

Rotary



Club of Stuart-Sunrise

Club Meeting

Stuart-Sunrise
Meets at Banyan Creek
Country Club
1701 SW Crane Creek Ave
Palm City, FL 34990
Time: Thursday at 07:30
AM

Speakers

May 09, 2024

[Interact Club Seniors](#)
[Sash Presentation](#)

May 23, 2024

[Tracey Maccia, Project Lift](#)
Volunteer Mentorship
Program for At-Risk Males

May 30, 2024

[Rob Steele](#)
What's Next at the
Elliott?

Birthdays



Michael L.
Costopoulos
May 10th



Michael Donnelly
May 18th

Matthew L.
Straub
June 2nd

Club Member Anniversaries

No Years Of Service
Found

Rotary News for May 2, 2024

By Beth Brownell

President John led the Pledge and Sue offered the prayer.

There will be no meeting at Banyan Creek on May 16 as Banyan Creek will be closed.

Club members volunteered to participate in the Treasure Coast Waterway Cleanup on July 28. Once again, Bruner Park, near the Stuart Post Office, will be our target. Beth will make arrangements and update the club.

President John called on volunteers for the golf tournament committee, which will meet in the near future.

President-Elect Tom reported that the Officer Installation event will be Thursday, June 27, 5:30-7:30pm at The Florida Oceanographic Coastal Center, in the Exploration Lab. Family and friends are invited. Fork in the Road food truck will be providing hors d'oeuvres and there will be drink tickets/cash bar available. More details are to come, and a sign up sheet will begin circulating at the end of May.

Kathy will be wrapping up the Polio Plus collection, so get your check to her if you are participating, or donate online.

Sue was notified that Morgan Stanley would be donating \$2000 to the club Foundation. Thank you, Sue for the work you did to earn that, for donating it to the club as well as all the support you give to club activities.

Visiting Rotarian Fred Strauss reported that the Jupiter-Tequesta club is running a pickleball tournament this weekend at the Jupiter Country Club, inviting any pickleball players to participate.

Happy dollars were given for: Hap for the upcoming District conference. Please sign up. Chris is on his own because his mom and Noremi are headed to VA to visit family. Dave is on his own as well. Matt was pleased to have all three daughters under one roof, and they were getting along. HB was proud that his fraternity brothers at UNC-Chapel Hill protected the American flag during a demonstration. Gene remembered his college demonstrations being involved with the Rathskeller. Nils completed Rotary Leadership Institute level 3 and presented a grant check to the Okeechobee club. Charles gave a shoutout to Kathy for the volunteer work she does, as well as the We Do Good's work with the Firefighter's Benevolent Association. Jason is hiring a new Clark Advanced Learning student for his practice. Tom W. recognized the scholarship winners and their parents and thanked Gene for all his work.

The 50-50 was won by Chris.

2024 Stuart Sunrise Rotary Club Scholarship winners

By Beth Brownell

Gene VanCuren, Scholarship Committee Chair, introduced the two scholarship winners for this year: Elyse Klostrich and Alexis Mazariegos-Cordoba.

Elyse Klostrich

Elyse is a senior at Martin County High School, taking AP and Honors classes. She is a member of the track and field team, participating in javelin, shot put and discus events. She also participates in volunteer activities and afterschool clubs. She enjoys working at Publix 20 hours a week.

She plans to attend UCF with an undecided major to start with. She enjoys creative endeavors and would like to apply those skills to architecture, design or urban planning. Creating sustainable housing and schools in Third World countries is an aspirational goal.

Club members reassured Elyse that many people change career paths multiple times!

Alexis Mazariegos-Cordoba

Alexis is completing his senior year at South Fork High School as Class President. He participated in varsity basketball as well as javelin and shot put. He enjoys student government classes and being a leader. He helps in the community by volunteering for church activities. He plans to continue his education at IRSC and eventually the University of Florida, specializing in Health Science with an eventual goal of Physical Therapy.

Club members wish them well in their future endeavors, and we look forward to following up with them.

