

Rotary Club of Palm Beach Flagler

A 100% Paul Harris Sustaining Member Club

Tuesday 7:45 AM • Chesterfield Hotel • 363 Coconut Row, Palm Beach

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April, 2017

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Martin Gibbs+	Attorney: Banking
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Gail Coniglio	Honorary Member
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* Past President + Paul Harris Fellow ++ Multiple PHF

April Speakers – Mary Rogan, Speaker Chair

Tues 4 th	Deborah Hutchinson Producer, Writer, Author, Director
Tues 11 th	Deborah Pollack Author, Speaker, Historian, Art Dealer
Tues 18 th	Richard Hoffman Member, Palm Beach Flagler Rotary Club
Tues 25 th *	Reverend Dwight Stevens "Atheist Doctor to Palm Beach Minister"

*Club and Foundation Board Meeting immediately following our regularly scheduled weekly meeting.

Why Attend???

Rotary International Convention, June 10 – 14th, Atlanta, Georgia

- 1. Meet the most inspiring people in the world** - Rotary members from more than 130 countries meet at the convention every year. This is your unique opportunity to connect with old friends, make new ones, and learn about new club opportunities.
- 2. Strengthen your club and your passion for Rotary** - The general sessions and breakout sessions offer countless ways to help you get the most from your Rotary membership and make your club stronger. In the House of Friendship, you'll find new ideas, learn best practices, and share project successes — it's where the Rotary world comes together!
- 3. Join The Rotary Foundation celebration** - The culmination of a yearlong celebration of RI Foundation's centennial takes place in the city where it all began. Join the festivities at The Rotary Foundation's 100th Birthday Party!
- 4. Explore the American South** – Many would argue that South Florida is hardly "The South" ...South Brooklyn, maybe.
- 5. Enjoy special tours and events offered by the Host Organization Committee** - Special activities have been planned, such as Restaurant Night, Host Hospitality Night, and a screening of "Gone With the Wind" at the historic Fox Theatre.



Celebrations

Member Birthdays:

4th - Corey Brown
12th - Marvin Rosenberg
27th - Fred Wright



Member Anniversaries:

24th - Lee & Susan Gordon
24th - Kim and George Parkey



Rotary International (RI) News: Rotary International has designated certain months of the year as times for Rotary clubs to emphasize the involvement of all Rotarians in designated activities or to highlight specific Areas of Focus. Clubs are encouraged to plan special programs on the appropriate topics during these months. **April's Area of Focus is Maternal and Child Health.** In addition, April is a time to recognize the contributions made by *The Rotarian magazine*, 27 regional Rotary magazines, and, especially, our Club's monthly "award-winning" newsletter!

Rotary District 6930 News: Need to "make up"? Try one of our local neighboring clubs: (1) **Palm Beach** (Thursdays at 12:15 pm at The Chesterfield); (2) **West Palm Beach** (Tuesdays at Noon at Kravis Center); (3) **Lake Worth** (Wednesdays at Noon at Brogue's Down Under); (4) **Singer Island** (Fridays at 12:15 pm at Sailfish Marina); (5) **Northern Palm Beaches** (Tuesdays at 7:30 am at the Double Tree Hotel, Palm Beach Gardens); (6) **Jupiter-Tequesta** (Tuesdays at Noon at Mangrove Bay, Jupiter); (7) **Royal Palm Beach** (Thursdays at 7:30 am at Wild West Diner); and (8) **Wellington** (Thursdays at 12:15 pm at the Wanderers Club).

Rotary Themes

(Rotary Theme – continued)

Each year, the incoming President of Rotary International announces his or her "theme" for his/her year in office. The tradition of crafting a theme is credited to 1949-50 RI President Percy C. Hodgson. Our current theme (see above-right) is "Rotary Serving Humanity".

The President-elect has challenged every Rotary club to make a difference by planting a tree for each of its members between the start of his Rotary year (July 1, 2017) and Earth Day, April 22, 2018.

Rotary International President-elect Ian H.S. Riseley, a member of the Rotary Club of Sandringham, Victoria, Australia, has unveiled, as his 2017-18 presidential theme, "Rotary: Making a Difference".

Rotary's 3-Way Test

1. Is it FUN?
2. Will it HARM anyone (yourself excluded)?
3. Is it LEGAL?



"Environmental degradation and global climate change are serious threats to everyone", Riseley said. "They are having a disproportionate impact on those who are most vulnerable, those to whom Rotary has the greatest responsibility. Yet environmental issues rarely register on the Rotary agenda," he said. Environmental degradation is one of the major threats listed by the UN's High-level Panel on Threats, Challenges, and Change.



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