



Speakers

January 23, 2024
 Challenge Enterprises
 Katie Vineyard

January 30, 2024
 Jacksonville Chamber
 Business Development
 Anna Lebesh

Birthdays

Laura Johnson
 January 2nd

Patrick Karney
 January 18th

Mary Fortson
 January 19th

Jim Horne
 January 20th

Lillian Bell
 January 20th

Connie Thomas
 January 21st

Jack Arnold
 January 27th

Wedding Anniversaries

Frank & Maleah
 Meininger
 January 31st

Years of Service

Philip Murphey
 8 Years

The COG

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Ginger Rivers
4 Years
Patti Holcombe
3 Years
Bob Harrington
3 Years
Mike Chamberlain
1 Year



THE POWER OF PEOPLE AND POSSIBILITIES

A Mission With Purpose

To promote the Power of People and Possibilities for individuals living with different abilities.

It Is Our Vision To

Empower individuals living with different abilities with the opportunity to embrace the challenges in their lives, so they may become enterprising members of their community.

Person Centered Goals

Everything we do is centered around one key goal: to empower people to live their best life. With person-centered programs, our professionals and volunteers assist hundreds of people living with differences to achieve success by nurturing their dreams and personal goals. By providing opportunities that teach, support, and embrace the challenges in their lives, they become well-able, confident, more self-sufficient, and enterprising members of the community.

With the full support of our experienced team, we implement a results-oriented plan of action that enables individuals living with differences to gain meaningful relationships, develop work and career skills, earn an income, achieve social independence, and even become homeowners.

Club News

Judges Needed!!

Feel free to invite your friends and colleagues (a great way to introduce them to the things we do in Rotary!)



To register as a judge, please visit this website below:

<https://forms.gle/TuutrNCcfA6VZeyt6>

To read a brief description of each category, [click here](#).

Please contact Lisa Ashworth, if you need assistance signing up to judge.

Service Updates - PET FLORIDA PENNEY FARMS

JANUARY 2024

FROM THE GROUND UP



FROM CURSED TO BLESSED

Story submitted by Helping Children of DR Congo



Paul Kasereka, from Kinshasa DRC, contracted polio as baby and has never walked. As so often the case in Africa, his parents considered his disability a curse, abusing him both physically and mentally. Despite this, he was blessed with great strength of character, energy and intelligence, allowing him to study and persevere. His first mobility aid was a conventional wheelchair that basically allowed him to get around, but always requiring a member of his family to help maneuver. Today, because of his PET gift of mobility, he is finally able to navigate independently, driving his cart most anywhere he wants without assistance. (We are often asked why PET doesn't just provide wheelchairs to meet the needs of the disabled in such areas. Paul's story answers that. Wheelchairs can't maneuver well or hold up long on the surfaces and obstacles encountered in areas like his, as with the many others we serve around the world. Wheelchairs aren't designed for such terrain – PET carts are -- and with your help and God's provision, we'll continue to meet that specific need for grateful recipients like Paul.)

New Member 7 Day Notice

Lisa Teifke

2023-24 Club Leadership





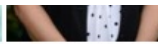
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*Membership
Club Chair*



Geraldine Hartin
*Public Image
Club Chair*



Mary Fisher
*Service Projects
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*Social Events
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