

# 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

**July 21, 2022**

[Mike Sancho, Treasure  
Coast ABA](#)

**July 28, 2022**

[Rex Sentell - Alaska in  
Pictures](#)

## Birthdays



Beth Brownell  
July 8th



Arthur C. Mills III  
July 8th



Kathy Durrell  
Lockhart  
July 19th



Justin Madigan  
July 28th



Valerie Madigan  
August 4th

## Club Member Anniversaries



David Shoaf  
08-01-1997  
25 Years



Mary Jo Horton  
07-29-2004  
18 Years

Kathy Durrell  
Lockhart  
08-01-2013

## Weekly News for July 7, 2022

By David Shoaf

Rotarians and guests gathered at the Elliott Museum to install our officers for the 2022-23 Rotary Year. The staff at the facility did an outstanding job!

Outgoing president Chris Shoaf thanked his officers for their service and support.



They included  
President Elect Beth  
Brownell, Treasurer  
HB Barrett,  
Secretary John  
Robitaille, and  
Sergeant-at-arms  
Sue Whittington.

He also had awards  
for Directors Gene  
VanCuren  
(Scholarships),  
Linda Weiksnar  
(Vocational  
Service), Kathy  
Lockhart (Rotary  
Foundation), and  
Roc Fiore  
(Community

Service).

Rotarian Hap Mills installed the elected team that will be helping President Beth in 2022-23: John Robitaille, President Elect; Robert Wesch, Vice President; David Geller, Treasurer and Val Madigan as

secretary. Appointed Club Directors are Roc Fiore, Gene VanCuren, Sue Whittington, Kathy Lockhart, Linda Weiksnar, Chris Shoaf and Jason Davis.



Kathy Lockhart announced that Linda Weiksnar was the winner of the Paul Harris Foundation Raffle. Kathy thanked members for their support and pointed out that raised over \$500 per capita making it one of our best years ever! (See separate Email from Kathy!)

We will see you at 7:30 on Thursday morning at Monarch!

The first in-person Club Board Meeting is set for 8:40 following our regular meeting on July 21.



9 Years



Debbie Kohuth  
08-06-2015  
7 Years



HB Barrett  
07-27-2017  
5 Years



Valerie Madigan  
07-28-2021  
1 Year



Greg Bialek  
07-28-2021  
1 Year



Jeanette  
Dechabert  
07-29-2021  
1 Year



Dave Geller  
07-29-2021  
1 Year



Justin Madigan  
07-29-2021  
1 Year



Shannon  
Sumners  
07-29-2021  
1 Year



Nils G. Weibull  
07-11-2022  
0 Years



## District News

### Introducing District Governor Buck:



Louis (Buck) Vocelle is a senior Partner with Vocelle & Berg, LLP. A graduate of Wake Forest University (1978) and Florida State College of Law (1982), Buck has concentrated on personal injury - wrongful death cases, complex commercial and business litigation, professional negligence, construction litigation and insurance coverage disputes.

His community activities have included Indian River County Volunteer Ambulance Squad, Board of Directors: 1984-1986; President of Indian River County Volunteer Ambulance Squad: 1985 -1986; Indian River Community College Foundation, Board of Directors: 1988-1996; Assistant Scout Leader, Boy Scout Troop #567, Vero Beach, FL: 1998-2001; Indian River Academy Charter School, Board of Directors (2000); Angel Flight - Volunteer Pilot: 2000 – Present; Air Lifeline - Volunteer Pilot: 2000 – Present; Vero Beach Airport Commission: 2012 – Present, Chair 2020-Present; Indian River County Mosquito Control District Commission, Seat 3: 2017 – 2021 (Chair 2019)

For Rotary Buck was the Vero Beach Sunrise Club, President 2015-2016; Rotary International: District 6930 Membership Chair 2019-2022. He is a Paul Harris Fellow, Paul Harris Society member and Major Donor.

He enjoys fishing, flying, camping, golf, pickleball, reading and travel.

### Imagine Rotary

The next Rotary International President will be a history maker. On July 1<sup>st</sup> Jennifer Jones, a member of the Rotary Club of Windsor-Roseland, Ontario, Canada, will become the first female President of Rotary.

Each year the President chooses a theme: Inspired by the Beatles anthem of 50 years ago, and the power of Rotarians imagining a new world. RI President-elect Jennifer Jones imagines a Rotary where members act to make their dreams become reality and they make the most of their club experiences. She urges members to engage more with each other and use these connections to build partnerships that change the world.

The concept of the Suffragette colors was devised by Emmeline Pethick-Lawrence, the co-editor of Votes for Women magazine. Purple stood for loyalty and dignity, white for purity and green for hope.

The circle represents Rotary and the dots represent the seven areas of focus in the logo and the theme imagine rotary represents how we imagine the world to be a better place to be in!



## **RYLA Scholarship applicants wanted...**

The Rotary Club of Suntree's RYLA College Scholarship is the brainchild of Rotary Club of Suntree President Alan Frisher. Each year the club awards a scholarship of \$1,000 to a RYLA student based on a written essay. Mr. Frisher has agreed to fund the scholarship at a rate of \$500 per year for at least the next ten years, and the Rotary Club of Suntree Foundation matches his annual contribution. If you are interested in contributing to the scholarship fund, please click [here](#).

In order to be eligible for the scholarship, an original essay or creative treatise, no more than 300 words in total must be submitted, describing how any one portion of the Rotary 4-way test can help you, as a current and future leader in your community, guide you and/or focus your energy toward achieving one or more important goal(s) in your life,

OR:

An original essay or creative treatise, no more than 300 words in total must be submitted, describing how your RYLA experience has helped you, as a current and future leader in your community, guide you and/or focus your energy toward achieving one or more important goal(s) in your life.

Essays/creative treatises submitted online will be read and subjectively graded for originality, practicality, and resourcefulness by one or more members of the Suntree Rotary Club Board of Directors. Candidates whose work displays those unique qualities will be contacted by a Board member of the Suntree Rotary Club for a personal interview to discuss their goal(s) and submitted work.

All decisions are final unless the student, for whatever reason, does not attend the College of choice submitted for the scholarship. In that case, all scholarship money previously paid must be returned to the Suntree Rotary Club Foundation.

Ready to get started? Go to [www.suntreerotary.org](http://www.suntreerotary.org) , click on RYLA Scholarship and complete the application.

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