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The Rotary Club of Pensacola District 6940 Club 4248

## WEEK IN REVIEW

Rotarians received a friendly greeting today from John Clark while Martin Coe was busy selling numerous raffle tickets. President Innes called the meeting to order and led everyone in the Four-way Test. Prayer and pledge was led by Grover Robinson.

President Innes kicked off the announcements by reminding everyone that the next joint Five Flags/Rotary Club of Pensacola Habitat for Humanity construction date is March 16; call Clif Payne to volunteer. Nominations for the CROP Ethics in Business award are still being accepted and the awards will be presented on May 6. President Innes also announced that eight Rotarians are needed April 5-13 to go to San Salvador to put wheelchairs together. Bromley Dyson introduced an Interact member from Pensacola High School who said a few words to the group. Today's surprised raffle winner was Ed Ranelli, who took home a whopping \$71.

Mr. Sunshine, Richard Sherrill, welcomed all military guests, guests of Rotarians; and visiting

Rotarians. He told a few jokes (he tried, he really did), and then led the club in singing Happy Birthday to You All.

Dr. Jimmy Jones introduced a tableful of Shriners Hospital executives from the region and from Galveston. He then introduced today's keynote speaker, David Herndon, MD who is Chief of Staff at Shriners Hospitals for Children in Galveston, Texas. Shriners is a health care system of 22 hospitals dedicated to improving the lives of children by providing pediatric specialty care, particularly for those with acute burn injuries. Dr. Herndon spoke about how Shriners Hospitals have decreased the mortality rate from burns by early treatment and due to advances in research and treatments. Burn injuries can change children's genes for years. Skin grafts can be the gift of life for those with serious burn injuries. They continue to develop new techniques to reduce burn victims' pain. Dr. Herndon said that today, patients with burns over 99% of their body can survive. He shared many tragic photos

that were difficult to view. He said the referral process for young burn victims is simple; just call them and they will be here in Pensacola within two hours.

Dr. Herndon explained that the most common reasons for children's burns are scalding water from bathtubs, exploding items from microwaves, and heating mechanisms in homes. He concluded by sharing that in addition to treating acute burn injuries, Shriners Hospitals also treat complicated wounds, congenital malformations such as cleft lip, reconstructions and skin conditions. The services provided at the hospital extend far beyond treating an injury. They have a team of physicians, nurses, rehabilitation therapists, psychiatrists, psychologists and child life specialists.

There being no further business, President Innes adjourned the meeting thanking everyone for their service.

Respectfully submitted, Sherry Hartnett

## NEW MEMBERS

**Scott Adams:** Scott Allen Adams was born and raised in Pensacola, Florida. Scott participated in a joint partnership program between the University of West Florida and the University of Florida and graduated with a Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering in 1997. Scott met and began dating his future wife Laurie in 1991 (at the youthful ages of 19 and 15). Scott and Laurie were married in 1997. In 1998 Scott worked at Gulf Power Company as an engineering representative in the Destin area. In 1999 Scott accepted a position as a consulting engineer at a local firm. Since that time Scott has had the privilege of working with a few local consulting firms including the firm of fellow Rotarian Jack Klocke. Scott obtained his professional engineer license in 2002. He formed Adams Consulting Engineering, Inc. in 2005 where he presently works. Scott has three children, Erin Noel Adams, Jay Allen Adams, and Grant Allen Adams.

Scott enjoys traveling, hiking, and camping. He is a member of East Brent Baptist Church.

**Beverly Jackson:** Beverly Jackson is a native Floridian. She is a graduate of Gadsden State College and is currently a Manager and Relocation Director at Century 21 AmeriSouth Realty. Beverly has worked in the Real Estate industry for over 25 years, first in the construction, development and management for Crow, Terwilliger and Spiker in South Florida, then later as an Office Manager and Site Coordinator for JMC, Inc., a builder for high-end homes in Tallahassee. She then relocated to North Alabama for 6 years and at that time decided that becoming a Real Estate Professional was her calling. Beverly has been back home in Northwest Florida since 2006 where she has served her community as a Realtor and is a member of the Pensacola Association of Realtors (PAR), Florida Association of Realtors (FAR), and the National Association of Realtors (NAR).

Beverly is very involved in the community and serves on several committees as well as being a member of the Board of Directors for the Pensacola Association of Realtors. Beverly volunteers her time for Gulf Coast Kids House and Children's Home Society, because she believes that the children of our community are our future.

Beverly lives in East Hill with her two dogs, Sadie and Prince and sometimes grand-dog, Clyde. She has a 24 year old daughter, Heather Polson, which resides in Pensacola as well. Beverly enjoys cooking, gardening, entertaining, canoe trips down the Blackwater River and days at the beach on our sugary white sands.

**Judy Shelton:** Judy Shelton is the new Head of School at Episcopal Day School in downtown Pensacola. She moved here in July after serving as Associate Head of School at St. George's Independent School in Memphis. Judy's independent school leadership includes an expertise in strategic planning, technology integration, and faculty development. She is excited to join a school and a city with such rich histories and looks forward to contributing to the broader community through Rotary. She and her husband, David, have property in Orange Beach, so they are not strangers to the gulf coast. They have two grown daughters and a granddaughter.

## 2012-2013 Club Officers

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◆ Past President	Alan B. Bookman
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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		
Pensacola North	Asbury Place	Friday	12:00 pm
	Cokesbury Methodist		

## District Governor

Edward Philman

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## Assistant District Governor

Robert W. Schuster

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

### Birthdays for the week of March 19th through March 25th

**Wylie Hogeman** – March 20 - born in Baton Rouge, LA, in Rotary 15 years

**Lew Doman** – March 21 - born in Alton, IL, in Rotary 46 years

**Ric Nickelsen** – March 21 – born in Pensacola, FL, in Rotary 11 years

**Shawn Brantley**– March 24 – born in Cocoa, FL, in Rotary 11 years

## UPCOMING SPEAKERS

### March

19 - Community Foundation of NW Florida, Paul Young

26 - Escambia School Wellness Coordinator, Susan Kennedy, RN

### April

2 - Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta, David Altig, Vice President

9 - University of West Florida, Provost Martha Saunders

16 - Escambia County Commission/Gulf Coast Consortium, Commissioner Grover Robinson

## GREETERS AND TICKET SALES

### March 19:

Greeters: Barry Cole and Blair Crooke

Ticket Sales: Wanda Cross and Vince Currie

### March 26:

Greeters: Madison Currin and William Davis

Ticket Sales: David DelGallo and Courtney Dell

### April 2:

Greeters: James Dickerson and William  
Dickerson

Ticket Sales: Bill Dollarhide and Lewis Doman

## PRAYER/ PLEDGE AND SUNSHINE

### March 19:

Prayer/Pledge: Nancy Maloy

Sunshine: Scott Grissett

### March 26:

Prayer/Pledge: Leonard Swartz

Sunshine: Chris Kelly

### April 2:

Prayer/Pledge: Martin Harwood

Sunshine: Sally Fox

## ROTARY WHEELS

- ❖ Terry Scruggs is winding down his brief (or was it?) stint at the Chamber...and reports that his task came out just fine.
- ❖ Dale Knee has been sidelined with another knee joint surgery.
- ❖ Bret Barrow's symphony and Dell Courtney's ballet are having fine years building our culture. This month's ballet presents The Matrix.
- ❖ Nathan Kahn, downtown's longest-time booster, says he's worried that there is an absence of retailing in the area resurgence.
- ❖ Maybe it's time to think about planning a club night at a Wahoos game. Season's almost here.

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