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The Rotary Club of Pensacola District 6940 Club 4248

WEEK IN REVIEW 08/30/2016

The weekly meeting of the Rotary Club of Pensacola was held on a sunny Tuesday, August 30, 2016. Dale Jordan and Charlie Sherrill Jr. greeted members and guests at the door. Tim Kane did an outstanding job of ticket sales and Dr. Jimmy Jones was the winner of the \$54 jackpot. President Brian Baumgardner led us in the four way test. Shawn Brantley led us in prayer and pledge. Chris Kelly really delivered the Sunshine and welcomed the single guest for the day. Happy Birthday went out Kathy Horton Brown, Milton Usry, Sandra Smith, Bob Benz, Mac Miller, Mike Ferguson and Charles Beall, all long serving Rotarians. De Flounlacker introduced her friend and colleague and Past President Andrea Krieger, President/ CEO of United Way of Escambia County. Andrea provided a fact filled review of the accomplishments and successes of the efforts of United Way of Escambia County for the year ending July 2016. In summary, between June, 2015 and July, 2016, \$3.8M

of giving was leveraged to create a \$14.8M impact that helped 190,000 local citizens. The achievements are a testament to the power of leveraged giving combined with proven programs that work together to solve problems. The United Way of Escambia County has three main focus areas for improving the life in the community: Education, Health and Financial Stability. Programs, such as Cram the Van, Reading Pals, Vista Align, the Dial 2-1-1 and Free Tax Assistance programs are designed to deliver measurable improvements in these areas. Through the combination of generous donations of cash, volunteers and grants the United Way was successful in providing services to assist local families and made significant gains toward improved school readiness, Health and Financial Stability. In the area of Education; donations to ECARE of \$1.00 resulted in a return of \$2.10. The Stay Healthy at Home project yielded a return of \$3.76 for every \$1.00 and the returns for the

Voluntary Tax Assistance Program were \$10.47 for every \$1.00 of giving. Success was measured by a demonstrated 3% increase in Grade Averages for program participants, and an increase in school attendance rates from 44% to 69% and increases in the filing of tax returns resulting in increases in the Earned Income Credit for many families, otherwise left unclaimed. Over the course of the past year 2,774 homeowners were assisted with resolutions to foreclosure or eviction issues. The numbers for the past year tell the story that "The United Way" to Give, Advocate, Volunteer and Live United is improving life for many in Escambia County thanks to the good work of the Staff, Volunteers and Partners of United Way. President Brian thanked all who served and the meeting was adjourned.

Claudia Simmons

PROGRAM SCHEDULE

September

- 6 - University of West Florida, Dr. Judy Bense
- 13 - WEAR, Dan Shugart
- 20 - District Governor Roger Champion
- 27 - UWF College of Business, Dr. Tom O'Keefe

WHAT'S HAPPENING IN ROTARY

September (Basic Education and Literacy Month)

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| 6 | Noon | Regular Meeting |
| 13 | Noon | Regular Meeting |
| 20 | Noon | Regular Meeting (DG Official Visit) |
| 27 | Noon | Regular Meeting |

2016-2017 Club Officers

◆ President	Brian Baumgardner
◆ Past President	Andrea Krieger
◆ President Elect	Sherry Hartnett
◆ 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.	5:30 pm
Perdido	Triggers Restaurant	Wed.	7:30 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 navarrerotary.org		
Pensacola North	Asbury Place	Friday	12:00 pm
	Cokesbury Methodist		

District Governor

Roger Champion
www.rotary6940.org

Assistant District Governor

Innes Richards

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Birthdays for the week of
SEPTEMBER 6th through SEPTEMBER 12th

Jim Flourney – September 6
born in Memphis, TN, in Rotary 24 years

John Tice – September 6
born in Tazewell, VA, in Rotary 42 years

Ellis Bullock – September 11
born in Birmingham, AL, in Rotary 40 years

GREETER/TICKET SALES

September 6

Greeters: Chris Kelly and Gene Killinger
Ticket Sales: Jerry Kindle and Jack Klocke

September 13

Greeters: Dale Knee and David Lamar
Ticket Sales: Britt Landrum

PRAYER/PLEDGE AND SUNSHINE

September 6

Prayer/Pledge: John Trawick
Sunshine: Jeff Powell

September 13

Prayer/Pledge: Roger Vinson
Sunshine: Jeff Lewis

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