

Rotary



Club of Stuart-Sunrise

Club Meeting

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

Speakers

April 15, 2021

ZOOM - Christopher
Carnes & Adriana Mancini
Students4H2O/Upcoming
Zoom with Salva Dut

April 22, 2021

Jeff Sabin, Waste
Management

April 29, 2021

ZOOM - Ed Ciampi
MC Commission

May 06, 2021

Madeleine Bozone
Family Promise of Martin
County

Birthdays



Larry Lavargna
April 24th



Harry W. Lerch
May 2nd



Michael L.
Costopoulos
May 10th

Club Member Anniversaries



Robert Swan
05-04-2006
15 Years

Keith Charlton

Rotary News April 15, 2021

By David Shoaf

Zoom Meeting was called to order by President Jason. Pledge led by Jason, prayer by Sue.

Calendar

- 4.22 Regular Meeting at Monarch, Jeff Sabin of Waste Management
- 4.24 Golf Tourney at Monarch for Scholarships ♦ 22 foresomes.
- 4.29 Last Zoom Meeting, MC Commissioner Ed Ciampi @7:30 a.m.

Fundraiser Set

Over 20 foresomes are set to turn out for the Club Corp Charity Classic at Monarch on Saturday, April 24th. The Bar-b-que open at 11:30 and the shotgun start is at 1 p.m. Reception will follow in the Clubhouse along with a silent auction and awards. Registration closes on Friday.

If you have items for the goody bags and//or Silent Auction bring them to Thursday ♦s meeting or Chris will pick them up (772-323-5033).

If you can ♦t play you can donate to the Scholarship Fund. Make checks payable to SSR Charitable Foundation.

Water for Sudan

By David Shoaf

Chris Carnes, president of Students for H2O, gave an update of their program to bring clean water to tribal villages in South Sudan. The student have chosen this area as the focus for helping provide clean water to over 785 million people in the world who have no access to clean water. (Clean Water and Sanitation is one of the goals of Rotary International as well.)

The women in the village travel 3 to 5 miles each day to find water for the residents. The plan is to drill wells in as many villages as funds allow. The drill rig was developed and sent to Sudan where staff was trained in operating it. The wells are as deep as 300 feet and bring clean water to the surface. Cost of each well and piping, etc. is \$15,000 each . To date they have completed 400 wells in Sudan.

Adriana Mancini is one of the Founders of the local group (info@students4H2O.org). She is now a student at theUniversity of Florida.

Adriana worked with local students who developed an educational campaign. to raise money for one well (\$15,000). They raised \$21,000 and a well was dug at Majok Duong School in Sudan. Our club was one of the sponsors in 2019

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This May 22 the group is sponsoring a virtual presentation by Salva Dut, author, lecturer and Sudanese refugee. This presentation will help raise funds for more wells. Go to www.waterforsouthsudan.org/salvas-story for details.



Salva Dut tells his story of fleeing the civil war in Sudan and explains how that experience led to his current mission of bringing clean drinking water to his home country. Salva was born in a rural village in southwestern Sudan to the Dinka Tribe. At 11 years old, the Sudanese civil war

reached his village and separated Salva from his family. He joined thousands of boys, famously known as the **Lost Boys** on their journey by foot to seek safety in refugee camps in Ethiopia and Kenya. After living in refugee camps for 10 years, Salva was given the opportunity to move to the United States, where he would be embraced by a family in Rochester, NY. A few years later Salva learned that his father was still alive in Southern Sudan but was suffering from water-borne parasites and disease. This inspired Salva to help his father and his country by bringing clean water to those in need. This was the beginning of Water for South Sudan.

Salva's story is told in the New York Times bestseller **A Long Walk to Water**, by Linda Sue Park.

Happy and Sad

Kathy asked for prayers for her daughter-in-law's mother who is battling ovarian cancer. Gene and HB suffered damage from the 67 mph winds that struck last Sunday. Rock is teaching Yoga 5 days a week during the pandemic. Sue and Tom were victorious in their tennis matches. Sue power washed her deck to celebrate. Linda's son is celebrating his 21st and Mom is taking him out to dinner! Tom Brownell met with last week's speaker to talk about entrepreneurship. Jack L. and Monica went to a granddaughter's wedding. Doctor Jason's daughter is developing an attitude.

See you Thursday at Monarch!
