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The Rotary Club of Pensacola District 6940 Club 4248

## WEEK IN REVIEW 05/26/2020

In this time of “new normal” Rotarians came together once again in the virtual world of Zoom for a bit of fellowship and to get our minds off of all that is going on. President John kicked the meeting off and following the 4-way test, Bruce Partington led the crowd in prayer and pledge (with an actual waving flag – nicely done Bruce).

A few announcements included Sally Fox is still seeking chairs and members for committees so see her if you can help out. John reported that Rotary International has recommended no in person meeting for the rest of 2020 and that a survey is being circulated asked local members if they desire to resume meetings and when – so check your email for that survey. Until then, we will continue our weekly Zoom meetings.

Henry Roberts was Mr. Sunshine and recognized Alan Bookman and Sally Fox their prowess in the field of law and that it was also “Mental Health Week” – maybe the two are related? He went on to test all on some simple logic questions and many were probably baffled and failed miserably (at least I did). Birthdays were recognized and we were off to the Program.

Introduced was one of our own, Dee Dee Flounlaker with Manna. Executive Director since 2011, Dee Dee enlightened Rotarians about all that has been going on since Covid hit. What has been most dramatic is the massive increase in food that has been required in the community and that donations have stopped as a precaution. Manna has done their best to keep up but they have burned through assets (\$65,000 just last month) to buy food instead of using donated food that pre-Covid, made up 95% of their meal output. They closed all the pantries and have partnered with 18 other groups, up from six, in order to get the food out as well. Manna has also made it a priority to continue to feed seniors at home and is currently providing this service to over 65 homes. She went on and is worried that there is no end in sight to the needs that are in the community for food. There were a few questions and the meeting was adjourned.

## WHAT'S HAPPENING IN ROTARY

On-Line Zoom Meetings are now being held every Tuesday at noon. You will receive your invitation to join the meetings on Monday's. The meetings can be accessed with your computer, tablet or your smart phone. If you have any questions please feel free to give me a call. 850-619-0679. Chris

You should have received the nomination forms for the 2019-2020 Grover III and Sandra Robinson Awards. The Grover Robinson Award is given to a member of this Club that truly exhibits the “service above self” Rotary motto in professional, civic, voluntary, and other areas of his/her life. The Sandra Robinson Award recipient is a non-Rotarian person that exhibits “service above self” in their activities, involvement, actions, and everyday life in our community. Please send your nominations in now.

Today June 2 is the last day to complete the survey regarding returning to in person meetings. If you need a copy of that survey please let Chris know.

## 2019-2020 Club Officers

□President	John Trawick
□Past President	Betty Roberts
□President Elect	Sally Fox
□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.	7:15 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

Innes Richards  
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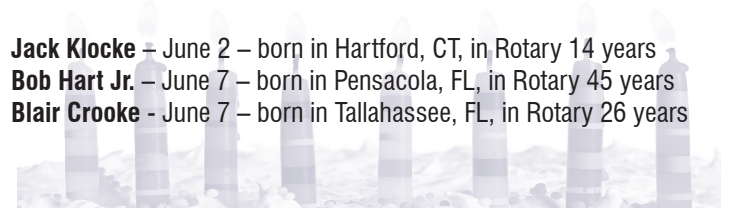
## Assistant District Governor

Daniel J. Sulger

# HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Birthdays for the week of  
June 2nd through June 8th

**Jack Klocke** - June 2 - born in Hartford, CT, in Rotary 14 years  
**Bob Hart Jr.** - June 7 - born in Pensacola, FL, in Rotary 45 years  
**Blair Crooke** - June 7 - born in Tallahassee, FL, in Rotary 26 years



## Prayer/Pledge And Sunshine

### June 2

Prayer/Pledge - Adam Principe      Sunshine - Grover Robinson

### June 9

Prayer/Pledge - Scott Sallis      Sunshine - Martha Saunders

## Program Schedule

2 - Captain Tim Kinsella - CO, Pensacola Naval Air Station  
9 - Dr. Ken Ford - The Institute for Human & Machine Cognition  
16 - TBD  
23 - TBD

## What's Happening in Rotary

### June - Rotary Fellowship Month

2 - Noon On-Line Virtual Meeting  
9 - Noon On Line Virtual Meeting  
16 - Noon On Line Virtual Meeting  
23 - Noon On Line Virtual Meeting

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