



# WILMINGTON CAPE FEAR ROTARY NEWSLETTER

Rotary District 7730  
CapeFearRotary.com

## Club Meeting

Wilmington Cape Fear  
Meets at Jungle Rapids  
5320 Oleander Dr  
Wilmington, NC 28403-5810  
Time: Friday at 07:30 AM

## Club Leaders



Gus A Aretakis  
President



Brent Boswell  
President-Elect



Ann L. Willard  
Secretary



Mark Stanley Paradis  
Treasurer



Jason Ezzell  
Sergeant-at-Arms



Clay A. Brumbaugh  
Club Rotary  
Foundation Chair



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Club Membership  
Chair



Constance H. Knox  
Club Public Image  
Chair



Richard L. Mitchell  
Club Service Chair



Christopher Octave Buccieri  
Community Service  
Chair



Colleen M. Hattinigh  
Club Director

## This Week at Rotary, Richard Neal, Frying Pan Tower

**Frying Pan Tower is located 32 miles off the coast of North Carolina and rises 135' above the Atlantic Ocean. It helps provide safety to Mariners in the Atlantic Ocean, is used for environmental research and education studies, and is shelter to a natural ecosystem for marine wildlife.**



**In 2010, the government placed the Frying Pan Tower up for auction, with the winning bid going to Richard Neal of Charlotte, NC. Richard spends his days and nights joyfully repairing and preserving the historic site more than 30 miles in the ocean. He has transformed it into an**

**adventure destination for ecotourists, similar to a maritime science lab. ATTENTION: THIS IS NOT AN OFFSITE MEETING!**

## Last Week at Rotary, Coast Guard Master Chief Kyle Thomas



Last weeks program was very informative. Master Chief, Kyle Thomas gave us lots of information about our local Coast Guard station. Our members were very interested in his excellent presentation and had lots of followup questions. We owe Brent lots of thanks for getting us interesting speakers.

## Meals on Wheels

Connie had a 1 out of 2 chance of drawing the Queen of Hearts last week...and she picked the wrong card. You know what that means, the person with the winning raffle ticket is the winner. Come by tomorrow and enjoy our speaker, enjoy visiting with your fellow members and try your luck at half of over \$3400. This is the only time you win by having the correct raffle ticket.



[Robert L. Summerlin](#)  
Bulletin Editor



[Kathleen Yerkes](#)  
Grants Committee  
Chair - Allocations

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## Events

February 2nd  
**Wilmington Cape Fear  
Weekly Club Meeting**  
**Speaker:** Richard Neal - Frying  
Pan Tower

February 9th  
**Offsite Meeting at Thalian  
Hall**  
**Speaker:** Off-Site at Thalian  
Hall - Rob Zapple  
**Subject:** Tour of Thalian Hall -  
310 Chestnut Street  
Wilmington NC 28401

February 16th  
**Business/Board Meeting**  
**Speaker:** Business/Board  
Meeting

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## Birthdays

Jane E. Morrow  
January 31st  
Clay A. Brumbaugh  
February 2nd  
Kathleen Yerkes  
February 8th  
Michael Byrd  
February 21st

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## Wedding Anniversaries

Mark Stanley Paradis  
February 16th

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