

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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August, 2017

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Members:

Alex Anderson	Foreign Service
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Elizabeth DeBrule	Community Leader
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Daniel Kahan*+	Architect
Ruby Patterson	Executive Assistant
Jon Roberson	Boutique Manager, Worth Ave.
Marvin Rosenberg++	Periodontist
David Sarama	Consultant
Thomas "Mac" Skelly+	Trust Administration (retired)
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Gail Coniglio	Honorary Member
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Philip Whitacre*++	Honorary Member

* Past President + Paul Harris Fellow ++ Multiple PHF

August Speakers – Dr. Roy Cacciaguida, Speaker Chair

The month of August will be devoted to various members of our Club speaking about unusual, unique, or humorous events that have occurred in their work environment:

Tues 1 st	Dr. Roy Cacciaguida, Nephrologist (retired)
Tues 8 th	David Sarama, Consultant
Tues 15 th	Ruby Patterson, Executive Assistant
Tues 22 nd *	Jon Roberson, Boutique Manager
Tues 29 th	Dr. Graham Whitfield, Orthopedic Surgeon

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

New Rotary Year – Start of New Service Projects

We kicked off the 2017-18 Rotary Year with our 7th consecutive year volunteering with the Back To School Bash. This event always takes place a few weeks before the new school year gets started. There are many, many students whose families cannot afford basic school supplies. Thanks to this event, we are able to assist them with their selection of a backpack, pencils, erasers, paper, notebooks, composition pads, calculators, and the like.

This year, our thanks go out to the following Rotary volunteers (and friends) who helped make this event a huge success:

Stan Collemer
Elizabeth DeBrule
Lee Gordon
John O'Neill
Ruby Patterson
Mary Rogan
Mac Skelly
Patti Skelly





Celebrations

Member Birthdays:

- 13th - Roy Cacciaguida
- 16th - Charles Contessa
- 21st - Etonella Christlieb
- 28th – Richard Hoffmann

Member Anniversaries:

NONE KNOWN



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. **August is designated as Membership and Extension Month**, a time to highlight membership development and the creation of new Rotary clubs.

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).

Membership: The Lifeblood of Rotary

life-blood, *noun*

the blood, as being necessary to life.

the indispensable factor or influence that gives something its strength and vitality.

"my family was the lifeblood of the church"

synonyms:

- life force, life, essential constituent, driving force, vital spark, inspiration, stimulus, essence, crux, heart, soul, core

To keep clubs strong, every Rotarian must share the responsibility of bringing new people into Rotary. Even new members can bring guests to meetings or invite them to participate in a service project. The value of Rotary speaks for itself and the best way to spark the interest of potential members is by letting them experience fellowship and service firsthand.

Strong membership enables our club to do good in both the local community and around the world. A strong membership also raises the public’s awareness of Rotary, which, in turn, both facilitates our ability to continue to attract new, like minded members (especially younger members and women) and increases support for The Rotary Foundation and its global programs, such as PolioPlus.

Membership (continued)

In a changing world, a club’s success depends on its ability to be innovative and flexible. Surveys and focus groups consistently show that prospective members and younger members are more likely to stay with Rotary if they believe that their club is willing to accommodate their interests, as well as their work, family, and personal needs.

Start by inviting a prospective member to one of our meetings. Compose a list of community members that you would like to invite. Aim to create a diverse group of men and women that includes varying ages and professions. The more diverse a club, the more interesting will be the flow of ideas that result therefrom. In talking to prospective members, explain the benefits of Rotary membership. Here are some popular benefits associated with Rotary membership:

- Making a positive impact on one’s community through service projects;
- Establishing business connections and lasting friendships;
- Developing professional skills, such as event planning, public speaking, and fundraising;
- Including family members in service projects and events and getting children involved in youth programs in the community or abroad; and
- Creating a global network of friends, especially when traveling.

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