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The Rotary Club of Pensacola District 6940 Club 4248

WEEK IN REVIEW 7/18/2023

President Charles Beall opened the meeting with the Four Way Test. Rotarian Lee Elebash led the members in the prayer and Pledge of Allegiance.

Andrea Krieger presented the winner of our club's Sandra Robinson Award, Mike Morette.

Two members were presented with Paul Harris Fellow Plus recognition. Jane White is now a Paul Harris Fellow plus 4 and Bob Rogers is a Paul Harris Fellow plus 1.

Randal Richardson presented additional Community Grant checks to recipients who were not able to be present last week. Joshua Bugby from Children in Crisis accepted their grant. And coming in late from camp was Joyce who enthusiastically accepted the check for Rotary Youth Camp of North Florida.

Chris Bridwell has the link to the Smithsonian Traveling Institute exhibit at the MESS Hall. The Bias Inside Us will be presented on July 25.

Sarah Horne, who happily brings down the average age of our club, provided us with Sunshine. She introduced guests Sigrid Rehrig, our ECUA speaker from last week, and Pastor Jerry Hunter.

Art Hufford won the chance to select a card in our continuing game of chance. And the dollars continue to roll over.

Rotarian Ed Wonders introduced our speaker with a record setting biography. CDR John Fay, the Executive Officer of the Blue Angels, was "glad to be here" and connected the mission of the Blue Angels with the Rotary Four Way Test. He provided us with fascinating facts about the Blues, a fun video, and he answered questions from the audience. Don't believe what he said about Spanx! Thanks CDR Fay, we were glad to have you here.

Submitted by
Lynne Tobin

WHAT'S HAPPENING IN ROTARY

We will be meeting this week at Pensacola Yacht Club, July 25. Please note, we will continue to meet at the Yacht Club until further notice.

A New Procedure is now in place for taking the attendance at the weekly meeting, therefore starting this week each member will return their badge to the case and proper slot that it stored. THANK YOU!

Our club has been given the opportunity to visit a traveling exhibit sponsored by the Smithsonian Traveling Institute, on Tuesday, July 25th at Pensacola MESS Hall. Executive Director, Megan Pratt has invited our club to attend the exhibit "the Bias Inside US". For details regarding the exhibit go to: <https://biasinsideus.si.edu/>. To attend, sign up at: <https://form.jotform.com/231646378394972>. **THIS EVENT WILL TAKE PLACE TONIGHT.**

We are now streaming our meeting using Microsoft Teams. If you already have a Microsoft account, you can join the meeting just like any other. If you don't have a Microsoft account, there aren't any special downloads or requirements to join as a guest. Click here for a quick overview of accessing Microsoft Teams as a guest. The meeting join information will be sent out in the same manner as before. If you have any questions or concerns regarding these changes, please let me know. 850-434-0684

In an effort to increase the membership of our club, at the most recent board meeting it was decided to extend the offer of three free lunches for potential new members.

Promote your business by placing an ad in the Helicopter. Your ad will run for a full month each week. Business card-sized ads are \$25.00, a 1/4 page is \$50.00, and a 1/2-page ad is \$75.00. To place your ad, send the prepared document to cbridwell@pensacolarotaryclub.org stating the size of the ad you wish to place. **Proceeds benefit the Rotary Club of Pensacola Foundation.**

To pay your quarterly Rotary Club dues with a credit card/debit card go to <http://www.pensacolarotaryclub.org/payment>. Please note a service charge will be applied to your payment.

2023-2024 Club Officers

•President	Charles Beall
•Past President	Bruce Partington
•President Elect	Henry Roberts
•Secretary	Randall Richardson
•Treasurer	Lori Nesmith
•Communications Officer	Betty Roberts

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Clubs Available for Makeup

Five Flags	Pensacola Bay Center	Mon.	12:00 pm
Gulf Breeze	Legends at Andrews Institute	Tues.	7:00 am
Milton	The Hangar Restaurant	Tues.	12:00 pm
Seville	Seville Quarter	Tues.	4:15 pm
Cantonment	St. Luke's United Methodist Church	Wed.	12:15 pm
Perdido	The Point Church	Wed.	7:30 am
Pace	Stonebrook Village Country Club	Thur.	7:00 am
Cordova	Gulf Coast Kid's House	Thur.	7:00 am
Suburban West	Pensacola Yacht Club	Thur.	12:00 pm
Navarre	Broussard's Cajun Restaurant	Fri.	12:00 pm
Pensacola North	Hyatt Place - Pensacola Airport	Fri.	12:00 pm

District Governor

Kerry Anne Schultz
<http://www.rotary6940.org>

Assistant District Governor

Sally Fox

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Birthdays for the week of
July 25 through July 31

Kimberly Irvin – July 26 - born in Mobile, Al, in Rotary 1 year

Greeters and Ticket Sales

July 25

Greeters: Jane White and Verdell Hawkins

Ticket Sales: Sherry Hartnett and Caleb Heifner

August 1

Greeters: David Henriquez and Craig Hindsman

Ticket Sales: Allison Hill and Sarah Horne

Prayer/Pledge And Sunshine

July 25

Prayer/Pledge: Craig Hindsman

Sunshine: Terri Jenkins

August 1

Prayer/Pledge: Art Hufford

Sunshine: Randall Richardson

Program Schedule

July

25 - Captain Stephan Wildish - Salvation Army

August

1 - D.C. Reeves - Mayor of Pensacola

8 - Kim Sulgar - Beach Rescue Tubes

15 - Erika Zambello - Beach Nesting Birds

22 - Kaleb Nobles - UWF Football

29 - Dan Shugart - WEAR Sports

What's Happening in Rotary

July

25 - Noon Regular Weekly Meeting at Pensacola Yacht Club and MicroSoft Teams

August

1 - Noon Regular Weekly Meeting at Pensacola Yacht Club and MicroSoft Teams

8 - Noon Regular Weekly Meeting at Pensacola Yacht Club and MicroSoft Teams

15 - Noon Regular Weekly Meeting at Pensacola Yacht Club and MicroSoft Teams

1:00 Board of Directors Monthly Meeting

22 - Noon Regular Weekly Meeting at Pensacola Yacht Club and MicroSoft Teams

29 - Noon Regular Weekly Meeting at Pensacola Yacht Club and MicroSoft Teams