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Jan. 8, 2019

Hear what our future holds--First Coast Technical College



Chris Force



Arleen Dennison

We'll begin the New Year with a discussion by Chris Force, Principal, and Arleen Dennison, College Advancement Coordinator, First Coast Technical College. They will talk about the impact First Coast Technical College has on students, businesses and community as well as the great work the Foundation does to assist.

Chris has over 29 years of professional experience in education first as a high school teacher in Duval County schools with a strong background in industry. She moved into a district role overseeing career technical academies and later joined St. Johns County School District in a similar role. In 2016, Chris was asked to take an interim position on the district's transitional team when FCTC converted from a charter school. Six months later, she was invited to serve as FCTC's Principal and has been in that role since December of 2016.

Arleen's professional experience consists in the non-profit world and building community relationships. She has been with FCTC for over four years overseeing the College Advancement Department. Her team focuses on student recruiting, job placement, marketing, community enrichment and events. Arleen works with the FCTC Education Foundation, a non-profit 501(c) 3 organization which provides support to FCTC's students through financial assistance and scholarships.

Fellow Rotarian Nancy Dering Mock contributes her time and expertise to the First Coast Technical College Foundation.

Rotary Apparel!

Kim Scott (her husband is a Rotarian with Ponte Vedra Beach Club) will attend Jan. 8 meeting to show off Rotary apparel and take orders!



Rotary Spouse /Partner Membership

The Rotary Spouse/Partner membership program has been launched as a pilot program of The Rotary Club of Ponte Vedra. Applications were emailed Jan. 2 by Ian Aguilar.



Ponte Vedra Rotary Club growing in quantity and quality!!

Exciting meeting on Dec. 18 revealed the growth of our club in numbers - 3 - and the growth of our club in the receipt of the Rotary Presidential Citation!

From l to r are Past District Governor Brent Coates, Jeremiah Blocker, New Member Derek Wheeler, New Member Jim Byrnes, New Member Linda L. Lomax, Hilary Wilson, President Kelly Sastre and Past District Governor/Honorary Ponte Vedra Club Member Russ Miller. . Jeremiah and Hilary sponsored the new members.



Mark your calendar for Rotary Family Night at UNF on Sat, Jan.



Dates to remember:

Jan. 12, 2019--Rotary Family Night at UNF

Jan. 15, 2019--Vicky C. Oakes, Supervisory of

12 as the Ospreys take on FGCU
at 5 p.m. Special \$10 price in
place for our club; enter promo
code of NOCATEE.

Elections, St. Johns County
May 17-18 District
Conference, Daytona Intl
Speedway



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