's interest as a child. Becky brought her husband, Art, to the meeting. She and her husband have spent 7 years as Beekeepers. There are over 5,000 Beekeepers residing in Florida. Becky brought delicious samples of honey for everyone to taste and purchase.



## Meals on Wheels for Kids – Food Packing

New SITE - starting in June

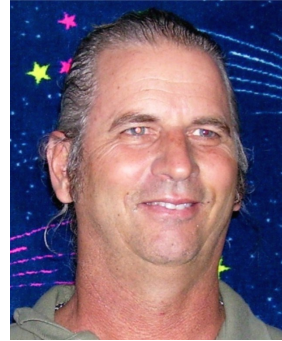
Gulfport Community Players building - 1619 49th St So, Gulfport

New DAY - starting in June on FRIDAY mornings.

**Our next packing Date - Friday June 18th at 10 am. Please let David Allen know if you will be able to attend.**

## This Week's Program:

**Program Chairman Phil England** will introduce **City of Pinellas Park Councilman Rick Butler**. He was initially elected to the City Council in March of 1998, and is currently on the **Florida State Homeless Leadership Board**, where he serves as Treasurer. He was appointed by the Governor to the **Juvenile Welfare Board**, and also serves as the **Ex-Officio** on the **Pinellas Park Boys and Girls Club Unit Advisory Council**. Rick is also the past President of the **Suncoast League of Cities**. His company, **Rick Butler Real Estate**, has been in business in Pinellas Park for over 42 years. We look forward to hearing him speak.



## Installation Banquet - Save the Date

The 2021-22 Installation Banquet will be held at **The Bayou Club, 7979 Bayou Club Blvd (on Belcher Rd just north of Park Blvd)**, on **June 26, 2021** beginning at 6 pm. The meal choices will be Chicken Piccata, Filet or Mahi Mahi. Dinner will include appetizers, salad, desert and drink tickets. The cost will be \$55 per person. Incoming President **Chantel Wonder** sent out invitations with final details this week. Please let her know if you will be attending.



## Joe Minarik Wins the Grand Jackpot!!!

Once again, the Correct Ace, the Ace of Spades, was drawn early in the deck. Joe Minarik drew the Ace of Spades at last week's meeting. Congratulations to Joe who won \$53 and thanks to Joe who donated the \$8 small 50/50 jackpot back to the club.

We will start with a new deck this week. The grand jackpot will start at \$0 and the Ace to draw now is the Ace of Diamonds!



## Next Week's Program:

**Debra Ellis Abney** has a work commitment for June 17th and cannot be here that day. She is rescheduling her speaker, **Megan DiBlasi**, Development Director for **Clothes To Kids, Inc.** for July 15th.

**Janet Waddell** will serve as program chairperson next week to introduce **Shana August, Hollins High School**, who will be joining us to receive the clothing racks,

Pinellas Park Rotary Club reusable bags and hangers that we are donating to the **Hollins High School Food and Clothing Pantry**. Please join us as she will be sharing more information on this fantastic program.

