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The Rotary Club of Pensacola District 6940 Club 4248

WEEK IN REVIEW

Rotarians were warmly greeted on a blustery cold day by Robert Palmer. Raffle tickets were sold by Clif Payne and Jorge Pelaez. President John called the meeting to order and led us in the Four-Way Test. John Trawick led us in the prayer and pledge followed up with Sunshine by Bob Hart. We had no military guests or visiting Rotarians, but welcomed three visitors. None of our birthday guests were present, so we missed singing "Happy Birthday". Our lucky raffle winner walked away with \$51.00.

We were entertained by our very talented Rotary Rooters with seasonal renditions of three well thought out songs. The first was from World War 1 and was a lively delivery of "Pack Up Troubles". The second song, celebrating the climax of the harvesting season was the old time favorite – "Harvest Moon", and finally, the Thanksgiving Hymn - "We Gather Together".

John Monroe was called to the speaker to remind everyone about the Annual Bell Ringing Event that is fast approaching, the importance of it and of to remind everyone

to sign up and volunteer. Al Coby, Kathy Horton-Brown, and Scott Grissett are seeking volunteers. The Holiday Weekend has many openings and they need help getting them filled, so please contact them and sign-up today.

Brendan Kelly then introduced our guest speaker, Sheyna Marcey, who is the director of Historic Pensacola Village. Sheyna showed up dressed in a period costume to help get us in the mood of the early days in Pensacola. She delivered an excellent informational speech about the importance of remembering our rich history and passing it on to others, especially children. The Historic Pensacola Village is located downtown and is open Tuesdays through Saturdays. A ticket for the Village is reasonably priced and is good for seven days. Season tickets are also available.

Various programs are offered, including a cooking demonstration at the Kitchen House. This event takes up to six hours and you may stay for all or part of it. The cooking experience starts with old-fashioned preparation of the food, to

cooking (no stoves here), and then finally clean up.

The programs are designed to encourage and light up your imagination about how life was in the early settlement days. Children's programs are also available and encouraged. The Village has a contract with the Escambia County School System to involve 4th grade children in various events.

After speaking she opened the floor for questions. Ted Brown asked if there are any plans to use the Village and it's events to promote the area as a destination, hopefully bringing in more tourists and giving Pensacola more visibility. Ms. Marcey responded that there is, indeed a program being worked on for the future.

Jerry Maygarden reminded everyone that free passes are available to sponsors of the foundation.

President John then adjourned the meeting.

Respectfully submitted,
Marty Longworth

ROTARY WHEELS

- ❖ Just heard that Earle Bowden suffered injury during the April 30th storm and has just returned to writing and cartooning.
- ❖ Word is that Cal Moore was injured when his deer stand collapsed. He's on the mend.
- ❖ Ted Brown must be pleased to hear that Bayou Chico cleanup will be supported from an \$11 million BP grant. Ted's been a true player in that work for years.
- ❖ Come December 16th, when the club presents its annual Grover and Sandra Robinson Awards, this will make the 15th anniversary of those honors.
- ❖ Looking to our year 100, it's interesting that over those years we've had sixteen members fill the role of secretary, and that two of them, Perry Reed and Roland Gessert, served a total of twenty-nine years.

39TH ANNUAL GOVERNMENTAL PRAYER BREAKFAST

January 31, 2015 at New World Landing. Breakfast line opens at 8:30 a.m. with the program beginning at 9:00. Cost is \$12/person. Call 436-7857 to make reservations. The keynote speaker is former Lieutenant Governor Jennifer Carroll.

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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

Dave Rauch
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Assistant District Governor

Robert W. Schuster

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Birthdays for the week of
November 25th through December 1st

Malcolm Thomas – November 25 – born in Wichita Falls, TX, in Rotary 5 years

Alan Bookman - November 28 – born in New Orleans, LA, in Rotary 27 years

Auby Smith - November 29 – born in Boaz, AL, in Rotary 10 years

Dave Galloway - November 29 – born in Atlanta, GA, in Rotary 44 years

Gary Bembry - November 29 – born in Tallahassee, FL, in Rotary 14 years

Jimmy Coe - November 30 – born in Pensacola, FL, in Rotary 24 years

CENTENNIAL CLUB MEMBERS

Lewis Doman

UPCOMING SPEAKERS

November

25 - Es Cty Schools Transportation, Rob Doss

December

2 - Veterans Resource Center, Marc Churchwell

9 - One Blood, Betty Roberts

16 - Christmas Program

23 - No Meeting

30 - No Meeting

GREETERS AND TICKET SALES

November 25

Greeters: Charles Perkins and Betty Gail Peters

Ticket Sales: John Phelps and William Phillips

December 2

Greeters: Janet Pilcher and Marshall Popple

Ticket Sales: Carol Powell and Jeff Powell

PRAYER & PLEDGE/SUNSHINE

November 25

Prayer and Pledge: Henry Roberts

Sunshine: Scott Grissett

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