

Soundings January 5, 2023

## "IMAGINE ROTARY"

OUR MEETINGS ARE HELD AT THE USCB HILTON HEAD CAMPUS, 1 SAND SHARK DRIVE (ADJACENT TO 21 OFFICE PARK ROAD) AND BY ZOOM. ZOOM BREAKOUT SESSIONS WILL BE HELD FROM 12:20 AM UNTIL 12:30!!

<u>CLICK HERE</u> to join the meeting via ZOOM.

LUNCH WILL BE AVAILABLE AT 12:00 AND THE MEETING WILL START AT 12:30. MASKS ARE NOT REQUIRED!

A menu is posted at the beginning of the buffet line which includes the ingredients contained in each dish. It is especially important for you to review this menu carefully if you have any food allergies. Have you visited us online?

www.hiltonheadrotary.org www.facebook.com/HHIRota

## **Club Events**

January 7, 2023: MLK dinner and concert

January 14th: Shen Yun at Johnny Mercer Theater

February 4th-11th: Fellowship Cruise

March19th: Mitchelville at Lean Ensemble Theater

March 24th-26th: All Club Conference, North Myrtle Beach

April 10th-16th: RBC Heritage June 17th: Juneteenth, Mitchelville

### This Week's Meeting

This week's meeting will feature Rotarian Jimmy Thomas who will speak to us about his efforts to raise awareness for veterans who need service dogs. Doggie Paddle for Veterans is a non-profit organization and project of the Glenville, New York Rotary Club. United States Army veteran, Jimmy Thomas, knows both the benefits and care a service dog can provide. His loyal Golden Retriever named Boots changed his life forever. In hopes of helping other veterans in need of a service dog, Jimmy is on a one-of-a-kind journey to get our country's attention to help our American veterans find a better tomorrow with a service dog.

Jimmy kayaked along the East Coast from upstate New York to Key West and is biking back home during the months of January and February.

Also at this meeting we will get an update on the Early Act fundraiser for the Desmond Tutu Desk project.

Please see this You Tube link for more information about The Desmond Tutu Desk Campaign.

https://www.youtube.com/watch? v=7cfCRebJkB0

# December 15, 2022 Meeting

The December 15th meeting was a very informative presentation by Steve Wilmot, who spoke about the various events for this year's RBC Heritage.

#### **Club Meeting**

Meets at ZOOM and USCB-Hilton Head Campus Lunch available at

noon USCB - Hilton Head Campus 1 Sand Shark Ln Hilton Head Island, SC 29928 Time: Thursday at 12:30 PM

**Speakers** 

**Events** 

No Events found

**Birthdays** 

Bruce Pitkin January 6th Robert Eberly III January 6th

Wedding Anniversaries

#### Years of Service

Robert A. Laughlin 01-01-1979 44 Years Joseph Player 01-01-2014 6 years prior Amanda Williams-O'Nan 01-01-2021 2 Years

### Club Leaders



Joseph Chappell



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If you missed Steve Wilmot's presentation, here is the link:

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## **Bell Ringing Pictures**

Rotarians Out Doing Good





## **Holiday Luncheon**

Rotarians enjoying holiday fellowship December 22, 2022



Chair



Terri Kolander Membership Chair



Michael J. Marks Sergeant-at-Arms



Mary M. Briggs iPast President



<u>Cynthia Whalen</u> Club Executive Secretary



Mary M. Briggs Assistant Governor



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## **Upcoming Rotary Fellowship Opportunities**



**MLK Dinner and Concert**The Hilton Head MLK Committee for Justice is hosting a dinner and concert on January 7th at USCB Hilton Head. The cost is \$75.00 and starts at 6:00 p.m. Contact Joe Chapell if you are interested.

## **Shen Yun Dance Performance**

Shen Yun dance performance will be at the Johnny Mercer Theatre in Savannah on Saturday, January 14, 2023. This incredible dance performance highlights classical Chinese dance with a unique blend of stunning costuming, high-tech backdrops, and an orchestra like no other. If you missed this performance last January, do not miss this upcoming performance. Tickets range in price between \$80 and \$180 each. These tickets will not last.

Contact Linda Peterson

Rotary Cruise 2023!

Key West, Belize and Grand Cayman Cruise FROM FORT LAUDERDALE, FLORIDA February 4, 2023 to February 11, 2023

CELEBRITY APEX



4 Feb 15:30 Departing from Fort Lauderdale, Port Everglades, Florida

05 Feb 07:00 - 17:00 Key West, Florida 07 Feb 07:00 - 16:00 Belize City 08 Feb 07:00 - 16:00 Cozumel, Mexico

09 Feb 10:00 - 18:00 George Town, Grand Cayman Island

11 Feb 07:00 Arriving in Fort Lauderdale, Port Everglades, Florida

\$2,300 per person, double occupancy until June 30, 2022
\$2,000 for a single occupancy cabin (if available)
Includes Veranda Cabin, Trip Protection Insurance,
Premium Drinks Package, Gratuities, and Free Wi-Fi
To sign up or get more information contact Hank Noble at Hank Noble@WWTLCOM or 843-298-6014 or 843-815-6014.

Feel free to share this announcement with other interesting, fun-loving people

### **Happy Dollars!**

Club members can make actual Happy Dollar donations to CART at Club meetings or via www.mycartfund.org. All money donated goes to the CART fund for alheizemer's research.

No time to announce your good news Happy Dollars during our meeting? No problem! Send your Happy Dollar news to Soundings Editor Sonja Friedman, snfriedman1529@gmail.com. We'll print them in the next edition of the Soundings.

Do you have a Happy Dollars moment or event to share?

## **Invite Your Friends To Attend!**

As always, Club members should feel free to invite friends or visiting Rotarians to attend our weekly meetings. You may certainly invite a prospective member to one of our meetings as well. It's an easy way to introduce someone to Rotary, and potential member can see at a glance who else belongs to the Club. Remember to provide President Joe or Sergeant-at-Arms Michael Marks information regarding potential visitors and guests so that they may be recognized at the meeting.

## The Four-Way Test

## Of the things we think, say or do

- 1. Is it the TRUTH?
- 2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
- 3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
- 4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

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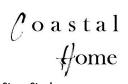


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