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Alex Williams - Editor

Upcoming Meeting: December 7

Speaker: Mark Beaudreau, Director of Parks & Recreation



Song led by Alex Williams

Pledge led by Jerry Meehan

Prayer offered by Tom Johnston



Guest Introductions

Led by Susan Crabtree

- There were no visiting Rotarians or Rotarians with guests.



Neal Vinkemulder's Happy Dollars Led by Dr. Tom Worcestor

- Dr. Worcestor was happy to take son and fiancé to New York City next week for the Christmas season.
- Susan Gingerich was happy to see so many members at the meeting.
- Mayor Rex Hardin was happy the election is over and to have won mayoral race. He was also happy to be back at Rotary.

- Susan Crabtree was happy its Friday and to be ringing the Salvation Army bell.
- Jay Ghanem was happy to be ringing the bell with his son this year.
- Kenny Stolar was happy that the permits are finally in and he is getting a new roof on his house.
- Gene Pridemore was happy his wife has the Hallmark channel for Christmas.
- Whitney Metevia was happy she was able to have Thanksgiving with her husband this year.
- Toby Smith was happy to be back from his travels and rental car problems to find he has been nominated as VP.
- Dr. Shah was happy to have spent time with family.
- Leila Moavero was happy she figured out how to bribe a rental car agent – cookies!
- Mike McLain was happy that Dr. Bunn is doing well, happy to have such great Taste sponsor support from Fred McLean and Darryl Hinkle, and reminded us all to always try to sit with new people.

- Joanne Nelson was happy that Dr. Williams raise \$30,500+
- Marty was happy to have gone to Bimini and caught a wahoo in record time. Lines in and BAM, fish on!
- Joe Usman was happy with the success of the Cleft Palate Fundraiser and then raised another \$1,750 at the meeting!

Special Announcements & Updates

Taste of LHP

Mike McLain informed the Club that sponsorships for the event are off to a great start - \$10,000 committed so far. Susan Gingerich asks that members donate nice bottles of wine to be included in the silent auction items. These wines are a great draw and addition to the auction.

Additional donations for the auction are still needed. Dr. Tom is donating some dental service to be auctioned. What can you donate?

Tickets for the event are being sold at Mission Critical on Sample, Summit Brokerage on Sample, Atlantic Tax on Atlantic Blvd., and Jack Prenner's office at Campbell & Rosemurgy on Federal.

Thank you to Roz Ritter for all the donated marketing work for the event!

Nominating Committee

Nominating Committee has nominated the following for officer positions for the 2018/2019 year:

President – Susan Gingerich
 President Elect – Toby Smith
 Secretary – Ken Stolar
 Treasurer – Susan Crabtree
 Senior Advisor – Ted Hasle
 Pas President – Sean Hasle
 Board Member – Anne Siren
 Board Member – Alex Williams
 Board Member – Molly Moore

The Club votes on the nominations December 7th.

Ring the Bell

It's that time of year again and we are again asking members to volunteer two hours during this holiday season to ring the



Salvation Army bell. We will be volunteering at the 24th street Publix.

Speaker Chair

After three years of dedicated service providing exciting and interesting speakers for our weekly meetings Leila Moavero will resign as Speaker Chair at the end of the this calendar year. She will be replaced by Anne Siren and Ken Stolar.

Fundraising



BE THE INSPIRATION

Our Club holds three major events per year to fund our charitable giving. Additionally, we hold the Cleft Palate fundraiser as an International Project. Fundraising is an integral part of our Club's success. The more we raise, the more we can GIVE. These events require *everyone* to ACTIVELY participate if they are to be successful. Be an engaged and committed Rotarian!



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December 8 | Club Holiday Dinner

The Club Holiday Dinner this year will be Saturday, December 8, 2018 at the Lighthouse Point Yacht Club at 6pm.

December 21 & 28 | No Meeting

Presentation
PTA of McNab Elementary School
Guest Speaker: Evan Goldman & Lean Erwin

Evan Goldman and Lean Erwin, Treasurer of the PTA, spoke to the Club regarding the significant impact a Parent Teach Association (PTA) has on a school's success. Did you know that a leading indicator of a successful school is an active PTA?

McNab Elementary School has such a PTA. Their PTA currently totals 75 members. We were also informed as to how significant of a role the PTA plays in ensuring students have adequate materials not always supplied by the school. For example, the PTA provides Social, Science and Health text books no longer provided by the school. In today's technological advanced society, the school expects students to access education materials online but does not guarantee all students have a computer available to do so. This is another area where the PTA fills the gap by raising funds to provide computers to students who do not have one in their home.

Currently the PTA is raising money for a new playground. They are at present \$20,000 away from reaching their goal. Lean expects them to reach this goal by the end of the year.

The school advisory committee meets the last Tuesday of every month at 2:15pm. Please contact McNab Elementary for more information.

Next Board Meeting

Wednesday, December 12 at 5:30pm at Furman Insurance.

The 50/50 was won by Tony Gregory.

