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Upcoming Meeting 3/29/2019



Song led by: **YouTube**

Pledge led by: **Mike McLain**

Prayer said by: **Ted Hasle**

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Guest Introduction By: Susan Crabtree

Visiting Rotarians:

Allen Mullins - Wilkes Barke, PA | Bill Crotty | Avis Swenson - Deerfield Beach | Sal Golfo - Coconut Creek

Rotarians with Guests:

Rob - Leila Moavero

Neal Vinkemulder's Happy Dollars

Randall Bishop collected \$135 Happy Dollars





Randall was happy for the great weather that we need to enjoy while it's still here.

Susan Gingerich was happy that her daughter is in town visiting.



Ken Arnold was happy CJ came to see him, and not Darryl and Mike.



Sal is happy about the beautiful weather.



Avis was happy to be here and meeting more Rotary members.

Jack Prenner was happy to see Avis and everyone else.



Susan Crabtree updated that they have successfully rid themselves of their rat problem.



Whitney's husband was frustrated to watch the Gator game because whoever controls the caption placement clearly doesn't watch basketball as they were placed in the middle of the screen. She was also happy for the successful food packaging event.

Darryl was happy the Gators are doing great and sorry he missed the food packaging event.



Joanne was hoping someone could help her identify an animal that looked like a squirrel, except with a short tail, and hopped like a rabbit - no luck.

Leo informed us that yesterday, 3/21/19, at the Hillsboro Inlet the high tide was the highest it had been since 2014 but the barometric pressure was high. This high tide did not cause the streets to flood because there was no storm at the same time.

Galuppi's gift card auction was won by Ted Hasle for \$70



Special Announcements and Updates

Annual Pompano Beach Rotary Golf Tournament Friday, April 26th

We need items for the silent and Chinese auctions. There are still sponsorship and team spots available. Please contact Gene or Alex.



Rotary Board Meeting

Next Meeting
April 10, 2019

Frank Furman Insurance
3rd Floor
6:00 pm

Cocount Creek Club Events

Fundraiser for Abi's Place, a school for autistic kids, Tuesday April 9th.



DISTRICT CONFERENCE

The Annual District Conference is May 2nd and will take place out at Miccosukee Indian Reservation. There will be airboat rides, alligator experience, and wildlife tours.

RLI will be held March 30th at Kaiser. Anyone with an interest in leadership roles is encouraged to attend. Registration is \$100 and will be reimbursed by the Club. Register on www.dacdb.com

Deerfield Beach Club Events

- Italian Festival April 6th with an accordion player from Italy, spaghetti making contests, lemon-cello slurping, and more
- April 27th at Macy's they will host a fashion show for 9 girls whom they will be providing a day of dress and shoe shopping for Prom.

GUEST SPEAKER Guatemala Water Project Rick Lawrence

Rick Lawrence, from the Manchester Rotary Club, is the District 7890 Water Project Chairperson. Rick partners with a non-governmental organization called Aldea - formally Behrhorst Partners for Development (BPD) and a local host Rotary Club. Aldea means Village in Spanish. This NGO is able to converse in the local languages and deal with the local conditions, culture, and politics of the people of Guatemala. There are four components to the water sanitation projects: water supply, sinks, latrines, and safe stoves.

Rick and his wife, involved with the project for the past eight years, have raised over \$410,000 to complete projects in 12 villages in Guatemala. The 2016 project will be supporting water sanitation in four new villages in Guatemala. When Rick started this project in 2006, 12 Rotary clubs contributed \$24,000 to be able to complete a project in one village. Last year's project supported three villages and 32 Rotary clubs contributed over \$100,000 to the project.

Annually, 30,000 people die from water related illnesses – 90% of them are children. Guatemala has the third highest rate of malnutrition in the world. The women and children have to walk 20 minutes each way to gather freshwater and carry it back to the village between 4-6 times per day. Having sanitized water in the village saves them these trips.

The 50/50 Drawing was won by Allen Mullins

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Four Way Test

Is it the TRUTH?

Is it FAIR to all concerned?

Will it build GOOD WILL
and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?

Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?



Make Up Meetings at:

Monday:

Coconut Creek: 5:45pm Every other
Monday at Bru's Room Coconut Creek -
Call Laura Boyle before attending
954-429-2203 - 2 times monthly

Tuesday:

Pompano Beach/ Lighthouse: 7:30am
Galuppi's

Coral Springs Parkland: 7:30am Coral
Springs Marriott at Heron Bay

Deerfield Beach: 12:15pm Deer Creek
Country Club

Wednesday:

John Knox Village: 5:00pm

Thursday:

Coral Springs: 12:15pm Carrabba's
University Drive Coral Springs

Ft. Lauderdale North: 12:15pm Coral
Ridge Yacht Club

Oakland Park: 5:30pm Tequila Sunrise

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