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The Rotary Club of Pensacola District 6940 Club 4248

WEEK IN REVIEW

Rotarians were welcomed by Dr. Ed Meadows and Judge Terry Terrell.

President Margaret called the meeting to order and asked all to say the Four Way Test. Henry Roberts led us in prayer. Henry had kind remarks about the wheelchair project in Costa Rica and said he was proud to be part of an organization that made a difference. Members recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

President Margaret began to call Ron Jackson to the podium and praised him for his pledge to contribute \$1000 each year as a Paul Harris Fellow to the Rotary International Foundation. Rotarians applauded him and President Margaret thanked him for his support. Ron commented to the group that our support to the Rotary Foundations does make a difference. The lucky winner of the drawing was Blaise Adams.

Maria Goldberg was recognized by President Margaret for organizing the Family of Rotary. Rotarians who opened their homes and helped make the home visits possible were Nancy Fetterman, Ed and Vickie Wonders, John and Judy Tice, David and Kim

Stafford, Roger and Ellen Vinson, Susan and John O' Conner with Carol Law and Richard Sherrill. The evenings were a huge success and promoted valuable time for developing friendships and getting to know each other better. Thanks to Maria!

The Rotary Rooters took the stage next and invited President Margaret to be the recipient of their romantic song selections. There selections focused on songs and melodies of old Pensacola. We can say it was an historic interlude as we settled back to listen to Good Nite Sweetheart, In Apple Blossom time and others.

Red Level Alabama's Shining Star Charlie Blackwell brought us Sunshine. Charlie welcomed military guest, visiting Rotarians and announced birthdays. Before leaving he provided the expected, a touch of Red Level humor.

Richard Sherrill presented our speaker of the day, Nathan Botts. Nathan is a CPA and Director of Finance with Saltmarsh, Cleveland and Gund. His talk centered on the health of banks and community banks in the US. He gave us a brief history of banking,

government involvement, regulators, true evaluations of banks both state and federal, assets, quality management, earnings, liquidity and sensitivity. He told us there were 200 state charter banks that need improvement and many are in the status of consent orders. He also gave an explanation of how we got into the mortgage crises involving leans, sub primes and various practices. Members thanked him for a very informative talk.

President Margaret reminded everyone to complete the Sandra and Grover Robinson nomination forms for Service above Self for a non-Rotarian as well as a Rotarian, respectively. She thanked everyone for their part in the program and reminded all to wear their pin. On an unannounced, "Are you wearing your pin day?" members who fail to have on their pin will make a \$2.00 contribution in support of Rotary. Find your pin and wear it.

She adjourned the meeting by reminding all "The power of Rotary is in your hands".

Submitted by
Betty Roberts

ROTARY WHEELS

- There were many club members involved with the 20th anniversary of the Children's Chorus, some proudly viewing performers, many as sponsors and supporters. Collier Merrill and the Fish House were hosts to a "returnees party." Collier also MC'd a big auction. Involved in other ways were David Bear, Lew Doman, Keith Bullock, Betty Gail Peters, Roger Vinson, Jack Fleming, Brooks Champlin, Randy Jackson and John Appleyard.
- Seeing headlines for the Parade of Homes turns the

Wheels back more than fifty years to when our own Handsel Butts was one of the first Paraders.

- Grover Robinson is quickly learning that there's more to oil than making sure there's enough in the crankcase.
- Gerry Hoewing's having fun watching Bob Rasmussen begin a huge makeover of the exhibits at the Naval Air Museum. Shortly all exhibits will be chronological.

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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		

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Birthdays for the week of
May 25th through June 1st

Rodger Doyle – May 28

born in Pensacola, FL, in Rotary 18 years

GREETERS AND TICKET SALES

May 28th

Greeters: Robert Switzer and Thomas Tait

Ticket Sales: Terry Terrell and John Tice

June 1st

Greeters: John Trawick and Auby Smith

Ticket Sales: Sandra Smith and Walter Smith

June 8th

Greeters: Alfred Stubblefield and John Shaffer

Ticket Sales: Roger Sherman and Charles Sherrill

June 15th

Greeters: Richard Sherrill and Edwin Roberts

Ticket Sales: Grover Robinson and Donn Scott

June 22nd

Greeters: Terry Scruggs and Ronald Richards

Ticket Sales: Sandra Ray and George Rees

June 29th

Greeters: Betty Peters and John Phelps

Ticket Sales: Janet Pilcher and Marshall Poppo

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