

Rotary



Club of Stuart-Sunrise

Club Meeting

Stuart-Sunrise
Meets at Monarch Country
Club
1801 SW Monarch Club Dr,
Palm City, FL
Palm City, FL 34990
Time: Thursday at 07:30
AM

Speakers

November 07, 2019

[Humane Society National
Animal Shelter
Appreciation Week](#)

November 14, 2019

[100 Club of Martin County](#)

Birthdays



John J. Fedorek
November 2nd



John Robitaille
November 20th

Club Member Anniversaries



John J. Fedorek
11-01-1990
29 Years



Thomas
Whittington
11-01-2007
12 Years

Weekly Meeting - October 17, 2019

Jack Mathison led the pledge and President Dr. ♦Rev.♦ Brian Moriarty offered the prayer.

Announcements

Dr. Brian gave an interesting lesson on the Rotary 4 way test (see below).

Visiting Rotarians included Jeanette Dish from NJ and Peter Neids from Pittsburgh, PA.

October is Fire Prevention Month! We are cleaning the Rotary Closet in support of this month and at the request of the club management. If you have any personal items in the closet please remove them ♦ pets included!

Volunteer Calendar

Santa Visit

Ellen Peitz is seeking volunteers for Santa♦s visit at Tykes and Teens on Nov. 23rd from 8 to 10:30. Join several of our members at this special event. Sign up with Ellen.

Salvation Army Bell Ringing.

Elmira has arranged for us to Ring Bells at Publix on December 5th from 10 to 8 p.m. Sign up with Elmira for a one or 2 hour shift.

Happy and Sad

Sue rounded up lots of bucks for the club and CART. Bucks were offered for Project Lift♦s good work in the community, sports dollars and special events.

Harry was almost fined for wearing his Washington Nationals Hat in the clubhouse, but Sue suspended the fine. Harry had a happy buck for Dr. Jason♦s prescription for new glasses ♦ he can now watch the World Series and he was recertified to fly his plane!

Ellen had a Birthday Check which will help with Scholarships! Thanks Ellen!

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Stuart Sunrise Rotary Water Forum

I wish that one of TCPalm♦s outstanding reporters could have attended Stuart Sunrise Rotary♦s 2nd Annual Water Forum, Public Health As It Relates to the River, on Oct. 5.

Just about every entity that has something to do with water issues was invited to speak.

After opening remarks by Rotarians, city of Stuart Mayor Becky Bruner welcomed all to the St. Lucie Riverwalk and the event began. First, U.S. Congressman Brian Mast, Florida Oceanographic♦s Mark Perry, and even top Lake

Okeechobee releases decision-maker, Army Corp of Engineers ♦ Colonel Andrew Kelly, spoke.

They were followed by state Sen. Gayle Harrell, Water Resource Engineer Dr. Gary Goforth, myself representing the South Florida Water Management District, and last but not least Ed Campi, chairman of the Martin County Commission. After each speaker there was a question-and-answer session.

What an amazing thing Sunrise Rotary did to get all these water decision-makers in one place under the heading of river public health. Obviously, this is a topic that every level of government is now taking seriously.

Jacqui Thurlow-Lippisch, Sewall ♦s Point, is a member of the governing board of the South Florida Water Management District.

Project Lift Update

By David Shoaf

Larry Lavargna introduced Bob Zaccheo, Director. ProjectLIFT ♦s primary mission is to invest in the lives of at-risk teens ages 14-19. The group offers an alternative high school education experience through mental health treatment, providing hands-on learning and establishing career pathways for youth with community and business partnerships.

The goal is to replace negative behaviors with improved self-esteem, life skills development and positive goals for their future. More than 50 boys are participating in the program today. Students receive mental health therapy, vocational skills training, life skills development, leadership opportunities and mentoring. The latest class of 32 students had 31 graduate the training and earning a GED.

Autumn Thomas is director of the girls program that has 20 students and they take part in the same programs. These women also develop coping skills and gain confidence in career counseling.

Careers open to all students include small engine repair, silk screening, bicycle repair, auto repair, air conditioning repair, welding and more!

The organization needs volunteers and mentors. If you can spend a few hours a week, you can make a difference in a teenager ♦s life and yours. Rotarian Larry Lavargna spends 3 hours a week making that difference.

For more info on volunteering and supporting ProjectLIFT go to www.projectliftMC.com.

And www.facebook.com/ProjectLIFT.

Donations will be matched up to \$1,000 for the rest of 2019!

THE 4-WAY TEST

One of the most widely printed and quoted statements of business ethics in the world is the Rotary "4-Way Test." It was created by Rotarian Herbert J. Taylor in 1932 when he was asked to take charge of the Chicago based Club Aluminum Company, which was facing bankruptcy. Taylor looked for a way to save the struggling company mired in depression-caused financial difficulties. He drew up a 24-word code of ethics for all employees to follow in their business and professional lives. The 4-Way Test became the guide for sales, production, advertising and all relations with dealers and customers, and the survival of the company was credited to this simple philosophy.

Herb Taylor became president of Rotary International during 1954-55. The 4-Way Test was adopted by Rotary in 1943 and has been translated into more than 100 languages and published in thousands of ways. The message should be known and followed by all Rotarians.

"Of the things we think, say or do:

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?

4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?"

50-50

50/50 was sold by Bob Swan and Gene VanCuren and was won by Jack Langhorne who drew the 8 of clubs! (Only 40 cards left!)

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