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The Rotary Club of Pensacola District 6940 Club 4248

## WEEK IN REVIEW 03/26/2019

The weekly meeting of the Rotary Club of Pensacola was held at New World Landing on a sunny Tuesday, March 26, 2019. Members and guests received a warm welcome at the door from Puschel Schneier and Ron Overton. Jorge Palaez and Adam Principe did a great job on ticket sales. The jackpot of \$54 dollars was won by Ron Jackson. President Betty Roberts called the meeting to order and led us in the Four Way Test. Cal Moore led us in an inspiring prayer and the pledge of allegiance to the flag. Collier Merrill provided sunshine and introduced guests of Rotarians and visiting Rotarians and special guest Pensacola Police Officer Greg Gordon. Birthday greetings went out to Judy Bense and Tommy Tait. Judy Bense introduced the speaker for the day, Head Coach UWF Football, Pete Shinnick. Coach Shinnick, the first Head Coach for UWF Football is starting his 6<sup>th</sup> year at UWF and his 4<sup>th</sup> season on the field and already he is becoming a well loved member of UWF and the community. His success so far includes going to the National

Championship in the second year of football at UWF and starting the 3<sup>rd</sup> season ranked number 1 in his conference. Injuries at quarterback position and other injuries slowed their progress in year 3. All is looking good for year 4 with some outstanding transfer players and recruits. Coach Shinnick is proud of the on the field success and most proud of the class room success and graduation rates of his student athletes. Coach Shinnick's program is based on winning football with a winning attitude designed to create good players, good students, good husbands and good employers based on the principle of Arete – Greek word for excellence in all things that you do. He emphasizes smart, hard work, positive energy and unity. So far he and his students have a proven record in all areas. Football at UWF is a success at the University and has improved campus life and has contributed a positive impact financially to the community.

President Betty thanked all who served to make the meeting a great success and the meeting was adjourned.

## WHAT'S HAPPENING IN ROTARY

**Welcome New Member Charles Sherrill, III.** Charles is a Pensacola native, a graduate of Florida State University with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Finance and Real Estate. He is employed as a Commercial Banker with Suntrust Bank. Charles is married to Mallory and they have four children. He has been a Rotarian with the Rotary Club of Seville for four years. His sponsor is Collier Merrill. Charles is the son of Rotarian Charlie Sherrill, Jr.

**Community Grant application process is now open.** The Rotary Club of Pensacola supports community projects with a number of grants to charitable 501(c)3 organizations. The Club supports targeted projects that address areas such as peace and conflict prevention/resolution, disease prevention and treatment, water and sanitation, maternal and child health, basic education and literacy, or economic and community development. The application deadline is April 15, 2019. Applications are available at <http://www.pensacolarotaryclub.org>.

**Even though we have reached the end of the year it is not to late to make your Annual Pledge and Donation** to support our Local and International Foundation. Pledge sheets are available at the weekly meeting or by request online.

## PROGRAM SCHEDULE

### April

- 2 - Brian Cooper - Pensacola Parks and Recreation
- 9 - Greg Gordon - PPD, Outreach
- 16 - John Bratton, Ph.D. Professor Dept. of Anthropology, UWF
- 23 - Coach Jeffcoat - UWF Baseball
- 30 - Bert Thornton - Vice Chairman Emeritus, Waffle House

## WHAT'S HAPPENING IN ROTARY

### April - Maternal and Child Health Month

- 2 Noon Regular Meeting
- 9 Noon Regular Meeting
- 16 Noon Regular Meeting
- 1:00 Board Meeting, New World Landing
- 23 Noon Regular Meeting
- 30 Noon Regular Meeting

## 2018-2019 Club Officers

◆ President	Betty Roberts
◆ Past President	Paul Tobin
◆ President Elect	John Trawick
◆ Secretary	Claudia Simmons
◆ Treasurer	C. Ray Jones
◆ Sergeant At Arms	Tim Kane
◆ Historian	John Appleyard

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## Clubs Available for Makeup

Five Flags	New World Landing	Mon.	12:15 pm
Gulf Breeze	Legends Restaurant	Tues.	7:00 am
	Andrews Institute		
Milton	Red Barn on Hwy. 90	Tues.	12:00 pm
Seville	Seville Quarter	Tues.	4:15 pm
Perdido	13660 Innerarity Point Road	Wed.	7:45 am
Cantonment	Scenic Hills Country Club	Wed.	12:15 pm
Cordova	Gulf Coast Kid's House	Thur.	7:00 am
Pace	Stonebrook Village	Thur.	7:00 am
Suburban West	Pensacola Yacht Club	Thur.	12:00 pm
Navarre	The Tuscan Grill	Thur.	12:00 pm
	Hidden Creek Golf Course - Check <a href="http://navarrerotary.org">navarrerotary.org</a>		
Pensacola North	Asbury Place	Friday	12:00 pm
	Cokesbury Methodist		

## District Governor

John Medina  
[www.rotary6940.org](http://www.rotary6940.org)

## Assistant District Governor

Innes Richards

# HAPPY BIRTHDAY

## Birthdays for the week of April 2nd through April 8th

**Laura Gilliam** - April 2

born in Chapel Hill, NC, in Rotary 14 years

**Charles Sherrill, III** - April 4

born in Pensacola, FL, in Rotary 4 years

**Handsel Butts** - April 8

born in Natchez, MS, in Rotary 56 years

**Chris Kelly** - April 8

born in Landstuhl, Germany, in Rotary 9 years

**Barry Cole** - April 8

born in Jackson, MS, in Rotary 11 years

## GREETERS/TICKET SALES

### April 2

Greeters - Tony Neuner and Randy Ray

Ticket Sales - Innes Richards and Tommy Tait

### April 9

Greeters - Larry Perino and Alison Rogers

Ticket Sales - Scott Sallis and Kaberi Samanta

## PRAYER/PLEDGE AND SUNSHINE

### April 2

Prayer/Pledge - Scott Sallis

Sunshine - Grover Robinson

### April 9

Prayer/Pledge - Jean Norman

Sunshine - Richard Sherill

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